

GREAT PLAINS

FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

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Reading is Rewarding

Now more than ever it pays to read your newsletter. Hopefully you always take the time to read the entire newsletter and find the information to be beneficial. To make it even more rewarding we've increased the number of member account numbers hidden in the newsletter. **Instead of three now there are five account numbers located throughout the newsletter.** If you find your own account number contact the credit union and we'll deposit \$50 into your account.

Time's running out but it's still not too late to take advantage

GREAT DEBT ROUNDUP

(see page 2 for details)

Where Do We Go From Here?



Hello. Allow me to introduce myself. My name is Kelley Melton and I am the new President of Great Plains Federal Credit Union. In the last newsletter you read where our long-time President, Ken Martin, had retired. While I am new to the position I am not new to the credit union. I have been with the credit union for over 28 years working my way up through the Accounting Department.

Instead of boring you with details about me I want to talk about what the future holds for the credit union and our members. Our goal remains the same, that you experience not just the credit union difference but 000822 the Great Plains difference. I want you to consider your membership with Great Plains as much more than just a customer/business relationship. If you've had other banking relationships and don't feel the credit union is any different then we are doing something wrong. Notice I said "we". There's a "you" in "we" because we're in this together.

I said I wouldn't bore you with personal information but let me just share one thing. Being the youngest of four and my parents' favorite I'm not great at sharing. I'm more than happy to share the credit union's success with you but it keeps me up at night thinking I might be sharing

you with another financial institution. At a minimum I want the credit union to be your main or primary financial institution but I really want Great Plains to be your **ONLY** financial institution.

Some relationships are give and take but our relationship is give and get. The more you utilize the services of the credit union the more you can realize in benefits like the interest rebates and bonus dividends we've given back to the members in 10 of the last 12 years. Something as simple as using a Great Plains debit card as your primary method of payment can result in additional income that could come back to you.

The credit union is not changing course but moving "full speed ahead" to provide you the services and benefits you seek in a financial institution. The plan is to review our services and keep doing what we do right while constantly seeking ways to improve those processes.

All this is done with the final goal in mind... that you consider your membership with Great Plains a satisfying and 032835 rewarding win-win relationship. We want to partner with you in your financial endeavors. Thank you so much for your patronage of Great Plains Federal Credit Union.

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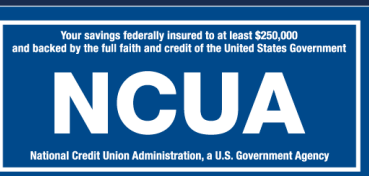
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ANNUAL MEETING

April 27th, 2018

7:00 P.M. at Riverton High School auditorium in Riverton, Kansas. All members are invited

- Giveaways
- Prizes
- Free Sandwiches/Chips/Softdrinks

We hope to see you there!



Thank you!

After nearly 40 years of serving, Ross Grasso is stepping away from his position as a member 028181 of the Great Plains Federal Credit Union Board of Directors. He began serving back in 1979. During his service, Ross has been a faithful and consistent voice for the members. "Thank you Ross!" Your service is greatly appreciated.

And Thank you!

Unfortunately we have another departure to mention in this newsletter. David Neuman, Branch Manager of the Salina, Kansas branch located at 605 S Ohio has retired 042112 after 28 years of employment. He came over to Great Plains when the credit union acquired Bell Telephone Credit Union in late 1989. David has been the branch manager his entire 030195 tenure with Great Plains. He plans to spend a lot of time traveling mostly to visit and spoil his grandkids. David, we certainly thank you for all you've done for Great Plains. Enjoy your well-deserved retirement!



The GREAT DEBT ROUNDUP

- Corral all your ornery debt into one low payment.
- Borrow up to \$25,000 and take up to 60 months to pay it back.
- Interest rates start as low as 5.78% APR*

HURRY! Offer ends April 30th, 2018.

*APR = Annual Percentage Rate
Actual APR dependent on credit qualifications.
Certain credit restrictions apply.
Contact your local branch for more details.

Special Points of Interest

Hidden Account Numbers: We have hidden **FIVE** account numbers in the newsletter. If a member finds **their own** account number and calls the credit union to let us know, they will **win \$50**.