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### Hello LiNK Members,

Welcome 2021!! I think we will all be ringing in the year with extra bells and whistles! 2020 has come to a close and many of us are more than ready to lay the year to rest. Though we may not be a fan of 2020 and hope not to relive it, the year was full of insightful wisdom. If we can allow the challenges over the year to teach us anything, it is to **'Not take life for granted'** and to 'Live every day to its fullest'. 2020 has certainly brought these phrases to light. We have all witnessed how everything can change in a *sneeze*.

Even though we don't get to choose everything in life, we do get to choose **how we live**. Remembering to love your loved ones a little more, do the good things you have been meaning to do, show simple caring acts, a genuine smile, a kind word, simply remembering to hold the door open for another even in our daily bustle and putting others first. What an impact all of these gestures can have to make our world a brighter place- a little more heaven on earth. **We were reminded in 2020 that we are not guaranteed tomorrow and to make the most of every day and treat it what it is, a gift.**

We are hopeful 2021 will bring better fortune, yet beyond that may we *recognize* all we *have* and *appreciate* the blessings that surround us with a *grateful* heart!

Happier New Year to you friends!

Warmest wishes,

Natasha Phillips



# HAPPY NEW YEAR

# 2021



# 2020 HOLIDAY DINNER Drive-Thru

## Holiday Dinner Gift Card Winners:

Caryl Button  
Carol Drury  
Della Peters  
Vic Reist  
John Harms  
Cecilia Fistler  
Delores Vasey  
Al Johnson  
Martha Kies  
Gregg Anderson

Mike De Neui  
Joy Reinert  
Vicki Draper  
Betty Coffman  
Jane Whitehead  
Janice Tranbarger  
Roger Crawford  
Peggy Robbins  
Eleanor Lott  
Frank Valde

Maggie Steinfeldt  
Ken Barz  
Maury Hyde  
Connie Pemberton  
Jan Dirks  
Scott Swartz  
Dorothy Sheller  
Bob Fетters  
Lynnette Groepper  
Judith Andrews

Thank you to everyone who came out for the Holiday Dinner Drive-Thru! We are thankful to have been able to celebrate despite the pandemic. We also want to extend our thanks to the Eldora Firehouse for catering the event. It was great to see you all again. We appreciate you and hope the New Year is bright!!



*Nativity Scene*



*Waiting in Line*



*HCSB Staff*



*Perfect December Night*



*Firehouse Staff*



*Elves Serving*



*Kathy ad Maggie*



## Cash for Schools Debit Card Program

Use your HCSB Debit Card and earn cash for South Hardin, BCLUW and AGWSR schools. Hardin County Savings Bank will donate up to 10% of our interchange income for purchases that require a signed sales receipt (including internet transactions) and for each purchase that requires a PIN. The overall donation each school receives depends on how many customers choose that school, and how many transactions are made. The income is based on the amount of card usage. The more a debit card is used, the more money the school will receive.

Mascot debit cards or any HCSB debit card can be used for the HCSB Cash for Schools program.

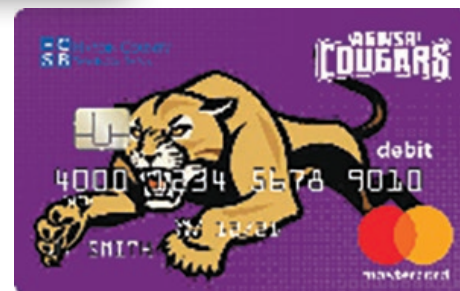
*David and Maggie Vanderwilt of HCSB presenting the check to Dr. Adam Zellmer, Superintendent South Hardin schools.*



South Hardin Schools donation of \$3595.77 accepted by Superintendent, Adam Zellmer with HCSB President and CEO, David Vander Wilt.



BCLUW Schools donation of \$609.66 accepted by Superintendent, Ben Petty with HCSB Vice President, Jeff Duit.



AGWSR Schools received a donation of \$74.65.



# The lyrics to this song “How You Live” by Point of Grace express



Andy



Ben



Lori



Jeff



Laura

Wake up to the sunlight with your windows open. Don't hold in your anger or  
Make a big mess and make lots of wishes. And have what you want. But



Emily



Natalie



Charlette



Janele



Jake

Turn up the music, turn it up loud. Take a few chances, let it all out. 'Cause you won't regret it...Looking back



Kim



Natasha



Marc



Haley



Jamie

So, go to the ballgames and go to the ballet. And go see your folks more  
Tell your husband you love him every night. Oh, wherever you



Jim



Amber



Matt



Deanna



Maggie

So, give to the needy and pray for the grieving. Even when you don't t  
So, think of your fellow man. And make peace with God. And make



# Express our wishes for you in 2021. Happy New Year!

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Melissa



Christie



Dave



Amanda



Kathy

or leave things unspoken. Wear your red dress, use your good dishes.  
ut want what you have. And don't spend your life looking back.



Shelby



Sandy



Pam



Dianne



Josie

back from where you have been 'Cause it's not who you knew. And it's not what you did, it's how you live.



Renee



Mindy



Krista



Audrey



Larry

re than just on the holidays. Kiss all your children, dance with your wife.  
you are and wherever you've been. Now is the time to begin



Kris



John



Donna



Rick



Sherri

hink that you can. 'Cause all that you do is bound to come back to you.  
e peace with yourself. And it's not what you did, it's how you live.



Let the sun  
shine in.



## New Café Opens On Square

By Elaine Loring News Editor, Mid-American Publishing and Printing (Used with permission)

**ELDORA** – Istref and Merida Vishaj wanted to open a restaurant and had been looking for a location in central Iowa. Meanwhile, Harold Meyer had just purchased the old Eldora Pizza and Steakhouse building on the square. He did so with the hopes to open a place to eat a great breakfast.

The Vishajs, who are from Kosovo and Macedonia, had looked at the building a year ago, but when they inquired about it recently, they discovered Meyer had already bought it from HCSB. They contacted Meyer, talked about it, and he decided to set up a lease agreement with them. Harold had bought it a few months ago, decided to help with the remodel and take care of a few things. Then Harold told the Vishajs “It’s your baby.” “And here we are,” laughed Merida.

Work was ongoing for several weeks last fall. They replaced flooring, some equipment and deep cleaned the whole building, which had been closed since Aug. 11, 2019. The newly named Sunshine Café opened for business on Thursday, Dec. 3, for American style breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Sunshine Café’s hours will be 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sundays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays; 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays; and they will be closed on Monday.

The menu will include a full variety of breakfast items, served any time, including skilletts, omelets, waffles, eggs, pancakes, french toast, biscuits and gravy and breakfast sandwiches. Lunch will include salads and a variety of sandwiches, while dinner includes Italian dishes, stir-frys, steak, chicken and seafood, as well as burgers and sandwiches. There’s also a kid’s menu. Two favorite menu items so far would be the Sunshine Chicken and the breakfast skilletts.

When asked why Eldora, Merida replied, “I liked the town, and they needed something here.” Merida’s brother owns the Sunrise Café in LeGrand and her dad owns Nina’s Café in Sumner, so they have some experience in the restaurant business. And that is her favorite part so far – serving the community in their own restaurant! The Vishajs currently live in Marshalltown, but will eventually relocate to Eldora. They are actively looking for a place to live in Eldora. They have a son, Ismer, 8, and a daughter Lorena, 3.

All of us at HCSB are thankful to have the Sunshine Café open on the square! Merida mentions that working with Natalie, Pam and Marc at HCSB has been a great experience for them. Welcome to Eldora and we wish you much success!



# Online Banking for the New Year

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## Digital Wallet

Try Something New in 2021. If one of your New Year Resolutions is to try something new in the digital world, consider trying a digital wallet. With our new technology upgrade, digital wallets are now available for your HCSB debit card and HCSB credit card.

### What is a digital wallet?

Digital wallets offer a convenient way to pay by allowing you to simply use your phone to pay instead of cash or your plastic HCSB debit or credit card.

### What is it exactly?

Digital wallets contain digital versions of your credit and debit cards that are stored in wallet apps on your mobile device. Examples of these apps include Apple Pay, Samsung Pay and Google Pay. To protect your security your card number and personal information are not stored.

### Is it easy to use?

Yes. Simply load your HCSB debit card or credit card via the digital wallet app on your phone. Use it to pay on the go.

### Where can I use it?

Once you have your card loaded in your digital wallet, you can use it by holding your phone up to the symbol on the terminal instead of inserting your card.

### Is it secure?

Your actual card number is not stored on your device or shared with most merchants. The app assigns each credit and debit card a virtual card number associated only with the digital wallet and the mobile device you use. Your digital wallet can't be used for a payment without your authentication. So, your information is protected even if your phone is lost or stolen.

### Lunch Winners!

**Congratulations to our birthday lunch winners: Mary Harms, Julia Klemme, Virginia Rinehart, and Robert Donaldson.**

Each month two members' names are drawn from that month's birthday list. You could be the next lucky winner!



### Puzzle Winner!

**Susan Granzow** was the **Puzzle Winner** for the March/April Newsletter and received a \$20 gift card.

Thank you to all who submitted puzzle entries! Be sure to return your completed puzzle in this issue. You may be the next lucky winner of a \$20 gift card.



## Pandemic Word Search Puzzle

I I K D H Y T E A C B B V U U Y B G U U  
C T T A I Q A W I D C H A E V N O Y L C  
Z M L I K S A M V P M K I C C K U A W S  
T X G L J L E Z L O C K D O W N O E I M  
S C I M E D N A P H N C V A L K E X B B  
G D J I I I T P S E Q G K A L B F I M R  
E C I P Y I S X R E C I U L W E N L C H  
O R E S P I R A T O R Y Y T E F A S Y S  
C A P S T T H E R M O M E T E R R O M K  
B Q O A E A T O P L U U H C R A E S E R  
G H E N I T N A R A U Q T H S Y D V T A  
M O R I D A O C O I P I L B D I O I V U  
M O S T V S W F I T O T A I R O E A F N  
P Y O I K N O I T N E V E R P E C P N Y  
B V R Z T Y H R O E G P H L J C A T Q K  
B U D E E T Q Z I S O L A T I O N K O B  
S X S R V B B O B S N B Q N B O B H D R  
H R Y Z Q E F T K E O H E S I C T D U D  
G R S I B H F T U L H Y X A V H Z C V M  
D W E R Y K B W G G V Q S G S W C T F T

CHINA  
CORONA VIRUS  
DISEASE  
DISTANCING  
DOCTOR  
EPIDEMIC  
ESSENTIAL  
FEVER  
GLOBAL  
HEALTH  
HOSPITAL  
INFECTION  
ISOLATION  
LOCKDOWN  
MASK  
OUTBREAK  
PANDEMIC  
PREVENTION  
QUARANTINE  
RESEARCH  
RESPIRATORY  
SAFETY  
SANITIZER  
SARS  
SIXFEET  
SOAP  
THERMOMETER  
TOILET PAPER  
VACCINE  
ZOOM

**2020 is A Year to Remember!**

**May the New Year bring Good NEWS-  
and may COVID be a thing of the past!**

### Be Paper Free!

Include your email below and you will receive your LINK newsletter via email instead of snail mail. You'll love receiving it sooner and your desk will thank you! Return your completed puzzle to an HCSB location or send to Natasha at [Natasha@hardincsb.com](mailto:Natasha@hardincsb.com) by **Friday, February 11th** to be included in the \$20 gift card drawing.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

### Christmas Trivia Answers

1. In Canada, the zip code for Santa is? H0H 0H0
2. Charlie Brown Christmas premiered in what year? 1965
3. According to the Readers Digest, the best Iowa Christmas cookie is? Gumdrop
4. Which Queen of England was the 1st to bring a Christmas tree into her palace? Queen Victoria
5. Who is credited as being the 1st person to put lights on a Christmas tree? Martin Luther
6. What was the name of the historical decade where the tradition of milk and cookies for Santa was started? The Great Depression
7. According to Norse mythology, if a lady refused to be kissed while standing under mistletoe what would be the result? Bad Luck
8. In what country is it a Christmas tradition to eat fried chicken? Japan
9. The Christmas song "White Christmas" was written in what year? 1940
10. The poinsettia was brought to the states from what country? Mexico