

BANKNOTES

A NEWSLETTER FROM UNION STATE BANK



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EVEREST *and* HORTON

The Everest/Horton Branches are proud to help sponsor local community events. Some upcoming events in our area include:

- › The Horton High School prom is April 24, 2021.
- › The Big Kansas Road Trip will be held May 6-9, 2021, in Brown, Doniphan and Nemaha Counties. This event was organized to help the public get to know rural communities and see what they have to offer. Information is available online at bigkansasroadtrip.com
- › Horton High School Graduation is May 16, 2021.
- › Everest Middle School Recognition Night is May 19, 2021.
- › Horton City Wide Garage Sales will take place on June 4-5, 2021.
- › Horton Summerfest Car Show June 5, 2021.
- › Horton Mission Lake Fireworks Display has a tentative date of July 2, 2021.
- › Horton Fish and Game Club Annual Youth Fishing Derby will be July 3, 2021, at the Horton Mission Lake.
- › Everest Fireworks Display July 4, 2021.

Congratulations to the following graduates:

Everest Middle School:

Luke McAfee, son of Marc and Melissa Pisacka and grandson of Jane and George Bruning.

Horton High School:

Tommie-Anne McAfee, part time CSR intern at Bank of Everest and Horton, daughter of Marc and Melissa Pisacka and granddaughter of Jane and George Bruning.

ACCJSH, Effingham:

Jared Eckert, son of Amy & Tony Eckert and grandson of Diana Lanter.

It's raining babies in Horton!

Introducing Jolee:

Jolee Janet Libel was born June 7, 2020, to Dustin and Kristen Libel, Robinson Kan. Proud grandparents are Amy and Austin Madison.



Introducing Brady:

Brady Lawrence Ross was born July 7, 2020, to Mark and Tanna Ross, Marceline, Mo. Proud grandparents are Lynda and Dennis Ross.



Introducing Jack:

Jack Walter Pederson was born February 21, 2021, to Nicholas and Molly Pederson, Overland Park Kan. Proud grandparents are Stacey and Tim Pederson.



Congratulations McKenna and Ricky!

McKenna Boller and Ricky Simon were married on September 19, 2020. McKenna is the daughter of Rita Boller, CSR at Bank of Horton, and Lonnie Boller.



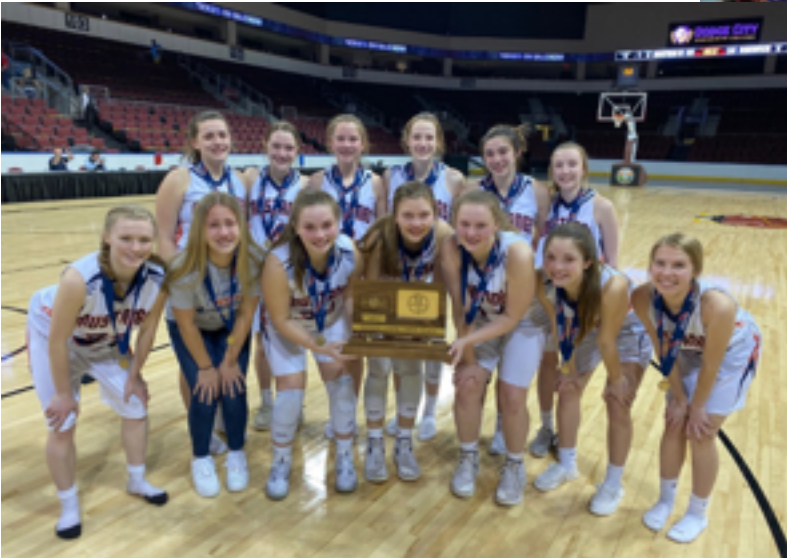
BANK *of* ATCHISON



Congratulations Ashley and Austin!

Ashley Kimmi, CSR at Union State Bank of Horton was united in marriage on January 16, 2021, to Austin Spielman, Horton. Ashley is the granddaughter of Cheryl Lanter, VP Operations, Union State Bank of Atchison. Congratulations!

Michelle Meyer, Internal Auditor, announces that her daughter's team earned 3rd place in state Basketball in Division 1A Division 1.



Bank of Atchison has completed the remodel of the bank lobby.

Here are some photos of the interior – stop by and see our friendly and welcoming new space!



Congratulations Kerstin!

Kerstin Schmidt was married Sept. 19, 2020.



We will miss you Carol!



Carol Swordy was working at Wilson Realty when USB called to see if she would be interested in working for the bank. She accepted and stayed for 23 years. She is retiring May 3rd. A celebration will be held Friday, April 16th.

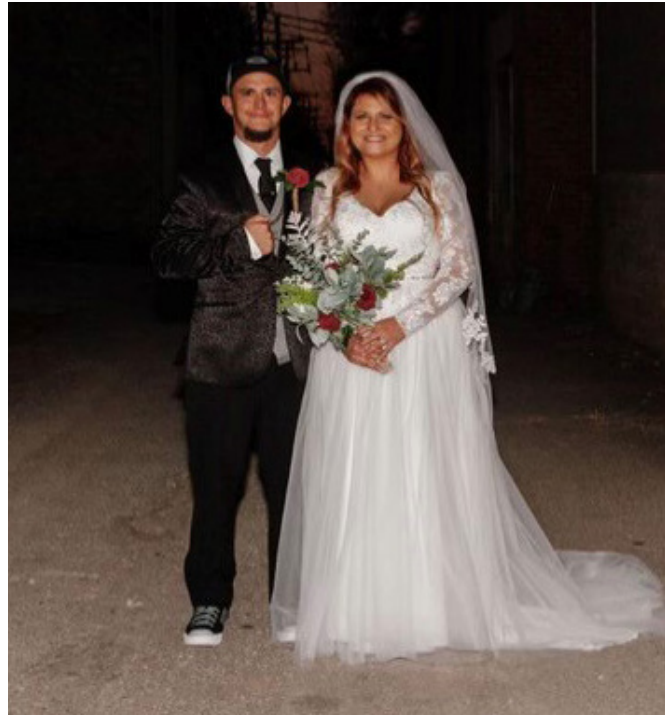
She will miss her bank family and all the good times had with them over her two decades at the bank. She will miss Jennifer's cakes and cookies too!

She wants her coworkers to know that time goes by fast. "Do your job well but have fun too!" she said. "You can do both"

Carol looks forward to spending time with her family. She will be under new management, see her grandchildren for more details. "I will miss all of you!"

Congratulations Lenzi and Levi Masqua!

Lenzi Mills, CSR at Bank of McLouth, married
Levi Masqua on November 7, 2020.



New Hires

Lori Ewing • Assistant VP of Lending at the Bank of Gower

She joined the branch in November of 2020. She was raised in Derby, KS and has lived in Kansas City, MO since 1999. She is a graduate of Wichita State University. Previously she worked as a Loan Portfolio Officer at KCB Bank which was recently purchased by Academy Bank.

“I was hired to work in the new Shoal Creek location once completed – although I love everyone in Gower, I am looking forward to the Shoal Creek location opening up and getting back to a 5 minute drive to work rather than the 45 minute drive.

I am also looking forward to bringing over some of my previous customers from KCB Bank to Shoal Creek. The recent merger of KCB Bank with Academy Bank really took away the “home town” feeling to those customers. I hope to bring that back to the Shoal Creek area,” Lori said.

Destiny Connell • Customer Service Representative at the Bank of Gower

She started August of 2020. She is from Unionville, MO and has a bachelors degree in Merchandising from Northwest Missouri State University. Before joining USB Destiny was the Visual Merchandiser at Kay Furniture in Smithville, MO for 12 years, was a front desk coordinator at Vision Source in St Joseph, MO and Access Representative at Mosaic Life Care.

“I am looking forward to the Summer with my family. We are taking a trip to Colorado and we can’t wait!” she said.

Katelyn Brincefield • Customer Service Representative Intern, Bank of Atchison

She joined USB in February, 2020. She is from Atchison, KS. She is a sophomore at Atchison High School. This is her first job.

“I am looking forward to learning more and being able to help those who need it,” she said.

Katelyn the daughter of long time employee Jennifer Brincefield.