



Lakefield Communicator

"Keeping you online"

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411

Dial 411 and get ANY number ANYWHERE in the USA and Canada and if you wish, you can even get connected* to your party. Lakefield offers 411 for all your directory assistance needs. 411 is the quick and easy way to get.

- Local Numbers
- National Numbers
- 800 Numbers

Save Money - it's only .75 cents per call! No fussing with area codes - simply dial 411!

Milestone Reached

In May 2005, Lakefield Communications surpassed 2,500 access lines in the Two Rivers exchange. To commemorate this achievement, General Manager Phil Nass and Customer Service Supervisor Laura Meyer, presented a plaque to "Maretti's on Jefferson" recognizing them as our 2,500th access line in service. We are proud to have reached this Milestone and welcome Maretti's to the Two Rivers area. Through the diligence of our dedicated staff and with the continued support of our fine customers, Lakefield will strive to reach ever higher plateaus in all it's service territories.



Pictured (L to R) front row: Greg Buckley, Two Rivers City Manager; Phil Nass, Lakefield Communications General Manager; Stephanie of Maretti's on Jefferson; Laura Meyer, Lakefield Communications Customer Service Supervisor
Back Row: Dan Pawlitzke, City of Two Rivers Economic Development Supervisor; Lee Brocher of Maretti's on Jefferson

Manitowoc County Fair



Back by popular demand, Lakefield will again be providing free wireless internet access to fair patrons and vendors inside the Business Expo building during the week of the fair. This WiFi Hotspot will be 802.11b and 802.11g compatible - the two premier technologies for providing wireless access. Please call our office to reserve your WiFi Hotspot.

2005-2006 Telephone Directories

Lakefield's 2005-2006 Telephone Directories have arrived! If you would like additional copies please stop in at either of our offices in Two Rivers or Newtonburg!



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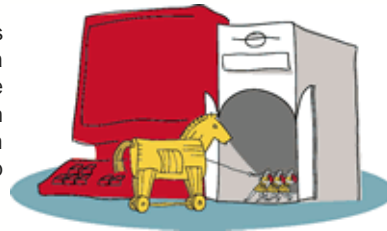
Internet Customers be Aware!

A "dialer" is software that gets installed on your computer and has the ability to make phone calls from your computer, if you have a modem, without your knowledge. These programs will connect to other computers, using your phone line. These numbers are long distance and you get charged for the amount of time your computer is connected to it.

How do you get dialers? This software can be installed via programs downloaded off the internet, through cookies when you connect to a site, or from site popups that ask you to install something.

Programs downloaded off the internet are generally free, as they know the revenue from the information gathered will offset the cost of giving it for free. You can read the privacy policy of a piece of software before you download

it. This will note that software will be installed on our computer that gathers information about your activities and is sent back to the software company. At this point it is your choice if the usefulness of the software outweighs your loss of privacy. Dialers are almost always installed by going to a site where you see a popup indicating you must have this new piece of software that only they can provide to you. The most common scams are:



- Pop up saying you have a security hole click here to fix it.
- Software to enable you to connect to sites faster.

- You have open ports on your computer! Click to download utility to fix it.
- Ads that say they can make your computer run faster.

Even though these programs can install themselves on your computer via these methods, that does not mean you should panic! *What it does mean is that you should pay attention to what you click on and read the fine print.* Even more important, you should add a Spyware scanning and removal software, like Spybot, into your routine for protecting your computer along with virus scanning.

Contact the Lakenet Internet Department @ 758-2210 or 553-2210 for information on software that is available for detection and removal of dialers and other harmful programs.

Lakefield DSL Rates Reduced

Choose from Penny Saver & Penny Saver Plus packages. Great long distance packages for those customers who average over 60 minutes of long distance a month. Combine any Penny Saver Package with DSL & receive an even greater savings!

TALK AND SURF THE WEB AT THE SAME TIME

Landline Residential DSL Plans		
Download/Upload Speed	Monthly cost without Penny Saver Plan	Monthly cost with Penny Saver Plan
256K/128K	\$32.95	n/a
768K/512K	\$39.95	\$32.95
1.5M/512K	\$47.95	\$42.95

WE HAVE A PLAN FOR EVERY BUDGET

Dial Up Internet Rates		
\$9.95	Per Month	15 Hours of Access
\$17.95	Per Month	Unlimited Access
\$105.00*	Every 6 Months	Unlimited Access
\$175.00*	Every 12 Months	Unlimited Access

*includes tax
 State and Federal taxes may apply

The Truth About Cell Phones and the National Do Not Call Registry

If you've received an e-mail telling you that your cell phone is about to be assaulted by telemarketing calls as a result of a new cell phone number



database, rest assured that this is not the case. FCC regulations prohibit telemarketers from using automated dialers to call cell phone numbers. Automated dialers are standard in the industry, so most telemarketers are barred from calling consumers on their cell phones without their consent. The federal government does not maintain a national cell phone regis-

try. Personal cell phone users have always been able to add their number to the National Do Not Call Registry- the same Registry consumers use to register their landlines. For more information, or to learn about the National Do Not Call Registry and the rules that enforce it, visit the FTC at www.ftc.gov or the FCC at www.fcc.gov.

Time & Temperature

Lakefield offers current time and temperature announcements. One more community service provided by Lakefield Your Communications Family Dial 758-0123 or 553-0123 - 24 hours a day - 7 days a week!

Accurate Payment Processing

With the recent increase of on-line Bill Payment Services, please remember to include your full account number (found on the upper right corner of your bill statement) on your check. Having this vital information will ensure speedy processing of your payment. For those customers that do not use an on-line payment service, but choose to pay

directly, please remember to include your remittance copy, or write your full account number on your check. Having a partial account number, no phone number, or a different name on the check than the remittance copy, can slow down the payment process, causing a delay in posting the payment to your account. Lakefield offers a free on-

line bill payment service and automatic withdrawal from your checking and savings account, or a credit card. For more information on these and other services, visit our website at www.lakefield.net or call us at 758-2211 or 553-2211.



Residential Wire maintenance

Wire Maintenance essentially serves as insurance for your residential telephone service and covers the wiring and jacks in your home. Lakefield recommends that customers choose the Wire Maintenance Plan at \$2.95 per month to avoid possible costly repair charges in the future. It's important to remember that a very small monthly fee could save you time, money and hassle if you experience service problems and require repairs. With our Residential Wire Maintenance Plan there are no additional charges to repair your service however should our technician determine the cause of the outage to be in your customer owned telephone, associated equipment or

* sub-standard wiring, Lakefield will charge a **Service Call of \$25.00** and **Maintenance Labor of \$55.00 per hour with a ½ hour minimum.**



The technician will disconnect your customer owned equipment or faulty wiring to restore your telephone service. At that time, you can determine if you want our technician to repair or replace that faulty wiring or jack.

Should you experience a service outage and have tested all of your telephones and associated equipment, call our business office at 758-2211 or 553-2211 to request a Lakefield technician to repair your service. Please remember to leave a call back number with our 24-hour answering service. Jack Installations for Residential and Single Line Business Customers are \$75.00 ** for the first jack and \$50.00 each additional jack within the same building.

*Lakefield reserves the right to deny certain claims based upon a pre-existing wiring condition or wires placed by the homeowner or contractor that, in our opinion, are sub-standard and causing your network outage.
** Installations are subject to tax and additional charges may apply for extraordinary circumstances.



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Are you missing calls?

To avoid missing calls use Lakefield's Call Forwarding!

-  **Reduces missing important calls.**
-  **Calls follow you wherever you go.**
-  **Enhances home security when you are away.**

Simply dial *72, listen for three beeps and a dial tone. Enter the number you wish your calls to be forwarded to, press # and your calls will be forwarded. (Long Distance/ECC charges may apply)

When you return home cancel the Call Forwarding by dialing *73 and your calls will again come to your home.

Cost: Only \$2.95 per month.

Ask about *Remote Activation* of this feature!

For a limited time only the \$10.00 one-time service charge will be waived! Offer valid until August 31st, 2005

Recipe Corner

Strawberry Spinach Salad

Dressing:

- 1 lemon
- 2 TBL white wine vinegar
- 1/3 cup sugar
- 1 TBL vegetable oil
- 1 tsp poppy seeds

Salad:

- 1 6 oz. pkg Baby Spinach
- 1/4 small red onion sliced
- 1/2 medium cucumber sliced
- 1 1/2 cup strawberries - hulled and sliced
- 1/4 cup slivered almonds toasted

Toss salad ingredients together in a large salad bowl. Zest the lemon to get 1/2 tsp lemon zest, use the juice of the lemon to equal 2 TBL. Add the rest of the dressing ingredients together and pour over greens - toss together. Chill.

Submitted by:
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*A fresh, light, lunch idea,
on a hot summer day...*

