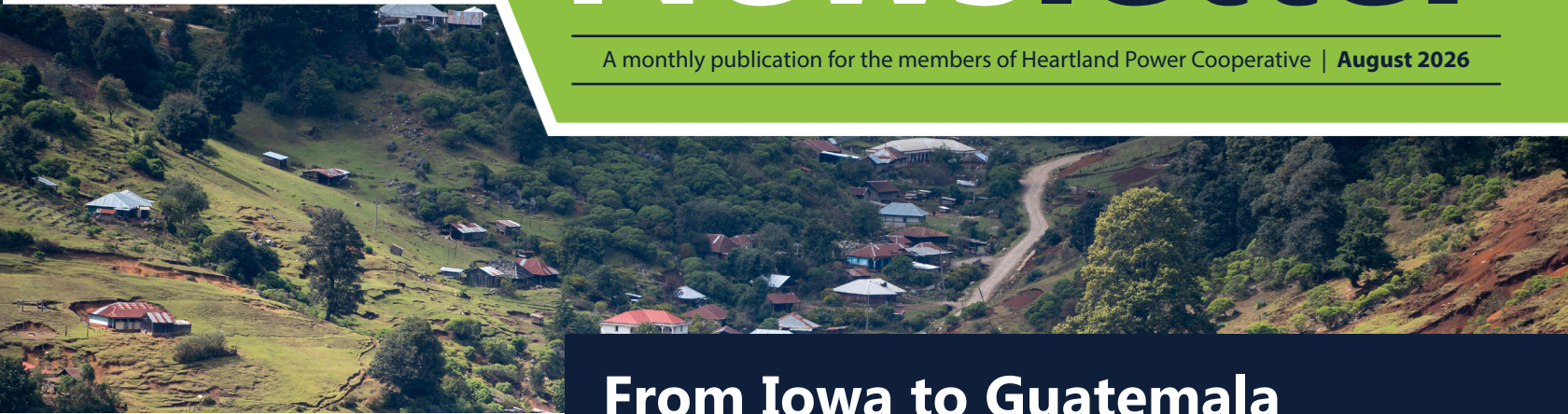




Thank You for Celebrating with Us at Our Member Appreciation and Open House Event!

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Member Appreciation and Open House on August 3 at Heartland Power Cooperative's new Thompson facility. It was a pleasure welcoming members for an evening of food, community, and fun.

Members enjoyed a delicious meal, ice cream, bucket truck rides, prize drawings, facility tours, and the opportunity to meet with Heartland Power employees and directors. We were grateful for the chance to celebrate with our members and showcase our new facility, which will help us continue providing safe, reliable service for years to come.

Watch our September newsletter for more event photos, prize winner announcements, and additional highlights!

A Smooth Harvest Begins Now

Planning to upgrade your grain drying system before fall? Let us know! We'll make sure your transformer and electrical system are properly sized to handle the additional load, helping ensure a safe, efficient, and successful harvest.

From Iowa to Guatemala

Heartland Power Lineman Heads to Guatemala for International Electrification Project



In September, HPC lineman Jackson Rice will join a team of 18 linemen from electric cooperatives in Colorado, Iowa and Oklahoma on a mission to Guatemala through Energy Trails.

Together, the crew will bring electricity for the first time to nearly 100 homes, a school, and a new medical center in the rural Guatemalan villages of Montenegro and El Estocal. Once power is in place, the team will also complete a

community service project to upgrade the school's kitchen and supply the new health center.

We are incredibly proud to have Jackson represent Heartland Power Cooperative and our communities on this meaningful mission.

Help Cheer Jackson On!

Our youngest members can be part of the adventure by decorating a special "Flat Jackson" coloring page. Simply color Jackson, cut him out, and return it to Heartland Power by September 10. Jackson will take the artwork with him to Guatemala as a reminder of the encouragement and support from home.

Coloring pages are available on the back of this newsletter and at our Heartland Power Cooperative offices, or download a printable copy from our website at www.heartlandpower.com/guatemala.

Be sure to follow along this fall as we share updates and photos from Jackson's journey. We can't wait to take you along for the adventure!

Follow the Oklahoma Energy Trails Foundation Facebook page to stay updated on the team's journey and learn more about the project.



Jackson Rice
Heartland Power Lineman



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MONTHLY QUIZ

\$25 BILL CREDIT WINNER

Wayne & Gina McClintock of
Charles City, IA

THIS MONTH'S QUESTION

What is something you found
interesting in this newsletter?

QUIZ GUIDELINES

Each member who sends in the
correct answer by the 20th of
the month will be entered in a
drawing for a \$25 bill credit. Mail
or email quiz answers to energy@
heartlandpower.com.

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**Follow along with
Jackson's journey on
our Facebook page!**

Did you know?

- Guatemala is home to more than 30 volcanoes, and some are still active!
- People in Guatemala speak Spanish, but there are also more than 20 Mayan languages spoken there!
- Guatemala has jungles, mountains, lakes, and beaches all in one country.

