



Idaho Falls Power College Scholarships

Congratulations to the 10 local high school students who earned an Idaho Falls Power \$500 college scholarship for demonstrating and developing strong leadership skills.

Each year, Idaho Falls Power sponsors local high school students at the annual Idaho Community-Owned Utilities Association (ICUA) Youth Rally event in Caldwell. At the rally students have the opportunity to earn scholarship money and gain valuable leadership skills. IFP has participated in the annual ICUA Youth Rally since 1987 and awarded thousands of dollars in college scholarships to local youth. Unfortunately, due to COVID-19, the annual event was canceled for 2021. However, Idaho Falls Power is committed to sponsoring our future leaders, and thus opted to still provide local youth the opportunity to earn college scholarship money. Applicants were subsequently asked to submit an essay on the topic of leadership qualities and how they are developing their qualities to become effective leaders.

Students awarded scholarships include:

- Maria Aquino – Compass Academy High School
- Alexis Burton – Idaho Falls High School
- Ruth Huskinson – Compass Academy High School
- Kailey Johnson – Compass Academy High School
- Isaac Maynes – Idaho Falls High School
- Wyatt Nilsson – Compass Academy High School

- Adelyn Smith – Skyline High School
- Hannah Twitchell – Skyline High School
- Lindi Wilcox – Skyline High School
- Audrey Yorgason – Idaho Falls High School

Congratulations to all our scholarship winners!

GONE FISHIN'

Help your children make some lasting memories this summer by taking them fishing! Idaho Falls Power's Children's Fishing Pond is again stocked with trout and open for the season.

This beautiful fishing area and pond is located on the east side of the Snake River about a quarter mile below our Gem State Plant. The five-acre pond is open to children 14 and under, eight-and-a-half months of the year.

The pond is stocked three times throughout the summer with a variety of fish.

Plus, while waiting to catch a fish, people can keep an eye out for a variety of bird species as nesting platforms, trees and grassland help preserve the area to allow for nesting waterfowl.

The pond can be accessed via U.S. Highway 91, then west on Canyon Road (97th South). Watch for signs. An unpaved road turns north of Canyon Road, and runs about one mile to a parking lot south of the pond. Access to the riverbank for fishing and launching small boats is also provided just south of the parking lot.



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The Idaho Falls
Fiber Network is now

available to more than 8,000 homes and construction is going full force to open additional neighborhoods this summer. With this fast-paced momentum, Idaho Falls Fiber (IFF) is closer and closer to achieving its goal of opening the fiber network to every single Idaho Falls resident!

As more and more neighborhoods open up to the fiber network, we continue to field a number of questions regarding the fiber network. Here's some answers to many of our most frequently asked questions.

Q. What is the Fiber Optic Network?

A. Basically, it's internet service. But, if you want the technical answer, fiber optic line is a thin strand (a fiber) of glass that transmits data the speed of light. Residential customers will enjoy speeds up to one gigabyte down AND up. The connection is yours and you'll never lose speed through shared connection.

Q. Is the Fiber Optic Network available in my neighborhood?

A. The best way to find out availability is to check out the interactive map at www.idahofallsfiber.com. This map is regularly updated to show where we are,

and who is next. If we aren't in your neighborhood, we hope to be soon. The goal is to reach everyone by 2024.

Q. What's the hold up?

A. We understand it's hard to wait for better internet. We want to finish it as soon as possible, but building a complex, quality fiber optic network takes time. Miles of conduit, fiber cable and other infrastructure must be constructed, installed, and strung in neighborhoods. Not to mention hand splicing thousands of strands of delicate fiber to ensure each home has its own dedicated connection.

Q. How much does it cost?

A. The costs start at \$59.99 a month for service. For a complete cost breakdown, and a look at our internet service provider's offerings, visit the website at www.idahofallsfiber.com. Don't forget, installation is FREE!

Q. How can I sign up?

A. Signing up is easy! Visit the website, www.idahofallsfiber.com, and hit the sign up today button at the top of the homepage. Enter your address and place your order. If you have questions about the sign-up process, contact at 208-612-8725. We're more than happy to help you connect to the fiber network.

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