



Central sends youth to leadership camp

The cooperative recently sponsored Anna Morales and Julian Rivas to attend Cooperative Leadership Camp, hosted by the North Carolina Cooperative Council. The week-long camp was held at Camp Monroe in Laurel Hill, North Carolina, featuring energetic and interactive workshops, presentations, outdoor recreation and leadership-building exercises. The camp is designed to provide a learning experience that concentrates on the cooperative way of doing business and building a better understanding and appreciation for the cooperative model. Anna and Julian were chosen to attend the camp on behalf of the cooperative, due to their strong work ethic in the classroom and extracurricular involvement in their schools and community.

Central Electric sponsors local high school students each year to attend Cooperative Leadership Camp. If you will be a sophomore, junior or senior during the 2024-25 school year, the application period for next year's camp will begin in March and run through May 2024. For more information about this great program, [click here](#).



[L-R] Julian Rivas and Anna Morales represented Central Electric at the 2023 Cooperative Leadership Camp, held this past summer at Camp Monroe.

Several local students attending either Central Carolina Community College (CCCC) or Sandhills Community College (SCC) have each been awarded a \$2,000 scholarship to help with education expenses.

Each year, Central Electric awards scholarships to CCCC or SCC students who are members of the cooperative or live in a home served by the cooperative. Scholarships are awarded based on scholastic achievement, extracurricular activities, financial need and a written essay.

These scholarships represent a way for the cooperative to provide higher education opportunities for our local students and help invest in the future of our communities.



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