

# BERNARD TELEPHONE & COMMUNICATIONS

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## Featured Gadget of the month: Fitbit Blaze Smart Fitness Watch



Fitbit Blaze—get fit in style. Maximize your workouts and stay connected to friends and family.

### Features include:

- \* PurePulse heart rate
- \* Connected GPS
- \* On-Screen workouts giving you step-by-step instructions and graphics ensuring you complete each move correctly
- \* Call and text notifications when your phone is nearby
- \* Mobile music controls
- \* Track steps, calories burned, floors climbed and active minutes

*Please note, this is for informational purposes only.  
Bernard Telephone Co. does not sell nor endorse this product.*



### Bernard EMS News

To rent the Bernard EMS Center, please contact Sara Capesius at 608-732-4565 or email her at scapesius@heartlandcu.org

## July Happenings:

### Fireworks displays:

Dubuque: Sunday, July 3rd  
Cascade: Monday, July 4th  
Dyersville: Sunday, July 3rd  
Bellevue: Monday, July 4th  
Maquoketa: Monday, July 4th

**1st Annual Freedom Festival  
July 3rd starting at 11am at the  
Bernard Ball Park  
Kickball, music, BBQ Cook off  
For more information contact  
Bofly at 563-543-7262**

### Enjoy your local county fairs!

Jones County: 7/20-7/24  
Dubuque County: 7/26-7/31  
Jackson County: 7/27-7/31



**Our office will be closed  
on Monday, July 4th.**



Congratulations to this months  
winner,  
Margie Larkin!!

She will receive \$10 credit  
on her next bill.

Winners are drawn randomly  
and everyone is eligible.

### Access Recovery Charge Update

Due to FCC Rules (which became effective December 29, 2011) the Access Recovery Charge (ARC) enables Bernard Telephone Company to recover from end-user customers a limited portion of revenues lost due to FCC mandated reductions in interexchange carrier payments. The current Access Recovery Charge on your bill will increase effective July 1, 2016. If your account is charged at the residential or single-line business rate, the ARC will increase from \$2.00/month to \$2.50/month. Multi-line business ARC rates will remain at the current \$3.00/month rate.

### Directory Corrections 2016-2017

Bernard Telephone has started compiling the listing for our 2016-2017 telephone directory. If you are a business and you haven't already been visited by your Nova Directories Representative, look for a visit soon regarding your yellow page advertising.

Also, to make sure your personal listing is correct, take a few minutes to look over it. If you would like any other changes or additions to your listing, please let us know by July 27th by calling 563-879-3203 or emailing us at [bernard@bernardtel.net](mailto:bernard@bernardtel.net).

Thanks for your help!

### Bernard Telephone Stock Availability

Occasionally Bernard Telephone has stock available for purchase. To qualify as a stock holder, you must reside within the 879 telephone exchange and subscribe to our services. If you are interested in becoming a stock holder, or purchasing more stock, please contact our office and we will keep your name on file.

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### Samsung Galaxy S7



**Explore the Samsung Galaxy S7 —  
big on screen and slim on profile.**

- Bright display on 5.1" Quad HD Super AMOLED screen
- Water and dust resistance that repels splashes and dunks
- Sharper low-light images with the world's first dual-pixel smartphone camera

**\$659 full retail price**

**\$0 up front**

+ \$27.46 x 24/mo. If you cancel wireless service, remaining balance on phone becomes due. 0% APR on approved credit for well-qualified buyers. Qualifying service required.

+ \$10 SIM Starter Kit

\* Smartphones require adding data plan



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