



July 2 - July 9, 2013

# THIS WEEK IN Atchison

AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

200 S. 10th  
P.O. Box 126  
Atchison, KS 66002

913-367-2427  
www.atchisonkansas.net

## CHAMBER MEETINGS/ EVENTS:

- July 4 Chamber offices closed  
Visitors Center open 12-4 p.m.
- July 6 Haunted Tours, 6 & 7 p.m., Depot
- July 18 Cottage of the Seasons Girls Night  
Out, 5-9 p.m.
- July 19 LakeFest 2013, Warnock Lake
- July 19-20 Amelia Earhart Festival



### Notes from the President

Amazing summer weather for July!! A GREAT 4th of July week! Plan on attending the fireworks at Warnock Lake on the 4th!

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We're gearing up for a busy summer in Atchison! We have seen a definite pick up in traffic in the Visitor's Information Center the last several weeks. We're excited to have itineraries added to our website for anyone researching and considering a visit. You can check them out at <http://www.atchisonkansas.net/index.php/plan-your-visit/>. Hopefully this will make it easier for everyone to plan their visit!

# MMA HITS HOME



Workers set up a merchandise booth outside Pepper Mill & Co., as they prepare for Friday's Meet & Greet event at the local restaurant for "The British Invasion," a mixed martial arts event pitting U.S. fighters against those from the U.K. Pepper Mill & Co., hosted the event, which was open to the public, the night before the event, which was held at Sprint Center in Kansas City. (Photo courtesy of Razorjack Recruiting)



SAVING THE BRICK & MORTARS  
OUR NATION IS BUILT ON

[the350project.net](http://the350project.net)

## CHAMBER NEWS

### Local business people invited to tour Citadel Caverns

Coby Cullins, owner of Citadel Caverns (formerly Atchison Strategic Storage Facility), invites local business people to a tour of the facility also known as the Atchison Caves. Citadel Caverns is the newest member of the Chamber.

Tours are available at 8 a.m., 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. on July 24, and at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. on July 25.

Tour spots are limited, so please call the Chamber at 913-367-2427 to reserve your spot.

### Latest edition of Social Security Update available

The latest edition of Social Security Update is now available online. This month's topics include "Social Security 101" courses on YouTube, a Spanish mobile website and the government's Health Insurance Marketplace website.

Visit [www.socialsecurity.gov/newsletter](http://www.socialsecurity.gov/newsletter) for more information.

### KDOT permits required for hay harvesting on State right of way

Hay harvesting on right of way along state and federal highways without a permit is illegal and is trespassing, according to the Kansas Department of Transportation.

Haying permit applications are available at KDOT District and Area offices and are good for one year or a specific haying season. From April 1 to the end of each year, permits to harvest are issued in the order in which they are received.

For additional information, contact your local KDOT Northeast Kansas Office listed below, or call the KDOT Bureau of Construction and Maintenance in Topeka at (785) 296-3576.

### Free Labor Law posters available for Chamber members

Thanks to a generous donation from Coby Cullins and MO-KAN Underground, the Atchison Area Chamber of Commerce will offer free 2013 Labor Law posters to all of its member businesses.

The State of Kansas made some changes

to the laws, so all businesses will need new posters this year.

Stop by the Santa Fe Depot at 200 S. 10th Street to pick up your set of two posters.

Cullins, the owner of MO-KAN Underground, recently purchased the Atchison Strategic Storage Facility, also known as the Atchison Caves, and renamed it Citadel Caverns.

**THANK YOU**  
For investing in your community

Welcome to our newest member

**Citadel Caverns**  
6675 Sherman Rd.  
Atchison, KS 66002

Businesses that have renewed  
their membership for 2013

USD 377

**Atchison**  
AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

With the upswing in visitors to Atchison, local businesses are reminded that the Chamber is here as a resource for your employees.

We have brochures and other information available, along with our historic trolley tour, which is a great way to learn about the area. Give us a call if you need any help providing information to our many visitors this summer.

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A big THANK YOU to Peggy Scholz for her dedication the last three years as our Office Manager. Peggy is retiring this week. Hope she gets to travel and enjoy those grandkids in the coming months!



# SPOTLIGHT



**Ryan  
Worland**

**BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

## What does it mean to you to be an Ambassador?

It is an honor for me to have the opportunity to help support our community.

## Tell us more about the Boy Scouts of America.

Our intent is to ensure all eligible youth have the opportunity to participate in scouting. We are always looking for new opportunities to fulfill this.

## How has being an Ambassador helped you or your business?

It has helped us establish new connections to the community.

## In what Ambassador activities have you participated?

Ribbon cuttings, Back-to-School Reception, Taste of Atchison, Haunted season. I enjoy the community involvement.

## MEMBER NEWS

### Upcoming events at Atchison Library

#### Tuesday, July 2

- Teen Special Event (2:00-3:00 p.m.)
- Twisted Stitchers (6:00 - 8:00 p.m.) Knitting, needlepoint, crochet

#### Wednesday, July 3

- Pirate Fun Day (Noon-1:00 p.m.) Swash-buckling fun for all

#### Thursday, July 4

- Library Closed - No activities

#### Friday, July 5

- Story Time (10:30-11:15 a.m.) Infant to preschool
- Family Movie Friday (2:00-4:00PM). Popcorn included

#### Monday, July 8

- Story Time (10:30-11:15 a.m.) Infant to preschool
- Monday Matinee (12:00-2:00 p.m.) Showing Classic Movies
- Talk Book Series (6:00-7:30 p.m.) Kansas Humanities Series

### Farmers' Market to feature Atchison Art Association on Saturday

The Atchison Farmers' Market will feature the Atchison Art Association this Saturday, July 6. The Art Association will sell biscuits and gravy for a fundraiser and provide an activity for children.

### Upcoming classes at The Artist Box

#### July 3&6: Rock Painting

Not just your average painted rock, turn them into masterpieces. 1 p.m. on July 3; 10 a.m. on July 6. \$5.

#### July 6: Cloisonne' Enameling Class

Come learn the elaborate form of enameling. Open to all above the age of 12. Great 4-H project. Space is limited. 1-4 p.m. \$25.

### Great summer items at Necessities & Accessories Boutique

Don't kid your self, accessories are a necessity! We continue to get in more sundresses that are so popular right now, and with many different styles and colors to choose from. And we still have swimsuit cover-ups in stock that are a must have for this summer, great for a gift or for your self. We also have pens from Buckingham Pen Company, that would make for a classic gift. Or pick up a neck chiller to keep dad cool while watching a game or mowing the lawn...If you've got the necessity, we've got the accessory!

### Sarah Kathryn's July class schedule

#### July 8: Basic Food Canning

Are you interested in canning your own food but not sure where to start? Come learn about the process, benefits and how to be successful! The class will be led by Pam Liewer, local canner. 6-7:30 p.m. \$15.

#### July 22: Stained Glass Angel Making

Working with stained glass is an art many are interested in! Participants will get to make a free-standing angel to take home! The class will be limited to six people and will be led by Michele Gaskell, owner of Michele's Glass Studio. 6-8 p.m. \$20.

#### July 25: Extreme Couponing

Come learn the tips and tricks of saving money at the store! Participants will learn how to get organized and how to save the most money locally! The class will be led by Kim Bottorff, organizer of the Atchison Couponers group. 6-7:30 p.m. \$15.

Sarah Kathryn's is located at 12184 State Hwy. 9 in Lancaster. RSVP required for all classes. Reserve your spot by calling 913-255-200 or by sending a message to Sarah Kathryn's on Facebook.

## MEMBER NEWS

### Celebrate the Fourth of July at Sarah Kathryn's

You are invited to an old-fashioned Fourth of July celebration at Sarah Kathryn's! Come enjoy a day of fun for the entire family!

We've got carnival games and competitive contests. Kids can enjoy all the fun with a \$2 bracelet. There will be a bouncy house, dunk tank, all kinds of treats (Snow cones, turkey fries, homemade pies), a beer garden, tons of prizes, a KAIR remote, farm animals and shopping at the gift shop.

### Upcoming workshops at Vintage Gypsy

#### VINTAGE GYPSY

*too cute, so sweet, always fun!*

521 Commercial Suite I (913) 367-3368

Facebook/VinGyp

Upcoming Workshops

Reserve Your Space Today!

#### UP-cycled Plastic Tote Bags

- Saturday, July 6th, 1pm – 3pm, all supplies included

#### Coming Soon ...

- Cheer Bows
- Lightbulb Vases
- Basic Crochet

- Duct Tape Handbags
- Renewal Workshop - Defining And Celebrating Your Own Personal Style... Includes Hair And Face Makeover!

Follow Us on <https://www.facebook.com/VinGyp>, or check out our website to keep up with special events, cool design ideas, promotions, and workshops! And don't forget to book your child's fantasy party at Vintage Gypsy.

### Save on Senior pictures at Rox's Images

Save \$50 on Senior Sessions in June and \$25 on Senior Sessions in July at Rox's Images. Offer excludes Rising Star Sessions.

And, as an added bonus, all seniors with sessions in June or July can receive a Free Family Session. Sessions must be scheduled before Dec. 31, 2013. Offer expires July 30, 2013.

Stop by the studio at 8475 U.S. Hwy. 59 or telephone 913-367-ROXS(7697).

### Sunday breakfast buffet at Paolucci's

Join us for a delicious breakfast buffet from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., every Sunday at historic Paolucci's. Adults \$8.99, includes tax and tip.

17th Annual "Concert in the Sky"

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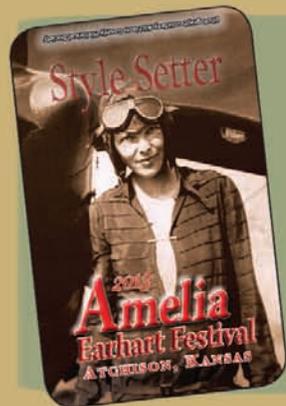


July 20, 2013

**PATIO SEATING AVAILABLE**

**AMELIA EARHART FESTIVAL**

CALL: (913) 367-3663



## SUPPORT YOUR FESTIVAL

The 2013 Amelia Earhart Festival buttons are now available! Purchase these collectibles at the Santa Fe Depot and many other Atchison locations. Your purchase supports our festival!



## MEMBER NEWS

### Eagle Communications announces job opening

Employee owned Eagle Communications, INC. – located in St. Joseph, Missouri – is looking for an experienced salesperson with confidence, drive and creative ideas to market our 4 radio stations.

Candidates should be hard working, goal oriented and self-motivated. An entrepreneurial spirit and a proven track record are essential to success. A strong knowledge of agriculture, as well as business contacts in the Atchison, KS area is a plus. Responsibilities include: contacting businesses to uncover potential advertising opportunities, researching client's industry, presenting proposals and persuading clients to invest in your idea. Continued client support and servicing is also required.

As an employee owner, everything you do counts and we only hire the best. Our next employee owner must also understand digital/web and social media. Outside sales experience preferred.

Eagle Communications, INC offers a benefit package including health and life insurance, 401(k), and employee stock ownership. Please send resume and cover letter to [stjoesales@eagleradio.net](mailto:stjoesales@eagleradio.net). Eagle Communications, INC. is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

### Let KANSASWORKS help with your hiring needs

As we are moving into the busy time of the year and employers in your area begin to hire, please refer them to KANSASWORKS for posting job opportunities at no cost. Employers can create an employer account at [www.kansasworks.com](http://www.kansasworks.com) and enter job openings easily to find qualified and skilled candidates matching their job specifications. If the employer needs assistance with posting job openings, they can call (877) 509-6757 and ask Workforce Center staff for assistance with this process. Employers can also search for resumes of job candidates by experience, keyword, and other search criteria once they have created an account on KANSASWORKS.

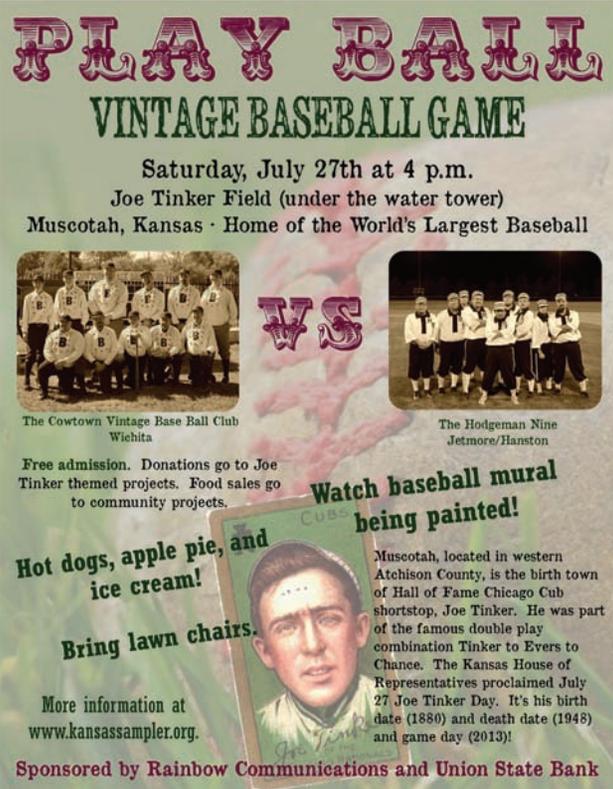
If you have any employers in your area struggling to fill specific positions, please contact Kansas Department of Commerce Workforce Response Coord-

inators for further assistance: Debra Rodenbaugh-Schaub at [drodenbaugh@kansasworks.com](mailto:drodenbaugh@kansasworks.com) or phone # 785-224-6664; or Phyllis LaShell at [plashell@kansasworks.com](mailto:plashell@kansasworks.com) or phone # 785-577-4610.

### Summer Blood Drive sponsors needed

The Community Blood Center, the provider of blood to the Atchison Community Hospital is in need of summer blood drive sponsors.

The flu and snow has had a significant impact on our overall collections. Unfortunately, we continue to experience a significant decline in our collections. The Community Blood Center in St. Joseph Missouri is currently seeking church, clubs, organizations, businesses, and schools to help meet the demand for



**PLAY BALL**  
**VINTAGE BASEBALL GAME**

Saturday, July 27th at 4 p.m.  
Joe Tinker Field (under the water tower)  
Muscotah, Kansas · Home of the World's Largest Baseball

The Cowtown Vintage Base Ball Club  
Wichita

VS

The Hodgeman Nine  
Jetmore/Hanston

Free admission. Donations go to Joe Tinker themed projects. Food sales go to community projects.

Hot dogs, apple pie, and ice cream!  
Bring lawn chairs.

Watch baseball mural being painted!

Muscotah, located in western Atchison County, is the birth town of Hall of Fame Chicago Cub shortstop, Joe Tinker. He was part of the famous double play combination Tinker to Evers to Chance. The Kansas House of Representatives proclaimed July 27 Joe Tinker Day. It's his birth date (1880) and death date (1948) and game day (2013)!

More information at [www.kansasampler.org](http://www.kansasampler.org).

Sponsored by Rainbow Communications and Union State Bank

summer blood. We are in need of summer blood drive sponsors. If you or your group could sponsor a summer blood drive please email [bat@cbckc.org](mailto:bat@cbckc.org) or call 816-351-9308 for more information.



**GARY ALLAN**

**LEE BRICE & LAUREN ALAIN**

**LakeFest 2013**

FRIDAY, JULY 19, 2013  
GATES OPEN AT 4:00 PM

AT SCENIC WARNOCK LAKE ATCHISON, KS

ADVANCED TICKETS: \$25 | AT THE GATE: \$30  
CHILDREN AGE 10 & UNDER ADMITTED FREE