

## PATRONAGE CAPITAL RETURNED

This month Wabash is returning patronage capital. Eligible members will receive the refund as a credit on their December bill.

Patronage capital is the cooperative's margins, or money left after all bills have been paid. Wabash uses these margins for working capital. After being used as working capital, the money is returned to members as patronage capital refunds. Patronage represents each member's ownership, or equity in the cooperative. Patronage capital is allocated to members in proportion to the dollar amount of services used during that year.

This year we are returning patronage to those who used Wabash Mutual services in 1998. The amount represents 25% of the unretired patronage from 1998.

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## Holiday Open House

December 4th | 5:30-9:00 pm  
during Celina Midnight Gladness

- Free Photos with Santa
- Giveaways & Door Prizes
- Gift Certificates make great gifts!

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## Wabash Holiday Hours

Dec. 24 Christmas Eve - Open 8am - 12:00pm

Dec. 25 Christmas - Closed

Dec. 31 New Year's Eve - Open 8am - 12:00 pm

Jan. 1 New Year's Day - Closed

If you need assistance while we're closed please call our  
After Hours Dept. at 419.942.1111 and they'll help you.



# Scholarships Available

Wabash Mutual Telephone will give away \$3,000 in Scholarships to qualifying 2016 high school senior(s) who wish to further their education at any college, vocational or technical school. Applicants must be a child or legal ward of a Wabash Mutual Telephone member. Other provisions also apply.

Wabash Mutual Telephone is also excited to announce its continued participation in the National Telecommunications Cooperative Association's (NTCA) and Foundation for Rural Service (FRS) 2016 College Scholarship Program.

This year the program will offer 30 scholarships, with at least one per region for \$2,000. Wabash will contribute an additional \$500 to the scholarship, bringing the total one-time scholarship award to \$2,500. Students may also be eligible for four FRS Staurulakis Family Scholarships valued at \$5,000 each or two TMS Scholarships for \$1,500 each. The scholarship program is open to all graduating high school seniors from rural areas that receive local telecommunications service from Wabash Mutual Telephone. Other Provisions apply.

The deadline for both programs is March 1, 2016. For applications contact Wabash Mutual Telephone Company at 419-942-1111 or [info@wabash.com](mailto:info@wabash.com).



## Mullins Joins Staff



Chris Mullins joined our staff in May as an Outside Plant Technician. He graduated in 2004 from Waynesfield-Goshen High School. He enjoys hunting and spending time with his 2 year old son, Wyatt.

## Notice regarding AMC Networks

Wabash and 700 other companies nationwide are currently in negotiations with AMC Networks concerning renewal of a contract for networks such as AMC & WE tv. The contract expires on December 31, 2015. You are not at risk of losing these networks prior to the 31st because they must contractually provide the signals through this date. AMC Networks is demanding very significant rate increases and multiple channel additions. We intend to stand firm during negotiations, therefore you may see scrolls on these channels advising differently. Please be assured we are working to keep your video affordable. You can keep informed at [www.TVOnMySide.com](http://www.TVOnMySide.com), where you'll find timely and accurate information and solutions – such as other ways to watch these networks' shows.



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