

### MEMBER INFORMATION BULLETIN october 2023

"Taking Care of Our Member-Owners"



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## **Your Co-op is Calling**

From time to time, we may give you a call to inform you of system maintenance scheduled in your area.

# Save our number so you never miss an update! 817-444-3201



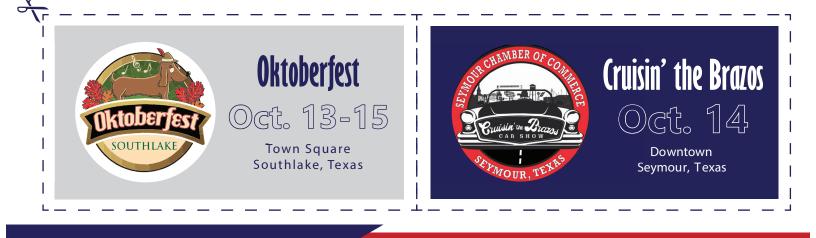
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## **UPCOMING MEMBER ENGAGEMENT EVENTS**

Tri-County Electric Cooperative will be attending community events in our service territory in an effort to reach more of our membership. This will provide you with one-on-one access with employees across departments in your co-op. Win bill credits and take home gifts when you visit our bright red tent and register. Bring the event ticket below to our booth and you will take home a member-exclusive gift. 1103100001

Check out the upcoming events below or visit tcectexas.com/MEE and find an event near you!





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### **ELECTRIC CO-OPS GROW FOR THE COMMUNITIES THEY SERVE**

October is National Co-op Month, and Tri-County Electric Co-op is joining cooperatives across the U.S. to celebrate. Co-ops come in all shapes and sizes, but they each have a common goal: to provide goods or services for the members of the co-op. 800928522

Electric co-ops, including Tri-County Electric Co-op, exist to serve their members. Our priority is to provide affordable, reliable energy to our local communities. Because we are led by you, the members we serve, we can evolve to meet your needs. This year, we have made ourselves more present in the communities we serve through Member Engagement Events. These events allow us the opportunity to personally engage with our members, resolve concerns, and answer questions on the spot. Visit *tcectexas.com/MEE* to see where we will pitch our big red tent next!

This October, as we celebrate Co-op month, we're focusing on the ways "Co-ops Grow" for their members.

**Co-ops Grow Communities:** Co-ops help communities grow by promoting economic empowerment, fostering community engagement, and supporting the unique needs of co-op members. "Concern for Community" is one of our core principles- and being community-focused is essential to everything we do. 39893001

**Co-ops Grow Together:** Co-ops are all about cooperation, not competition. That's why electric co-ops work together to share lessons learned, successful strategies, and better ways to serve our members. We're better when we grow together!

**Co-ops Grow Tomorrow's Leaders:** Electric co-ops serve as fertile ground for growing tomorrow's leaders through a variety of youth engagement programs. Whether through school demonstrations, community events or the Electric Cooperative Youth Tour program, we're committed to providing opportunities for local youth to learn and thrive in our community and beyond. 800791877

**Co-ops Grow for You:** At Tri-County Electric Co-op, your satisfaction is our number one goal. It's why we were formed many years ago to fulfill a uniquely local purpose. We've come a long way since then, and yours needs continue to evolve. That's why we'll never stop growing for you!



**Did you know?** There are more than 900 electric cooperatives in the nation that serve more than 42 million people and businesses.