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The United Credit Union 2018 Chili Cook-off was the best ever this year! A large Crowd enjoyed the evening. This year's Chili Cook-off winners for the benefit of the Beth Slagle family were: Regular Chili Category was Karen Stoecklein #2 took 1st place and Ness City Library #5 placed 2nd. Spicy Chili Category was High Plains Farm Credit #8 was 1st and Chubbs' Que #6 placed 2nd. White Chili Category was Chubbs' Que #11 took 1st and Jason Ratliff #12 placed 2nd. The Surprise Ingredient Chili Category was won by Peggy Bain #20 won 1st and Chubbs' Que #16, took 2nd place. The BEST Over-All Chili was made by Peggy Bain #20. With the support from the community we were able to raise around \$4,751.00 for Beth. We want to thank everyone that helped by submitting their chili, making a donation and making soups or desserts for the benefit supper. We want to thank the community for showing your support by just attending. It was so wonderful to see our community come together to help raise money, but not only money, but to provide the strength and encouragement. Keith Burditt and the Gypsy Kansas Band were wonderful. They kept everyone entertained all evening. It was so great to hear such a great local band. Dave Reinert was unbelievable that he would stop cutting milo just so he could help make sure the electric system didn't blow up on us. We can't thank him enough for that. We also want to thank our credit union Board of Directors for allowing us to offer this worth -while event. Without their support this event wouldn't have happen. We are so proud to be part of United Credit Union and living with our theme of "People helping People". Our prayers and thoughts continue to be for Beth and her family.

Thank You, Vets

As Veteran's Day nears, United Credit Union would like to extend a heartfelt "Thank You" to the courageous men and women who have dedicated their careers and lives to preserving our freedom in America.

Veteran's Day, held each year on November 11, marks the day when we, as a country, honor all military personnel for their bravery and sacrifice. Now observed in cities and communities throughout the US, this important day officially became a legal holiday on June 1, 1954. Citizens pay homage and show respect to our veterans in many ways including flying the flag, attending parades, volunteering at local VA hospitals, or touring monuments/memorials. One of the most well-known Veteran's Day tributes is a wreath-laying ceremony at the Arlington National Cemetery where over 40,000 veterans and their families are buried.

More recently the week of November 11-17 became known as National Veterans Awareness Week and comes with special observances.

Every day, but especially this time of year, remember those who have given so much. Thank an American veteran for their patriotism and willingness to serve for the good of all.

Simple Ways To Save Money

- * Pay with cash. You spend less when you use cash. Swiping plastic doesn't hurt like spending your hard-earned cash.
- * Don't buy because it is on sale. Many people will buy items simply because they are on sale. If you don't need it - don't buy it just because it's on sale.
- * Price Match/Comparison shop before you buy. Many stores will price match, even prices you find online.
- * Use coupons - don't buy full price! Only coupon things you really will use rather than buying something just for the sake of getting a good deal.
- * Make a shopping list before you go to the store and stick to it. It can be tempting to toss other items into your cart, but if you follow your list, you'll get only the things you need.
- Follow the 30-day rule. If you feel like you're treating yourself to an unnecessary purchase, it's probably true. Write the item down and wait thirty days. If at the end of that time you decide you still want it, then go for it.
- **Let e-Services Simplify Your Life**

Your credit union is at your fingertips when you sign up for electronic services. Once you enjoy the convenience, you will wonder how you ever lived without them. When you receive your account statements electronically, you won't have to worry about forwarding your mail if you're away or a thief raiding your mailbox. We'll send you an email alerting you when your statement is ready, and you can then check it out at your convenience. E-statements save trees, too!

- You also can save a trip to the credit union when you use our online branch: You can transfer funds, make a loan payment, check your balance. Let e-Services simplify your life.

the LAST Word

There are good and bad times, but our mood changes more often than our fortune.