



Please note: This tour is available only for students whose parents or legal guardians receive electricity from Lake Country Power — a benefit of co-op membership.

Application for Electric Cooperative Youth Tour June 13 - 18, 2023

7 Questions

1. In one or two sentences, what is your impression of Lake Country Power?
2. What are your favorite school subjects, activities and achievements?
3. What are your hobbies, talents, special interests and community activities?
4. What are your future plans?
5. In your own words, what is an electric cooperative?
6. In your opinion, what is the best way to reach today's high school students?
7. How did you learn about the Electric Cooperative Youth Tour opportunity?

Essay: What makes you a good candidate to represent Lake Country Power on the Electric Cooperative Youth Tour, and what do you expect to gain from this experience? (Suggested length is 100 - 200 words).

Youth Tour Requirements:

- 1. This opportunity is only available for students whose parent/legal guardians receive electricity from Lake Country Power. The Electric Cooperative Youth Tour is a benefit of co-op membership.
- 2. Must be a high school sophomore or junior during the 2023-2024 school year.
- 3. Must be available to participate in the dates and full schedule of the Electric Cooperative Youth Tour in Washington, D.C., which is June 13 18, 2023.
- 4. Must be able to ride in a vehicle or bus for up to 12 hours (with breaks) in a single day.
- 5. Must be able to fly in an airplane and provide a valid Minnesota driver's license or Minnesota state-issued ID card.
- 6. Must agree to be photographed while on the Youth Tour, and must grant permission for cooperative use in publications, social media, websites, media, etc.
- 7. Must be available following the Youth Tour for a scheduled video-recorded interview with Lake Country Power staff. Video will be presented at the annual meeting, on You Tube, social media and the co-op's website.
- 8. Applicant may be invited to attend a Lake Country Power Board Meeting in July or August to recap their Youth Tour experience and gained knowledge of electric cooperatives to our senior staff and board of directors.

I understand that if I am selected:

 If an unforeseen situation happens and I am not able to fulfill my obligation to attend, I must notify Lake Country Power by March 31 so an alternate may be considered.

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Cooperative Youth Tour with Lake Country Power. I give them permission to enter this contest and to abide by each of the requirements. I also understand that if he/she wins, I will be responsible to bring them to the Twin Cities for the tour and will pick them up upon return from the tour.

Students must report to the Crowne Plaza Airport, 3 Appletree Square, Bloomington, Minnesota for an orientation meeting on June 13 at 9:30 a.m. An early afternoon flight from the MSP airport will follow.

Email application to Lake Country Power at tzaun@lcp.coop.

Student e-signature _____

Email a portrait of yourself (class picture) to tzaun@lcp.coop.

Student must meet the application deadline, which is by 11:59 p.m. on February 20, 2023.

Thank you, and good luck!