

HomeTel connections

Summer 2006



HomeTel Celebrates 100 Years of Service Come Celebrate With Us!



It's our 100th year of service to the community and we invite you to join us for a carnival in the park!

Saturday, August 12 St. Jacob Park

- 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Car Show
- Noon - 4 p.m. music, food, & other activities
- Goody bags and attendance prizes
- Free to HomeTel customers



Come to the park, get your wristband, and enjoy a day packed with food, fun, music and activities for the entire family. Everything is free for HomeTel customers. It's our way of saying thank you for your business and support over the past 100 years.

Food: Select from pronto pups, Italian sausages, ice cream, kettle corn, water and soda

Activities: Inflatable slide and bounce house, clown, face painting

Entertainment: Elvis Tribute Artist, Shawn Klush, along with a full band, The Ambassadors

Car Show: The car show is open to all participants. Cars will be judged and prizes will be awarded. There are 100 openings, so register now by emailing carshow@hometel.com.

Do you watch TV? Are you sick of gas prices? Sign up for HomeTel TV and receive a \$25 gas card!

If you are a current HomeTel TV customer, upgrade your service and receive a \$25 gas card.

HomeTel TV offers more than 220 channels including top rated cable channels, 10 local channels, news, sports, weather, pay-per-view movies and events, and family-oriented programming. HomeTel is the best choice for Cable TV - the channels you want, one-bill, and local customer service. We even provide a discount on Cable TV services when you subscribe to other HomeTel services. Check out our channel lineup and programming packages at www.hometel.com.

To take advantage of the offer, call our office today!

Offer expires August 31, 2006. Special not available for Basic only subscriptions.



World's Best Elvis Tribute Artist to Visit St. Jacob

HomeTel is proud to bring world-renown Elvis Tribute Artist, Shawn Klush, to perform on August 12, at St. Jacob Park as part of HomeTel's day long anniversary celebration.



Shawn has recorded two CDs and performed with Elvis' closest friends, musicians, and singers. He recently portrayed Elvis in the hit TV miniseries "Shake, Rattle and Roll" which aired on CBS and VH1.

In 2005, Shawn became grand champion at the World Elvis Tribute Artist Competition. This year he received The Peoples Choice Award from Gibson Guitar Co in Nashville as "Best Concert Elvis."

Don't miss this opportunity to see Shawn Klush live in St. Jacob Park... "The Closest Thing to the King in Concert."



501 North Douglas Street
St. Jacob, IL 62281

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Now Available - Automatic Bill Payment!

How Automatic Bill Payment Works

When you sign up for Automatic Bill Payment, you'll get your HomeTel statement in the mail as you do now.

Then, your monthly bill amount will automatically be deducted from your bank account on the 25th, or next business day, of each month.

That gives you plenty of time to review your statement before payment is made.

For your records, the amount paid will be reflected on your monthly bank statement. Of course, your HomeTel bill also shows the exact amount you need to deduct from your balance, so there's absolutely no guesswork.

Now bill paying has become even easier! Sign up for HomeTel's Free Automatic Bill Payment and leave the rest to us! Sign-up today and get a free travel mug!!!



No Risk, No Obligation

You can sign up for Automatic Bill Payment as long as you have an account with a financial institution that processes electronic debits. There's no start-up fee, and there's no charge each time a payment transfer is made.

Sign Up Now

Complete the sign-up form, available online at <http://www.hometel.com> or contact the HomeTel office to have a form sent to you.

Payment by credit/debit card and online payment is also available.

Contact HomeTel for more information.

The Home Telephone Co. Family Keeps On Growing!



Ethan Schmidt, son of Eric and Ronda Schmidt, was born on April 13, 2006. Ethan joins big sister, Madeleine. Congratulations Eric and Ronda!

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