

# Wired



2019



## GenerLink

### No Power, No Problem!

You can lessen the impact of a power outage by taking the time to prepare in advance. Give yourself peace of mind during any storm by ordering a GenerLink.

With GenerLink, using your portable generator during a power outage is EASY and SAFE. It eliminates the hassle of running multiple extension cords, or hiring an electrician to install a transfer switch.

For a list of compatible generators, more information or to ORDER a GenerLink, please contact our office: 780-349-3655.



### Important Dates:

Daylight Savings Starts  
March 10, 2019

**Please note our office will be closed on the following dates:**

February 18, 2019 for Family Day  
April 19, 2019 for Good Friday

## Are You Prepared?

Winter is upon us and being prepared can make a big difference. During an outage, you can be left without heating, lighting or running water. You should be prepared to take care of yourself and your family for a minimum of 72 hours. Visit [www.getprepared.gc.ca](http://www.getprepared.gc.ca) for information on how to prepare.

## Basic Emergency Kit

—Water—Manual Can-Opener —Canned Food —Generator—Flashlight  
—Batteries —Cash —First Aid Kit —Emergency Plan —Medication

## Energy Saving Tips

- Avoid heating your home more than necessary. Close vents and doors in unused rooms to prioritize the heated areas.
- Consider turning your thermostat down at night and adding an extra blanket to your bed to further reduce your energy consumption. Putting on a sweater instead of turning up the thermostat can also help reduce your consumption.
- Be sure to replace your furnace filter monthly as dirty filters reduce airflow and make your furnace work harder to keep your home warm.
- Take advantage of the sun on sunny days by opening window curtains to let in free heat. Ensure you close your curtains when the sun goes down to keep the warmth inside and the chill outside.
- Switch the direction of your ceiling fans to gently draw warm air up and avoid a chilly breeze from your fan.

## 2019 Distribution Tariff

Effective January 1, 2019 the Wild Rose REA Distribution Tariff will increase by 1%.

## 24 Hour Emergency (1-877-749-3655)

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## 2018 Member Feedback Survey

A big thank you to all the Members who completed the survey and provided us with valuable feedback on how to improve your experience with Wild Rose REA. Congratulations to Francis and Jeanne Nadeau on winning the \$100.00 prize from the Member Feedback Survey draw.

## 71st Anniversary Contest

Month	Winners
October	Mrs. K Durocher
November	Mr. D Nanninga
December	Mr. T.Snelgrove

All of these Members won a \$71.00 credit on their power bill. Please stay tuned to our website for details on how you can be entered for a chance to win a credit on your power bill!

## 72nd Anniversary Contest

Sign up for automatic withdrawals today and get entered for a chance to win a \$72.00 credit on your February 2019 power bill.

Like our Facebook and Twitter page for a chance to win a \$72.00 credit on your March 2019 power bill. Please stay tuned to our website and social media for further contest announcements in 2019.

## 2019 Scholarship

Applications for the 2019 scholarship and more information are available online at [www.wildroserea.com](http://www.wildroserea.com) and from our office.

The deadline to submit applications is March 1, 2019.

The successful recipients will be chosen and notified by April 1, 2019.

## 2019 Rural Roots Award

The Rural Roots Award was created to support the development of rural clubs, societies, community groups and or programs within our service area and highlight the enhancements these groups make within our community.

Applications are available online at [www.wildroserea.com](http://www.wildroserea.com) and from our office.

The deadline to submit applications is March 1, 2019. The successful recipients will be chosen and notified by April 1, 2019.

## Contact us

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(Except Holidays)

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