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More Telcos Increase Rates

According to the Iowa Telecommunications Association, during the first week of June six independent telephone companies in Iowa filed a Notice of Rate increase with the Iowa Utilities Board, continuing a trend the past several months in reaction to the Iowa Utilities Board's January 2009 Order reducing intrastate access charges in Iowa.

Sources report as many as 50 independent telephone companies, including Webster-Calhoun, have filed a notice of rate increase within the last nine months to help offset this revenue reduction. That's approximately one-third of the state of Iowa's 150 independent telephone companies!

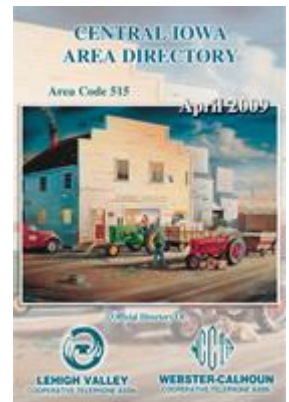
Congratulations to Mary Ellen Murphy

of Duncombe! She was the winner of the iPod Nano chosen from all the responses to our Central Iowa Area Directory survey published by Webster-Calhoun and Lehigh Valley Cooperative Telephone Associations. Thank you to those that responded to the survey as we appreciate your feedback.

It was determined that subscribers like the size of the book and text and utilize the different informational sections inside the book.

Be sure to tell businesses that you saw their ad or listing in the yellow pages!

50% of those that responded have not tried the on-line version of our directory. Check it out at www.wccta.net!



**Good Luck To Area
FFA and 4-H
Members
During The
County Fairs!**



**Central Cable
Contractors will begin
Construction for Fiber to
the Home (FTTH) in
Badger in July.**

Happy Independence Day!

Gowrie Independence Day Celebration is July 1 – 4th visit www.gowrie.org for details.
Webster-Calhoun will be closed on July 3rd to observe the holiday.



Webster-Calhoun Cooperative Telephone Association appreciates the service of those in the military. To show our gratitude and to help family members keep in touch with loved ones serving in active duty Webster-Calhoun is offering an **Active Duty Military Discount**. (This includes a credit applied to the account of the soldier's household and requires proof of active duty status.) For more information contact our office at 515-352-3151.

Does your PC need a tune-up?

Just like a car, your computer needs regular maintenance to keep it healthy and working properly.

Otherwise software programs and Internet access do not work as you expect them to. With today's complex computer hardware,

software and peripherals, it's more difficult than ever for the common computer user to know how to solve complicated PC problems. If you think your computer is running slow or not working properly, contact Total Tech Services at Security Coverage to get your PC running at peak performance!



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Let TotalTech perform an upfront Diagnostic to help determine the problem and recommend the right repair solution. Although prices vary, technicians can help you with a Total Tune-up (\$49.95), Virus & Spyware Removal (\$89.95) and more!

If you are new to Vista, you will agree it is very different than Windows XP. TotalTech can provide an Operating System Customization and Training (\$49.95) to walk you through and help customize the settings of your new operating system.

No need to unplug your computer and lug it to a repair shop. With a credit card and remotely accessing your computer through the Internet, TotalTech can diagnose and fix many PC problems!

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