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# \$10,000 in Education Scholarships Awarded









**Ray Dilts** 

Gabrielle Emmons

Aiden Kendall

**Rebecca Schlosser** 

We are delighted to announce that HCU has awarded \$10,000 in scholarships to four deserving students: Ray Dilts, Gabrielle Emmons, Aiden Kendall, and Rebecca Schlosser. Each recipient will receive \$2,500 to support their college education and career aspirations.

#### MEET THE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

- **RAY DILTS**, of Sedgwick, is homeschooled and will graduate high school in 2025. Dilts is attending the Welding program at Wichita State University.
- **GABRIELLE EMMONS**, of Potwin, is a 2024 Remington High School graduate. Emmons will attend Butler County Community College to study psychology.
- **AIDEN KENDALL**, of Newton, is a 2021 Newton High School graduate. He is studying emergency management at Kansas Wesleyan University.
- **REBECCA SCHLOSSER**, of Moundridge, is a 2022 Moundridge High School graduate. Schlosser is studying English at Sarah Lawrence College.

"At HCU, we want to help fulfill our members' dreams of a better future. Our scholarship program is just another way we do that," says HCU President/CEO Dan Springer. "We congratulate Ray, Gabrielle, Aiden, and Rebecca; and we wish them the best of luck in their future endeavors."

The HCU Education Scholarship program, now in its eleventh year, has awarded a total of \$65,000 to our members. Eligible recipients must be fulltime students and can apply the scholarship towards any accredited college, university, or technical school.

We are proud to support our members in their educational journeys and look forward to seeing all they will achieve.

## Annual Visa® Debit Card Notice

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# **Get Involved in Your Credit Union**

#### Accepting Volunteer Nominations through July 31, 2024

The nomination and election of volunteers to positions on the Board of Directors and/or on credit union committees requiring external nomination is delegated to the Nominating Committee as stated in the credit union governance policy. The committee is currently accepting volunteer nominations for the term of March 2025-March 2028. Below are the procedures and schedule established by HCU's Nominating Committee.

#### GENERAL PROCEDURES FOR VOLUNTEER ELECTIONS

| June 30      | Appointment of Nominating Committee of not less than 3 members by Board Vice-Chair.   |
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| June 30      | Nominating Committee post notice that nominations are being accepted. Notice to include schedule and procedures.  |
| July 31      | Last day for members to submit names to the Nominating<br>Committee for consideration.  |
|              | For more information on becoming an HCU volunteer and<br>to submit an application, visit <u>www.hcu.coop/volunteers</u> or<br>contact Executive Assistant Kris Pfister at 620.888.6516 or<br>kris.pfister@hcu.coop. |
| September 30 | Nominating committee to post slate of candidates.   |
| October 15   | Last day for members to submit petitions to nominating committee to have a name added to the ballot.  |
| December 31  | Include ballot and short resume in fourth quarter newsletter.   |
| February 15  | Last day for ballots to be returned or postmarked.  |
| March 1      | Final date for tabulation and verification of ballots. Results to be announced as soon as available, at annual meeting and in first quarter newsletter.   |

- Positions on the Board of Directors and Supervisory Committee shall be elected.
- Minimum age to vote shall be 16.
- To ensure placement of their name on the ballot, a member may submit a petition of nomination signed by at least 1% of the membership (determined by the published membership count as of December 31st of the prior year). Nominating committee will verify signatures.
- No election will be conducted

by ballot and there will be no nominations from the floor when there is only one nominee for each position to be filled.

- No member shall be entitled to vote by proxy. A member other than a natural person may vote through an agent as designated in the account agreement. A trustee or other person acting in a representative capacity shall not, as such, be entitled to vote.
- Irrespective of the number of shares, no member shall have more than one vote.

# Welcome New Supervisory Committee Member



We are thrilled to announce **JEREMY HOOVER** as our most recent addition to HCU's Supervisory Committee.

Jeremy Hoover

Jeremy was born and raised in the heartland of Greensburg, Kansas. Driven by a passion for technology and law enforcement, Jeremy's career path has been a testament to his dedication. Over the past 26 years, he has been fully immersed in the world of information technology, while also serving as a part-time deputy sheriff in Kiowa County, Kansas for 16 years.

In December 2017, Jeremy took on a new challenge in his career journey, joining the Kansas Law Enforcement Training Center and the University of Kansas as the Technology Manager for the Yoder campus. Here, he brings his experience and expertise to the forefront, shaping the next generation of law enforcement professionals and contributing to the advancement of knowledge in his field.

Jeremy's deep commitment to technology and community will be an asset to HCU's Supervisory Committee. Welcome, Jeremy!



#### HCU President & CEO Dan Springer

#### **Board of Directors**

Rex Christner, Chair Shandi Stallman, Vice Chair Sheila Meggers, Secretary Treasurer Brian Meder, Associate Director Mike Juby, John McCannon, Kendal Pulliam, Mark Woleslagel

#### **Supervisory Committee**

Deb Hammond, Chair Roger Clark, Jeremy Hoover, Brent Knoche, and Rebecca Wichert

#### Financial Summary as of March 31, 2024

| Assets               | \$632,206,344 |
|----------------------|---------------|
| Shares, Certificates | \$543,550,126 |
| Loans Outstanding    | \$527,630,357 |
| Total Capital        | \$54,108,454  |

### Upcoming Notable Dates

#### BRANCHES CLOSED

| Independence Day | Thur. July 4    |
|------------------|-----------------|
| Labor Day        | Mon., Sept. 2   |
| Columbus Day     | Monday, Oct. 14 |
| Veterans Day     | Mon., Nov. 11   |

#### **Patriot Act Notice**

The US Patriot Act requires financial institutions to obtain information from an individual or legal entity to help establish identity. Your cooperation is needed when you open a new account or request a loan. You may be asked more questions to establish and confirm your identity. It may also be required for you to provide one or more forms of identification.

#### **IRA Withholding Notice**

Payments from your IRA are subject to federal income tax withholding, unless you elect no withholding.

You may change your withholding election at any time prior to your receipt of a payment. To change your withholding election, complete the appropriate form provided by HCU.

Withholding from IRA payments, when combined with other withholdings, may relieve you from payment of estimated income taxes. However, your withholding election does not affect the amount of income tax you pay.

You may incur penalties under the estimated tax rules if your withholding and estimated payments are insufficient.

# **Insurance Specialist Sara Stucky Joins Heartland Wealth Strategies**

Welcome Insurance Specialist **SARA STUCKY** to our Heartland Wealth Strategies team in Maize! Our insurance experts are here to help guide you in making well-informed decisions to suit your needs and financial goals. At Heartland Wealth Strategies, we offer comprehensive insurance solutions including Medicare Supplement, life insurance, prescription drug plans, and long-term care insurance.

Find out more at www.hcu.coop/insurance or contact



Sara Stucky Insurance Specialist



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If your money isn't working as hard as you are, it may be time to act—there are no do-overs in retirement planning. Now is the time to consider developing a strategy that can help you work toward your financial goals. We specialize in providing comprehensive, personalized financial guidance with the goal of maximizing every remaining moment of the retirement countdown.

#### SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT

No matter where you are in life, our wealth management team will create manageable strategies to help you strive for your financial goals. Contact us today to learn more: 800.428.8472 or visit <u>www.hcu.coop/hws</u>.

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