

The Connection

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Manager's Moment with Jason Thiry



Recently I've noticed more people asking me questions about cell phone pricing, service, handsets. It seems a good majority of our customers believe the misconception that we have an inferior product which is simply not the case.

With the agreements we have in place, our customers have the same coverage as the major carriers. Our pricing is comparable, and in most cases, we are less expensive than the major carriers. In fact, we offer single phone plans, family plans, and corporate plans. Where we think we set ourselves apart from the major carriers

is the fact that we want to save you money on the plan you take. We see no reason to have one of our customers pay for 1000 minutes when they only use 300 in a month. We encourage our customers to choose plans based on their usage. Some of the features or plans we offer include: single texting plans, family texting plans, texting block, picture text block, and Data plans. We offer a variety of cell phones including iPhones and Droids, as well as, flip phones for customers that don't require or want a smart phone. Please contact us for pricing or more information.

Cell Phone Prices

Single Plans	Family Share Plans
National 0 \$15.00	500 Unlimited \$50.00
Anytime 200 \$26.00	700 Unlimited \$59.00
National 300* \$31.00	1000 Unlimited \$69.00
National 450* \$38.99	1400 Unlimited \$79.00
National 900* \$58.99	2100 Unlimited \$99.00
National 1200* \$69.99	3000 Unlimited \$139.00
Unlimited Plan* \$99.00	4000 Unlimited \$189.00
	6000 Unlimited \$289.00
	Additional Line \$9.99

*3000 nights & weekends

Other Charges	Text Plans
Activation 25.00	Text Bundle 100 \$5.00
Early Termination \$175.00	Text Bundle 200 \$6.00
	Text Bundle 1000 \$11.00
	Unlimited Text \$20.00
	Unlimited Family Text plan \$30.00



March Dates to Remember
Daylight Savings Time Begins- March 10
Presho St. Patricks Day- March 16
Good Friday- KTC Closing at Noon March 29





Charley Bowar retires from Kennebec Fire Department



After 51 years of service, Charley Bowar retired from the Kennebec Fire Department

To show their appreciation, his fellow firemen awarded him with a plaque and the original application he submitted back in January of 1962.

Charley started his firefighting career with the Reliance fire department and later switched to the Kennebec Fire Department.

Charley was working at Mertens Chevrolet when he

joined the fire department. He felt he was doing something worthwhile for the community!

Charley has many fond memories of fighting fire, he always enjoyed getting in his truck and working with the other firemen to put out a fire.

One of his proudest days, was when his son, Rod, joined the fire department. At that time Charley had been a member for 18 years, but he still remembers it like it happened yesterday. Chaz, Charley's grandson joined 45 years after Charley, this was another proud moment for Charley, having three generations serving on the Volunteer Fire Department all at the same time.

Rodeo Season is upon us. Keep an eye on your horses as you travel by installing Cameras in your trailer!

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The National Do-Not-call Registry was established to offer you a choice about receiving telemarketing calls at home. Registering will stop most telemarketing calls, but it will not stop calls from certain non-profit and political organizations and calls from organizations with which you have established a business relationship.

Consumers can register residential telephone numbers, and their wireless numbers on the National Do-Not-call Registry by telephone or on the web at no cost. The number will be on the Do-Not-call list the day after registration; however, telemarketers have up to 31 days to remove the number from their call lists. You may register up to three numbers at one time if you register through the web site. If you are registering via the telephone, you may register only the phone you are calling from.

Your registration will not expire. Telephone numbers placed on the National Do Not Call Registry will remain on it permanently due to the Do-Not-Call Improvement Act of 2007, which became law in February 2008. Read more about it at <http://www.ftc.gov/opa/2008/04/dncfyi.shtm>.



HOW ABOUT CHECKING ON THE COWS FROM HOME?

Calving season is here; long cold nights of checking cows. Could a monitoring system be just what you are looking for?

Why not install a system in your calving barn to help you watch what is going on from your home or any wireless device, such as a smart phone or tablet?

TCS offers a DVR, 8 outdoor, night cameras, and installation. Wireless camera's and advanced installation are available if needed. The 8 channel DVR makes it possible to check your cameras from a TV, computer, or smartphone.

Let us find a solution to make your calving season less stressful for you and your cattle. Call us for a free quote to see how we can help you!

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CONGRATULATIONS

Well, the 2013 Business Appreciation and Farm and Home Show are now in the books. Thanks to everyone who stopped by our booths at both of the events! It's always great to visit face to face with everyone and find out what we can do to help you out in person!

If you were unable to attend these events, you may have missed out on picking up your new directory pages. They are available to be picked up in the office, or we can mail them out or drop them off at your home, simply call us to have them delivered!

Here are the lucky winners from our drawings at the Business Appreciation and Farm and Home Shows:

Kennebec T&C Business Appreciation Winners

Marie Houchin	Lorlen Robbins
Shelli Collins	Mark Halvorson
Francis Milnar	Carmen Miller
Sony Manger	Jade Collins

Presho Area Chamber Farm & Home Show Winners

Grace Wise	Merle Aamot
Chevelle Brakke	Bryson Muirhead
Jeanine Patrick	Donna Hupp
Briar Rose Schweitzer	

Our mission is to provide the highest quality telecommunications and information service to our customers at an affordable price. We will strive to offer prompt, friendly, and dependable service along with the latest technology to attain the highest possible customer satisfaction.

If you would like more information or have questions about anything in this newsletter, feel free to contact us at 605-869-2220.