

THE EXCHANGE



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CALENDAR

1/3-21 - Food Drive

1/10-16 - Debit Card Promotion

1/16 - CLOSED
Martin Luther King Jr. Day

2/20 - CLOSED
President's Day

3/12-16 - Election

3/12-18 - Debit Card Promotion

4/17 - Annual Membership Mtg

REMEMBER

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Audio Teller - 816.861.2704

Serving employees of the City of Kansas City, MO, Truman Medical Centers, KCATA The Metro, Blount International and workers or residents of Jackson or Clay County, MO

Upcoming election for Board of Directors

Help to set credit union policy that will make a difference in the way we serve our members by becoming a part of the Board of Directors. Three positions are up for election on the Board and one position on the Supervisory Committee. All positions are for a three-year term and may only be filled by current Kansas City Credit Union members.

Applicants must be available to attend monthly board meetings held the fourth Monday of each month at 3:30 p.m. Meetings take place at Kansas City Credit Union's main location, 5110 Ararat Drive. Board members are also required to serve on various appointed committees throughout the year, which may call for additional commitments of time.

Interested candidates should submit in 100 words or less why they would make a good addition to the Board. Important information to include in the application: why you would like to be on the Board; why you qualify to be a Board member; pertinent employment history. Also include your home address and phone number. Submit the completed biographical information by February 13 to marketing@kccu.net or deliver to Kansas City Credit Union, Attn: Nominating Committee, 5110 Ararat Drive, Kansas City, MO 64129.

The Nominating Committee will review applications and make nominations based off of the information provided. Open voting will take place March 12-16. Once all of the ballots are in, Nominating Committee members will form an Election Tally Committee and will validate and count the ballots. Election results will be announced during the Annual Membership Meeting held on April 17. All candidates are asked to attend this meeting.

Annual Membership Meeting


Kansas City Credit Union's 71st Annual Membership Meeting will be held Tuesday, April 17 at the Southeast Community Center, 4201 E. 63rd St.

Registration will begin at 5 p.m. with dinner served shortly thereafter. Any member who has not yet cast their ballot for the Board of Directors may do so during this time. The business portion of the meeting will begin promptly at 6 p.m.

Each attendee will receive a special gift plus a chance to win one of the prizes donated from our supporting vendors at the end of the meeting.

The Annual Meeting is a great way to stay informed of the operations of the credit union and gives members a chance to meet the Board of Directors and staff.

Please RSVP to attend the 71st Annual Membership Meeting by filling out the form below and returning it to KCCU, Attn: Marketing Director, 5110 Ararat Drive, Kansas City, MO 64129. You may also turn it in to any of our three branches, call 816-921-6597 or email marketing@kccu.net. There is no cost to attend.



Yes! I would like to attend the KCCU Annual Membership Meeting.

Name	Account #
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
Contact Phone #	_____



President's Place

By Floyd Manley

Serving on your credit union's Board of Directors is a great way to have an impact on the operations of the credit union. We have three seats up for elec-

tion this spring, plus a seat on our Supervisory Committee.

Because Kansas City Credit Union is a not-for-profit, member-owned financial institution, members have a direct impact on how the credit union operates. Our members elect a Board of Directors who serve without pay and oversee the operations of the credit union. An additional set of checks and balances is provided by the Supervisory Committee. The Committee ensures the credit union maintains its financial integrity and that members' concerns reach the

employees who can best improve our service.

I encourage all members to vote in the election March 12-16 and voice your opinion on who will best represent your interests. I would also encourage all members to run for an open seat. Read the article on the front page for information on the application process.

And don't forget to RSVP attend the 71st Annual Membership Meeting on April 17 at the Southeast Community Center!

KCCU Board of Directors

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Janice Smith, *Chair*
 Susan Moseley, *Vice Chair*
 Jean Ann Lawson, *Secretary*
 José Portuguez, *Treasurer*
 Reta Gaebler, *Director*
 George Eib, *Director*
 Pearlina McFall, *Director*
 Earnest Rouse, *Director*
 John Thigpen, *Director*

SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE

Gary Morris, *Chair*
 Amber McDonald
 Nathan Paré

KCCU Staff Members

MAIN OFFICE

Floyd Manley, *President*
 Anna Townsend, *Vice President*
 Kevin Welp, *Credit Manager*
 Lisa Cordill, *Accounting Manager*
 Annie Karr, *Marketing Director*
 Jennifer Haynes, *Loan Officer*
 Laura Andersen, *Member Service Rep*
 Teriyan Parker, *Member Service Rep*
 Sarah Rose, *Member Service Rep*
 Nadine Galloway, *Head Teller*
 Emily Belland, *Teller*
 Sarah Smith, *Teller*
 Tiffany Crawford, *Teller*

DOWNTOWN

Cassie Chisam, *Teller/MSR*

NORTHLAND

Mary Ann Stallings, *Loan Officer*
 Ryan Schnabel, *Teller/MSR*

CONGRATULATIONS to Edward Grear! He won his **\$97.35** debit card purchase to JCPenney back. Watch for our next debit card promotion January 10-16.

Voting dates and procedures for election of officers – 2012

1. Ballot box voting will be held at all three Kansas City Credit Union locations during normal office hours beginning Monday, March 12 through Friday, March 16. Members may vote at any of the three locations, but may only cast one vote one time. Candidate information will be provided in order to make an educated vote. Valid voters must be a member prior to February 1, 2012 and at least 18 years of age.

2. Absentee ballots must be requested in writing and received at the credit union's main location (5110 Ararat Drive) by March 5. Ballots, candidate information and a return envelope will be provided. Return ballots must be postmarked no later than March 16 and received at the credit union by March 23.

3. Any member who is unable to vote during the time allotted for ballot box voting or did not request an absentee ballot may still vote by attending the Annual Member-

ship Meeting on Tuesday, April 17 from 5 to 7 p.m.

4. The Election Tally Committee will take possession of the ballot boxes and absentee ballots in order to check the validity to determine member voting eligibility. It is understood that a ballot will be invalid if it is:

- Unsigned
- Signed by a non-member
- Member not 18 years of age
- Not a member prior to February 1, 2012
- Unmarked
- Marked for too many candidates
- Contains write-in or fictional characters
- Altered in any way

The Election Tally Committee will pre-count all ballots before the Annual Membership Meeting. Any ballots cast during the meeting will be added to this pre-count total. The election results will be announced during the meeting.

KCCU Box Score

November 30, 2011

Assets	\$23,094,730
Shares	\$19,623,988
Loans	\$7,954,361
Members	6,139

Linda Suppes Retires



After 34 years in the credit union industry, Linda Suppes has decided to hang her hat and retire.

In 1977, Linda began her credit union career with Greyhound Credit Union. She spent 15 years there until they were acquired by Heritage Credit Union. Linda spent an additional six years at Heritage and was introduced to many of our ATA members during her tenure there.

When Heritage closed their doors in Kansas City, Linda looked to remain in the credit union industry. Much to our good fortune, she found her way into the Kansas City Credit Union family. Linda has been with us for the past 13 years serving as a Senior Member Service Representative.

During her retirement, Linda plans to just enjoy life. She's going to spend more time with her husband (who is also retired) and grandkids and focus on her hobbies.

"I am going to miss my credit union family. Seeing the friendly faces of our members each day and the great friends I have made along the way."

Linda's last day at the credit union was December 30. If you would like to send well wishes to her on her retirement, you can do so by emailing marketing@kccu.net or mailing a card to 5110 Ararat Drive, Kansas City, MO 64129. We will forward your messages on to Linda.

Teaming up with Harvesters

Food Drive January 3 - 21

Hunger doesn't stop just because the holidays are over. Please help those in need by donating non-perishable items during the month of January. You can drop off items at any of our three locations. Donations received through the drive will help Harvesters' network feed those in need throughout Kansas City.

A contribution means much needed help, and hope, will be available to those who need it. As you head out to the credit union, be sure to grab a few items to show your support. Your generosity makes a difference.

Most Needed Food Items:

- Canned Vegetables & Fruit
- Boxed Meals (Hamburger Helper, Pasta Roni)
- Canned Meats/Tuna
- Peanut Butter & Jelly
- Canned Soup
- Hot & Cold Cereal

College scholarship opportunity

\$500 scholarship available

For the fifth year, Kansas City Credit Union will award one (1) \$500.00 scholarship to a deserving high school senior in April 2012.

GUIDELINES: You must be a high school senior graduating in 2012; be attending a school for higher education in the fall of 2012; and be a member in

good standing of Kansas City Credit Union.

Applications may be picked up at any of our three locations or downloaded from our website - www.kccu.net - on the Teen Club page.

The scholarship will be awarded at our Annual Membership Meeting on April 17.

If you have questions, please call Annie at 816.921.6597.

Santa visits KCCU



Johnnia Moore poses with Santa.

Santa Claus visited the credit union on Saturday, December 10 from 10 to 11:30 a.m. He was welcomed by a lobby full of members. From the moment Santa arrived until it was time for him to go back to the North Pole, he was busy greeting children and taking their wish lists.

Much to the delight of the kids, Santa had specially wrapped gifts for the good boys and girls this year. He also gave out cookies, hot apple cider and candy canes to those who posed for a picture with him.

Santa makes an annual visit to the credit union each December. Watch for emails and lobby advertising next holiday season as to when he will arrive.

Save \$\$ on your taxes!

Citizen Tax Service, LLC will be at Kansas City Credit Union preparing tax returns beginning late-January thru mid-April.

MAIN BRANCH: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri, 10a-4p
DOWNTOWN & NORTHLAND: By Appointment

\$65⁰⁰

Basic Return*

Includes:

- ◆ Federal Tax Return
- ◆ One State Return
- ◆ Up to two 1099s or W2s
- ◆ FREE E-file
- ◆ Additional State Return \$40
- ◆ Tax expert/CPA on-site to answer your tax questions
- ◆ Walk-in and get a FREE tax quote

*Restrictions apply. Call for details.

**To schedule an appointment, call
913.579.8060**

Kansas City Credit Union Locations & Hours

MAIN OFFICE

5110 Ararat Drive
Kansas City, MO 64129
Phone 816.861.5700
Fax 816.861.5703

Hours

Drive Thru:
M-F, 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Saturday, 8 a.m. - Noon
Lobby:
M-F, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Saturday, 8 - 11:30 a.m.

DOWNTOWN

414 E. 12th Street
1st Floor City Hall
Kansas City, MO 64106
Phone 816.513.3400
Fax 816.513.3412

Hours

Lobby:
M-F, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

NORTHLAND

7245 N. Oak Trafficway
Gladstone, MO 64118
Phone 816.436.4384
Fax 816.436.4373

Hours

Lobby:
M-F, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Online: www.kccu.net

