



2016 SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS!

Rocky REA would like to congratulate the recipients of two \$1,000 Rocky REA scholarships:
Tanner Steenberg & Martina Hubl, both graduates of David Thompson High School



Tanner is enrolled in Red Deer College working toward an Electrical Engineering Technology degree. His goal is to work in some area of the electrical field—potentially as a Power Line Technician.

Tanner has demonstrated a compassionate nature while providing leadership and the ability to be a team player. He has maintained honour roll status while being active on sports teams and volunteering. As well, he has participated in community clean-up days, harvesting potatoes for the food bank & volunteering at the elementary school.



Martina will be attending Red Deer College working toward a Bachelor of Science, Pre-Dentistry with the goal of becoming a dental hygienist.

Martina has shown an exceptional work ethic within her academic and extracurricular activities. She maintained honour roll status while assisting her parents with raising thoroughbreds for the All Pro Chuckwagon & Chariot Association. As well, she played hockey and volunteered with different programs and events at the community elementary schools along with numerous other organizations.

**Congratulations to these two outstanding youth—
the Rocky REA is proud to support you in your endeavours!**

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AUGUST POWER OUTAGES & STORMS

There have been numerous electrical and wind storms in the month of August, resulting in many members experiencing power outages. The Board and Management would like to thank the members for their patience during these difficult times and for all the positive feedback given to our hardworking staff. They would also like to commend the outside crews for their excellent work and dedication, and the office staff for answering the phone lines in a timely and professional manner.

The August 22/23 storm saw many of the outages being vegetation related. We would like to once again remind our members that wherever possible, in order to maximize safety and minimize costs, it is in the best interests of the REA to completely remove trees under power lines. We would be happy to assist anyone who would like to have vegetation removed from under their power lines. Please contact the office at 403-845-4600.

STORM TIPS & SAFETY CONCERNS

**Rocky REA staff would like to remind members to call
403-845-4600 anytime to report any power outages.**

CHECKING YOUR MAIN BREAKER & METER

Go to the pole which hold your meter. Near your meter you should find the main breaker switch. Turn your breaker to the "OFF" position, and wait approximately five minutes to ensure no damages are caused before turning the switch back to the "ON" position. Once you have turned the breaker back on, your meter should be flashing numbers. If you do not see numbers flashing or do not have power restored, please contact our office to have a lineman dispatched.

FALLEN TREES ON POWER LINES

If you spot a tree on the line please note the location, and call our offices immediately to have crews dispatched for removal. Under NO circumstances should a member remove vegetation from a line.

USE OF GENERATORS DURING POWER OUTAGES

Please notify the office during outages if you are using a generator. The incorrect connection of a generator may cause back feeding, which puts our crews lives in danger. If you require help to set up a back up generator please contact our office for more information.

For more tips please go to www.getprepared.gc.ca

The Rocky REA office will be closed October 10, 2016 for Thanksgiving



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