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**FIND THE WAVES TO WIN!**

The waves from our logo have been hidden in a picture somewhere in this newsletter. Find them and call your local RTI office with the location to be entered into the "Winning the Wave" drawing for \$5.00 off your next bill. Congratulations to Ben Thurman from Idaho, and Lori Dillion, Gloria West and Mike White from Nehalem, Oregon for finding the waves in our last issue.



Join us at our RTI Nehalem or Pend Oreille office to enjoy free food and giveaways plus a prize drawing. We host these events every summer to express our appreciation to our loyal customers. We hope to see you there!

**RTI Nehalem's Annual Appreciation Day • Friday, July 19th from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.**

We'll celebrate by grilling up some hot dogs and serving chili, chips, salad and our famous Oregon Strawberry Shortcake. Bring your family and meet up with your friends. There will be giveaways for all attendees, plus you can enter to win one of our great prizes.

**RTI Pend Oreille's Annual Appreciation Day • Friday, July 26th from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.**

Start out Down River Days with some added fun at the RTI office in Lone, Washington. Things just wouldn't be the same without our summer event. We'll be serving up hamburgers and hot dogs along with side dishes. We'll also be handing out fun giveaways and having a prize drawing, so don't miss your chance to win!

**Red Rock's Annual Appreciation Day • September 13th**

More information to come!

**Antelope Valley's Annual Appreciation Day • September 14th**

More information to come!



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## STREAMING LETS YOU PLAY WITH OPTIONS

You could play movies on Netflix, play videos on YouTube, play local news on ViewLocal, or play any of the thousands of other options offered by streaming services. What's more, you'll pay less than cable or satellite TV subscriptions and enjoy the flexibility to watch what you want, when you want, on the device you want.

RTI offers ViewLocal for \$19.95/month, which streams over 30 channels including local ones to your TV, laptop, tablet or phone. Go to your app store to download the free ViewLocal app on your Android or iOS device.

Questions? Call our office at 888.366.7821.

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

### June

- 4th:** Chamber Meeting  
VFW Hall, 12-1 p.m.
- 7th:** Snake River Jackpot Livestock Show, Elmore Fairgrounds
- 7th:** Live Music at Crossings Winery, 7 p.m.
- 8th:** GF Alumni Baseball Game, 11-2 p.m., Smith and Uhl Fields
- 14th:** Live Music, Crossings Winery, 7 p.m.
- 15th:** Flea Market, Elmore County Fairgrounds
- 16th:** Happy Fathers Day
- 24th:** Book Club, 6-7 p.m., G.F. Library

### July

- 2nd:** Chamber Meeting
- 15th-20th:** Elmore County Fair Grounds
- 17th:** 2019 Fair and Rodeo Family Night, Carnival begins 5 p.m., Draft Horse Pull at 7 p.m.
- 18th:** JR Bull riding and Open Rodeo

### August

- 1st-30th: Simplify Your Life Month



## Congratulations to the 2019 RTI Scholarship Winners

Please join us in congratulating the 2019 recipients of RTI Scholarships! We look forward to seeing where these talented students go next in their educational pursuits and career paths.

Thanks to all who applied, and we wish everyone good luck in the years ahead.

\$1,000..... Benjamin Fristad, Selkirk, WA	\$250..... Mary Huttle, Selkirk, WA
\$500..... Mara Soans, Neah-Kah-Nie, OR	\$250..... Whitney Dawson, Selkirk, WA
\$500... Alexandria Woodward, Neah-Kah-Nie, OR	\$250..... Dixie Dee Esplin, Neah-Kah-Nie, OR

## To Reduce Bullying, Kids are Urged to be "Upstanders"



STOMP Out Bullying™ is the leading national bullying and cyberbullying prevention organization for kids in the U.S. One of its goals is to teach effective solutions on how bystanders can best respond when they witness bullying.

Bystanders often don't know what to do or they're afraid of retaliation, so they do and say nothing. STOMP Out Bullying wants to emphasize that when bystanders do nothing, they send a message to the bully that their behavior is acceptable.

**Instead of just being a bystander, kids are encouraged to stand up and be an "upstander."**

**This includes doing the following:**

- Don't laugh.
- Reach out in friendship to the victim.
- If you notice someone being isolated from others, invite them to join you.
- Don't encourage the bully.
- Tell an adult.

There is strength in numbers. After all, every school and every community has many more caring kids than bullies.

Visit [www.stompoutbullying.org](http://www.stompoutbullying.org) to learn more.



# We Now Offer Stand-Alone Broadband Service

You asked for it, and we listened. RTI has added stand-alone DSL broadband plans that have no phone line requirement. So if you just want internet service, you can get just internet service. Plus, these plans feature no data caps and no contract.

**Choose from these options:**

**40M/3M:** \$44.95/month with free install, Modem: \$75.00

**60M/5M:** \$54.95/month with free install, Modem: \$75.00

RTI also offers a standalone Fiber to the Home/Business plan with speeds of 100M/25M for \$94.95/ month. Its installation cost is \$225.00 and the modem is free.

**For more details or to sign up for a new plan, give us a call at 800.350.5036.**

## Be Prepared When Lightning Strikes

National Lightning Safety Awareness Week (the last week in June) was started in 2001 to call attention to this hazard and educate people on what to do to protect themselves. Since then, U.S. lightning fatalities have dropped from about 50 per year to about 30.

There is no safe place outside when thunderstorms are in the area. If you hear thunder, you are likely within striking distance of the storm. So remember this: "When Thunder Roars, Go Indoors!" Too many people wait too long to get to a safe place when thunderstorms approach.

A lightning bolt can carry billions of watts of electricity. If a strike would occur near your home, its powerful surge could damage your electronics and potentially injure you. To reduce your risk, unplug your computers, televisions, modems, and other electronics before bad weather hits. Also make sure your home has a corded landline phone that will continue to work even if the power goes out.

**RTI wants you to stay safe this season. For information about landline phone service, call 800.350.5036.**

## CHECK OUT OUR NEW LONG DISTANCE PACKAGES

RTI Nehalem has several new Connect Long Distance packages. We've consolidated our previous plans to create these:

**Connect 10:** This is our 10-cents-a-minute package.

**Connect 7:** This is our 7-cents-a-minute plan with an additional \$4.95/month fee.

**Connect Unlimited:** Pay \$19.95/month for unlimited calling in the lower 48 states.

**Call our office at 800.350.5036 for more information and to discuss which Connect Long Distance package would best fit your calling needs.**



## COMMUNITY EVENTS

**June**

**1st:** Nehakanhnie High School Graduation, 11 a.m. in gym

**7th:** Manzanita Farmers Market opens and continues through August, 5-8-p.m every Friday

**12th:** Last Day of School

**16th:** Happy Fathers Day

**July**

**4th:** Pancake Breakfast, 8-11 a.m., Old Manzanita Fire Hall, Parade at 1 p.m.

**19th:** RTI Nehalem Appreciation Day, 11-2 p.m., RTI parking lot

**August**

**7th-10th:** Tillamook County Fair





**WITH EBILLING,  
YOU CAN PAY IT  
YOUR WAY**

We're all looking for ways to make life a little easier, and one way RTI does that is by offering you free eBilling. With eBilling, you save time and money:

- No check writing or postage is necessary.
- View your current or past bills online anytime you want.
- Pay online in seconds with your credit or debit card.
- Enjoy security protections via your account number and password.
- No need to worry about lost or stolen paper statements.

In addition to eBilling, we also offer other convenient payment options so you can "pay it your way." Choose Automatic Payment to have your RTI bill amount automatically deducted from your chosen bank account each month—you don't have to do a thing! You can also make a credit or debit card payment over the phone by calling our office and providing your card number.

**To sign up for eBilling or get details on any of our bill payment options, visit or call 888.366.7821.**

**CELLULAR DEALS**

**New Subscriber Welcome Credit**

If you're a new subscriber, get a \$75 credit when you buy a 4G HD device from RTI. Existing customers receive a \$50 credit with the purchase of a new device.

**Extra Savings July 1st - 8th Only**

New customers get a \$200 CREDIT on any purchase of a new 4G HD device. Existing customers get a \$125 credit on the purchase of any pre-owned or new phone offered by RTI.

Call your local RTI office to learn more.

**Oregon:** 800.350.5036

**Washington:** 888.636.2840

**Idaho/Nevada:** 888.366.7821



# Netflix Recommends Internet Speeds of at Least 25 Mbps for Streaming in 4K

Let's start with the basics. Exactly what is 4K? Also known as Ultra HD, 4K refers to a TV resolution of 3,840 x 2,160 pixels. That's four times as many pixels than in a full HD TV—a total of about 8.3 million pixels. Having so many pixels results in a clearer, better defined picture with more detail and texture. Images on the screen appear lifelike, as though you're looking through a window.

While 4K has been buzzed about for years, the technology is now coming into its own. 4K has moved from being something for the tech-minded early adopters to an important new standard for average consumers.

Not only will you want to think about 4K the next time you purchase a new TV, you'll also want to consider it when selecting the speed of your home's internet plan. Netflix is promoting 4K on its streaming platform and to enjoy it fully, you need a fast internet connection. Why? Higher quality video uses more bandwidth than lower quality video.

According to its website, Netflix recommends a download speed of at least 25 Mbps for 4K/Ultra HD quality. But keep in mind that if several members of your family will be streaming in 4K on different devices simultaneously, you'll probably want more even more download speed. After all, no one likes to share inadequate bandwidth and see the buffering icon show up on the screen. When you want to enjoy a 4D movie or TV show, you want to enjoy it now.



Do you think you may need an internet upgrade to accommodate all of your online activities, including streaming in 4K? RTI offers a range of internet plans with download speeds up to 50 Mbps — all at affordable prices and backed by local service and support.

**For details on our internet plan availability and pricing, call 888.636.2840 or visit [www.rti.net](http://www.rti.net).**