

New Business Internet Plans and No Contracts

South Slope recently unveiled new ultra-fast internet plans for businesses in the communities we serve. The plans range from 10 Mbps to 1 Gig with equal upload speeds available for supporting many users, ultra-fast cloud applications and data backups.

In addition, South Slope no longer requires contracts for business internet plans. We stand behind the reliability of our service and want to make it easy for businesses to stay on budget and scale as needed. See our new plans, straightforward pricing and testimonial videos at southslope.com/business.



Experience Fast In-Home Wi-Fi

We all know struggling with a weak Wi-Fi signal is a big hassle. Making sure your Wi-Fi is working correctly can be confusing, and optimizing your connection often requires expert knowledge. Experience the best Wi-Fi connection to fast internet throughout your home with our Managed Wi-Fi service.

With South Slope Managed Wi-Fi, your wireless connection will be reliable and strong, allowing you to stream, game and upload with ease.

- We provide and install a state-of-the-art router for a faster, smarter, and safer connection. Additional wireless mesh extenders are available to give complete coverage through large homes.
- At the time of installation, we audit your home's Wi-Fi signal and check for interference.
- We provide advanced security features and 24/7 support.

Add Managed Wi-Fi to your South Slope internet plan for just \$9.95 per month. Call us at 319-626-2211 to get started!

Santa at South Slope & Holiday Care Packages



Please join us as we welcome Santa and Mrs. Claus to the South Slope Community Center on **December 11th from 4:30-7:00pm**. We will have holiday music, crafts and goodie bags. Admission is free! We will also be accepting new, unwrapped toys for the Marine Corps' Toys for Tots program.

Help us make the holidays more special for our troops with South Slope holiday care packages! If you have a friend or family member serving in the military, please email his or her name and address to community@southslope.com or call 319-626-2211 by December 7th. We will send packages full of treats and cards showing our appreciation for their service.

Options for Paying your South Slope Bill



AUTOPAY

Set up automatic payments from your bank account or credit card



PAPERLESS

Enroll in paperless billing through SmartHub
southslope.smarthub.coop



SMARTHUB

Access your account from your computer, tablet or smartphone



BY MAIL

Mail check or money order to:
PO Box 19
North Liberty, IA 52317



PAY BY PHONE

Call 1-888-480-9705 for a one-time payment with your bank account or credit card



VISIT

Make a payment in person at our office at 980 N. Front St. in North Liberty

Cooking Corner

Roasted Sweet Potatoes with Candied Bacon & Pecans

Recipe courtesy of Gary Veenstra, Inventory & Distribution Coordinator



Ingredients

For candied bacon and pecans:

1/2 pound bacon
1 oz pecans, roughly chopped
1/4 cup brown sugar
2 tablespoons butter
Salt and pepper (to taste)

For the sweet potatoes:

3 sweet potatoes
1 tablespoon butter
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup raisins
2 oz pecans, chopped

To candy the bacon, preheat the oven to 375° F. Cut the bacon into 1/2-inch pieces, place in a small bowl. Melt the butter in a microwave safe dish. Pour the butter, brown sugar, pecans, salt and pepper over the bacon and mix well. Spread onto a sheet pan and bake for 15 minutes or until bacon starts to crisp. Use a spatula to remove and spread onto parchment paper. Set aside.

For the sweet potatoes, dice the potatoes into 2-inch chunks, boil until just slightly fork tender. Drain all water and set aside. In a microwave safe dish, add the butter and brown sugar. Heat for 20 seconds in the microwave, or until butter is melted. Pour over the sweet potatoes, add the raisins, cinnamon, salt and pepper and half of the candied bacon/pecan mixture. Stir until combined. Transfer to a baking dish and top with remaining candied bacon and pecans. Bake for 20 minutes on 375° F. Enjoy!

South Slope in the Community

South Slope had a team of employees and family members participate in the **Especially for You Race Against Breast Cancer** in October. The race included a 5K run, 5K walk and family fun walk in Cedar Rapids. Proceeds from the race go to the Especially for You fund which provides mammography and other breast care services to area individuals who could not otherwise afford it.

A group of South Slope employees volunteered recently at **Miracles in Motion Therapeutic Equestrian Center** in Swisher. They helped with repairs, grounds keeping and event prep. Learn more about the great things Miracles in Motion is doing for individuals with special needs at miraclescanmoveyou.com.



Follow our community involvement on Instagram @southslopecoop and #southslopecares.

Robert Dunn of North Liberty Receives Congressional Gold Medal



Congratulations to Major Robert Dunn, of North Liberty, winner of the Congressional Gold Medal for his service to the Civil Air Patrol (CAP) during World War II and a South Slope member since 1992.

Robert was presented the medal by Colonel Joe Hackett, Commander of the Iowa Wing of the United States Air Force Auxiliary. Robert met his late wife, Jean, while serving in the CAP. Jean was also awarded with a Congressional Gold Medal which was accepted by their children. Major Dunn put in over 70 years of service with the CAP, including commanding a squadron in Colorado. He has traveled the world and seen some incredible things along the way. We are proud and happy to have this hero right here in North Liberty!

South Slope Member Quote

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I can't say enough about the technicians and service at South Slope. The level of service is a great example of cooperative values and something you do not always get from larger players in the market. - Grant E.

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