

GVTC PARTY LINE

GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC.

JUNE 2003

JUNE PROMOTIONS

Security

Free activation in June for new GVCS Security monitoring customers - \$60 Savings! License# B03287

HEB Coupons

 **Guadalupe Valley Telephone Cooperative**
Voice Mail - \$3.00 for 3-months
(830) 885-4411 or 1-800-367-4882
Valid only with coupon. Exp. 08/31/03.
\$5.00 activation applies.
Certain restrictions may apply
Valid only for new subscribers.

Watch for GVTC Voice Mail & Security monitoring discount coupons located on the cash register tapes at the Boerne, Bulverde, New Braunfels and Seguin HEB stores. Great Savings!

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO THIS YEAR'S ANNUAL MEETING.

WE'LL SEE YOU THERE.



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Last Year's Meeting



GVTC To Refund Almost 4.3 Million Dollars in Capital Credits

Guadalupe Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc.'s (GVTC's) 48th Annual Meeting will highlight the return of almost \$4,300,000.00 in capital credits to its members. Mark your calendar and join us for an enjoyable evening.

This will be the first occasion for members to hear Mr. Charles J. Knibbe, GVTC Chairman of the Board, report on the company's performance in 2002, along with an insightful preview on what to expect in upcoming months.

Active memberships, with service during the years 1988 through 2001, may collect capital credit checks that evening prior to the onset of the Annual Meeting. To collect a check at the meeting, members are required to have working GVTC telephone service along with a copy of their annual meeting notice. Capital credit checks may only be released to the person whose name appears on the membership account. Due to the size of distribution, over 40,000 checks, they are not available at any of the GVTC office locations. Capital credit checks for memberships without active telephone service to be mailed after the first week in July.

Capital credit checks are a constant reminder to members of how GVTC is all about serving the customer. Once again, GVTC is giving back over four million dollars to the membership. You see, when you choose GVTC you're becoming more than a customer; you're choosing to be an owner-member in the Cooperative. So when you're given a choice for telephone, cable television, Internet access and other services, choose wisely, choose Guadalupe Valley Telephone Cooperative.

\$2,000.00 in Cash Attendance Prizes
Product & Service Booths

Great Fellowship
Refreshments

GVTC Offices will be closed on Monday, May 26, 2003 in observance of Memorial Day. All GVTC & GVCS offices will close at 2 PM on Wednesday, June 25, 2003 for the GVTC Annual Meeting.

WE'LL KEEP AN EYE ON THINGS... EVEN WHILE YOU ARE AWAY.

Crime remains a top concern for business and home owners. Why not gain the peace of mind that comes from knowing your property is protected? That's where Guadalupe Valley Communications Systems (GVCS) Security Monitoring comes in.

GVCS Security Monitoring is a division of GVCS Security, a wholly owned subsidiary of Guadalupe Valley Telephone, the largest telephone cooperative in the state of Texas. We not only have the stability and trustworthiness of this 47 year old company behind us, but we have proven security credentials. #062301 Since 1985, Texas Hill Country customers have relied upon security services from GVCS Security. We're cost-effective, experienced, alert and responsive.

PLACE YOUR TRUST IN PROFESSIONALS

- Highly-trained professional monitoring staff
- A commitment to acquiring reliable, state-of-the-art technology.
- A high staff to customer ratio that enables us to maintain focus.
- Flexible service options
- One of the best rapid response times in the industry.
- Round the clock, 24/7 monitoring
- Uninterrupted service achieved through redundant systems and facilities.
- GVCS Security is certified to meet the stringent UL rating standards.

For a full range of reliable, easy-to-use business and home owner security products, you can always call on your neighbors over at Guadalupe Valley.

With residential monitoring packages starting as low as \$20.95 per month, there's no reason to wait.

Call our office at 830 885-2250 or toll free at 800 835-4827, during the month of June, and we'll connect you for free.* That's a \$60 Savings!

License# B03287

* New customers only



CALL BEFORE YOU DIG

Don't make an expensive mistake!

Summer is the perfect time to landscape the yard, add a sprinkler system, a new pool or add that new edition to the home or business.

Before you dig on private property or public lands, call 1-800-DIG-TESS (1-800-344-8377) for a free utility locate. Make the call at least 48 hours before you excavate.

You could save yourself the cost of a major line repair, service interruption, injury and costly liabilities. So, call before construction starts to prevent serious inconveniences to yourself and your neighbors.



STAY CONNECTED DURING POWER OUTAGES



By keeping a standard telephone handy, one that operates without a power adaptor, you can stay connected even when the power goes out. Remember, cordless telephones, and some telephones with display panels will not function during a power failure.

Most answering machines do not work without power. #000016 If your messages are important to you, consider subscribing to GVTC Voice Mail. Your messages are protected by our backup system.

Find Your LUCKY NUMBER!

Two lucky member numbers are hidden in this issue of Party Line. Find YOUR member number after a # sign in the text of this newsletter and you're a winner! The number must match your member number (from your GVTC statement). This month GVTC is giving each of the two winners a \$20.00 GVTC Gift Certificate, to be applied to your phone bill. If you are a winner in this newsletter call Mrs. Janet S. Sczech, Manager Sales & Marketing at GVTC: (830) 885-4411 or toll-free 1 (800) 367-4882.