



Interns Brevyn Nash and Addy Blimling serving homemade ice cream at this year's Annual Meeting.

Members of the co-op gathered for our Annual Meeting on Saturday, June 8th, at the Winchester Grade School. The co-op held a drive-through registration and a business meeting in the gymnasium. Members who registered received a \$15 bill credit.

During the meeting, Board President Tom Meehan welcomed members to the Annual Meeting and provided an update on the state of the co-op. Mr. Meehan then introduced the board of directors and discussed the responsibilities and time commitment of serving on the board.

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Board President Tom Meehan giving his report.

Retiring Board Vice President Julia Eberlin was recognized for her 25 years of service. Mrs. Eberlin spoke about her time on the board and the co-op. With her family in attendance, Mr. Meehan thanked them for the time Mrs. Eberlin spent away from her family serving on the board. Mrs. Eberlin received a much-deserved standing ovation.

Board member Bryan Hubbert gave the treasurer's report, sharing that the co-op continues to be in strong financial shape. Mr. Hubbert also spoke on the co-op's ongoing investment in providing safe and reliable electric service and internet service to our members.

General Manager Randy Long addressed the membership to discuss the electric system and the current energy landscape, particularly with power plants and legislation. Mr. Long recognized employees for their dedication to the co-op and membership.

The chairman of the nominating committee, Mark Heffington, gave a report. The committee nominated Luke Fraley for District 5, Kevin Brannan for District 10, and Julie Rhoads for District 11. All three



Retiring Board Vice President Julia Eberlin reflecting on her 25 years of service.

directors were re-elected for a 3-year term. With Julia Eberlin's retirement, the committee chose Patrick Simon for District 9. Mr. Simon was elected to serve a 3-year term as well.

A bylaw change clarifying language regarding the qualifications to serve as a director passed unanimously by voice vote.

Throughout the meeting, the co-op gave away prizes. Four lucky members won \$500, 20 received \$100, and \$500 was donated to 11 members' favorite charities. We want to thank everyone at the co-op who attended this year's meeting. Seeing so many familiar faces was great, and we look forward to seeing you again next year.



Emma Henderson speaking about her experience in Pike CEO.



Board Member Bryan Hubbert talking with Apprentice Forester AJ Shewmake



Chairman of the Nominating Committee Mark Heffington giving his report.

2024 Annual Meeting Prize Winners

\$100

Richard Albrecht
Robert Gardner
Scott Mason
Thomas Welch
April Littig
Gary Radliff
Christine Montgomery
Carol Hajek
Randall Lowe
Keith Devlin
Jennifer Baltisberger
Julia Whitehurst
Wm. J. Eddinger
Darrell Moore
David Longmeyer
Christopher Kinsey
Heckler Farm Partnership - Mark Hart
Jolene Pool
Larry Weder
Donald Savage

\$500

Charles Clayton
Randall Schofield
Randy Whewell
Judith Saxer

Members' Fund

District 1 - Deloris Fetherstone - The Crossing Church Griggsville
District 2 - Randall Lowe - Two Rivers Regional Council - Pittsfield
District 3 - Christopher Kinsey - PAWS of Jacksonville
District 4 - James R. Fox - Spring Creek Fire Dept. - Nebo
District 5 - Charles R. Quiller - St. Jude Hospital
District 6 - Thomas R. Hardy - Outreach Community Center - Winchester
District 7 - Mark Blimling - Murrayville Woodson Food Pantry
District 8 - Brian L. Dawdy - Manchester Baptist Church
District 9 - Larry L. Pohlman - St. Mary's Cemetery - Brussels
District 10 - Dusty Lawson - Pine Tree Cemetery
District 11 - Lindell G. Schofield - Walkerville Baptist Church



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