



# PowerNotes

## Thanks for Sharing the Warmth this Winter

Through your generosity, hundreds of people will stay warm this winter, no matter how cold it gets outside. You helped raise more than \$144,500 for Project Help.

Project Help assists low-income, elderly and disabled customers with their heating costs. Customers sign up to donate a dollar or more a month, with 100 percent of the contributions going directly to those in need.

Sign up online at [nespower.com/project\\_help.aspx](http://nespower.com/project_help.aspx) or call 736-6900. Funds are distributed by Big Brothers of Nashville.



## Where Are Your Energy Dollars Going? Find Out With PowerWise

NES' free online bill analyzer tool helps customers evaluate where their home's energy dollars are going each month.



After you enter your NES account number and complete a short home profile, PowerWise will create a personalized energy analysis of your home. These calculations take into consideration your billing history, the efficiency of your home, impacts due to weather, and TVA rate changes.

By taking a closer look at your account, you can find out why your energy costs were different from last month or last year, or learn tips on how to save energy that are tailored to your usage patterns.

To learn more, look for the insert in this month's bill or visit [nespower.com](http://nespower.com) and click on the PowerWise logo.

## Holiday Lights Winner Announced

Brandon and Megan Gill of Antioch had previously entered Nashville's annual Holiday Lights Competition, but 2011 was their lucky year. The Gill home is this year's winner.

Participants were encouraged to incorporate a green theme when designing their holiday masterpieces.

The contest is sponsored by Mayor Karl Dean, Metro Public Works, Metro Beautification and Environment Commission, NES and NewsChannel 5.



3513 Pinwheel Drive

## New Online Service Offers 24/7 Convenience

Access your account information when it's convenient for you. Do you want to check your current balance or see your last payment? Maybe you want to know when your meter will be read again?

NES now offers an easy customer self-service tool online at [nespower.com](http://nespower.com). No registration is required. Simply enter your 14-digit NES account number or phone number to instantly access your account information any time, day or night.



Other online self-service features include: Report a Street Light Problem, Register for Balanced Billing, Sign Up for Paperless Billing, and Make Online Payments via NES E-Bill.

Try it out today! Look for the "Access Your Account" icon on our homepage or click on "Access My Account" under the My Home tab.



Contact us any time by phone or through our website:

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## UP-COMING events



**FEB 25, 28** Looking for ways to save energy and money? NES and Kilowatt Ours offer **free energy workshops** on ways to reduce your usage. For more information, email [info@KilowattOurs.org](mailto:info@KilowattOurs.org) or call **429-0739**.

Saturday, Feb. 25  
10:30 a.m. to noon  
Margaret Maddox Family YMCA  
2624 Gallatin Rd.

Tuesday, Feb. 28  
5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m.  
South Inglewood Park Community Center  
1625 Rebecca Ave.



**MAR 1-2** Tune into the "River of Hope" Radiothon on 107.5 The River. Listeners pledged more than \$187,000 last year to support the patients and families at Monroe Carell Jr. Children's Hospital. For information on giving, go to [childrenshospital.vanderbilt.org/giving](http://childrenshospital.vanderbilt.org/giving).



**MAR 1-4** The 23rd annual **Nashville Lawn & Garden Show** at the Tennessee State Fairgrounds is one of the largest gardening events in the South. For event hours and ticket information, visit [nashvillelawnandgardenshow.com](http://nashvillelawnandgardenshow.com) or call **876-7680**.

**MAR 2-18** Tennessee Women's Theatre Project presents the premiere of **The Disappearance of Janey Jones**. For show times and ticket prices, call **681-7220** or visit [twtp.org](http://twtp.org).



**MAR 24** The 9th annual **Runnin' to Beat the Blues 5K and 1 Mile Run/Walk** benefits the Mental Health Association of Middle Tennessee. The 5K starts at 7:30 a.m. and the 1 Mile Run/Walk follows at 8:45 a.m. at Centennial Park. For more information or to register, visit [active.com](http://active.com).