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Mary Peyton Mullin wins contest

Congratulations to Mary Peyton Mullin, a second grade student at Houston Academy, who was the first place winner in WEC's Christmas Card Drawing Contest! Her card was featured on the cover of WEC's December Alabama Living magazine and on WEC's annual Christmas card. Mary Peyton's parents are Philip and Amy Mullin of Dothan.

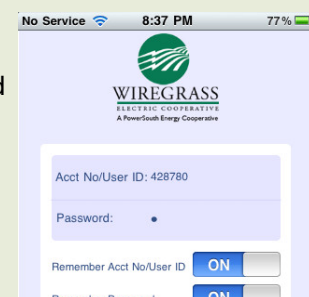
[Click here](#) to see all of the winners' drawings on WEC's website.



Mary Peyton Mullin

WEC has an app for that!

WEC recently rolled out our Mobile Apps for iPhone, iPad and Android that can be downloaded and installed on your compatible mobile device. Once downloaded (and it's free), the app will give you secure access to maintain your account information, to view your bills and your payment



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PAYMENT OPTIONS**BY MAIL:**

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Department 1340, P.O.
Box 2153, Birmingham,
AL 35287-1340

WEB SITE:

Payments may be made
24 hrs/day by Visa,
MasterCard, Discover,
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PHONE PAYMENTS:

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over the phone with the
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NIGHT DEPOSITORY:

Available at each office
location.

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8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Mon.-Fri.

HARTFORD OFFICE:

509 N. State HWY 167,
Hartford, AL 36344

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13148 W. State HWY 52,
Samson, AL 36477

ASHFORD OFFICE:

1066 Ashford Highway,
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6167
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36305

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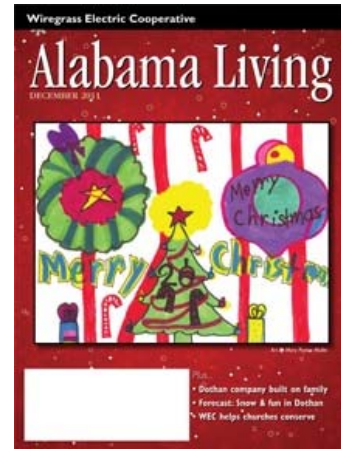
history, to manage your alerts and reminders, and to make
payments directly from your mobile device.

[Click here](#) for more information on WEC's Mobile App.

What can you find in December's Alabama Living Magazine?

[Click here to view the December
Magazine](#)

- Christmas card winners
- Baxley Blow Pipe, built on family
- Annual Meeting focuses on member satisfaction
- WEC helps churches save money by lowering electric demand



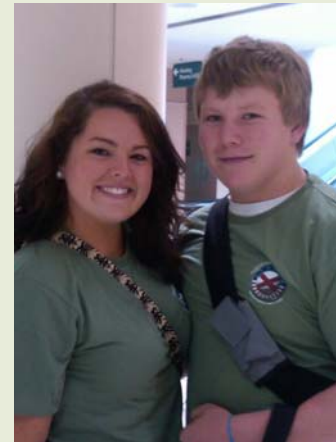
If it's **recipes** you're looking for, you can find them in the [digital issue](#). This month's recipes -- **Appetizers!**

High school juniors can apply for Youth Tours

Several high school juniors from WEC's service area will have the opportunity to attend the Rural Electric Youth Tours in 2012. Each year, WEC selects up to ten high school juniors to attend the Alabama Rural Electric Association (AREA) Youth Tour to Montgomery, to be held March 6-8, 2012.

From those ten, two are selected to attend the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association (NRECA) Youth Tour to Washington, DC, June 16-21, 2012.

[Get more information.](#)



Madison Hendrix and Aaron
McDaniels, 2011 Youth Tour to
Washington students

December Energy Saving Tip

**call the Houston
County Sanitation
Department at 334-
677-4705.**

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During the holiday season, consider using ENERGY STAR-qualified lights and strands to decorate. They use 70 percent less energy than regular lights and last up to 10 times as long. They also give off less heat, reducing the risk of fire.

Source: [U.S. Environmental Protection Agency \(ENERGY STAR\)](#)

CEO blog

Climbing New Heights and Beyond

by Michael S. McWaters

December 7, 2011

As I look over this past year at Wiregrass Electric, it amazes me what our employees have accomplished. Our emphasis this year for our Annual Report was "Climbing New Heights in Member Service." Our Annual Report cover featured a young man (the grandson of one of our employees) climbing a tree and looking to the top to see how far he could go.

It makes me think of Buzz Lightyear in "Toy Story" when he says, "To Infinity and beyond!"

I think WEC and our employees have done that this year -- and gone beyond! We haven't settled for just getting it done. We've pushed for getting it done -- and getting it done right -- and gone beyond to getting it done THE BEST!

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