

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

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Strategic Planning

The Board of Directors, Bryan Whipple, Cory Schwien, Jean Schlegel; Credit Committee, Annetta Fellhoelter; Supervisory Committee, Sabra Clarke, Gay Lee Johnson and Employees, Sandy Reinert, Yvette Schlegel, and Susan Klitzke along with the facilitator; Tana Hoffman, Kansas Credit Union Association met this fall for Strategic Planning Session on October 14. We really had a lot of fun putting our ideas together and planning the future of our credit union. We are so fortunate to have this group of people as part of our team. It is so wonderful how much these people truly care about our credit union. We encourage you to let them know what services you would like to see your credit union offer. Also, if you get a chance, thank them for volunteering.

WE LOVE OUR CREDIT UNION!



Tracy Rupp, Susan Klitzke, and Yvette Schlegel are standing proudly in front of the new desk in Yvette's office. Thank you to the Board of Directors. Sandy says Yvette has to do twice as much work now.

COOKBOOKS

We still have a lot of cookbooks if anyone would like to purchase one.

Invite Your Family To Join Ours

The holidays are just around the corner. Here's a gift that can last a lifetime: membership in the credit union! Because you belong to the credit union, your family members are also eligible to join. They too, can enjoy all of the benefits of belonging: lower rates on loans, competitive rates on savings, convenient access to their accounts, and best of all, being treated like a person, not a number. In satisfaction survey after survey, consumers consistently rate credit unions higher than other financial institutions. With a gift of credit union membership, one size really does fit all and no worries about the long line at the return and exchange counter. Membership in the credit union makes an ideal baby shower or christening gift as well. What better way to show your love and affection than starting a little one out on the road to financial security?

A perfect gift for all occasions



Credit Union Membership

DEBIT CARD

WHEN TRAVELING OUT OF THE AREA PLEASE REMEMBER TO CONTACT THE CREDIT UNION SO WE CAN TAG YOUR DEBIT CARD WITH YOUR DESTINATION TO AVOID A BLOCK ON YOUR CARD.

**5 Home Energy Saving Tips**

Here are some tips to help you save energy and money:

1. Use exhaust fans sparingly. A kitchen or bathroom fan can pull out a lot of warm air in a short period of time.
2. Ceiling fans can distribute the warm air hugging the top of the room. Reverse the switch so air blows upward, toward the ceiling.
3. Make sure doors seal properly. An 1/8-inch crack around a door is the same as having a six-inch hole in a wall.
4. Install a programmable thermostat to save energy when you are away.
5. Most of the heat a traditional open fireplace generates goes straight up the chimney. And even when not burning, warm air from the room is drawn out of the house through the chimney. Consider installing an airtight insert for your fireplace.

