## Atchison Match Day fund holders unveiled

(KAIR)--The third annual "All Aboard Atchison" Match Day Event is set for next month, with \$125,000 in matching grant funds being offered to fund holders of the Atchison Area Community Foundation, with all 47 of the participating fund holders now made public.

- Amberwell Health
- The Amelia Earhart Birthplace Museum
- The Amelia Earhart Festival Endowment
- The Atchison Amelia Earhart Foundation
- The Atchison Area Community Foundation General Fund
- The Atchison Area Economic Development Corporation (AAEDC)
- The Atchison Area United Way
- The Atchison Art Association
- The Atchison Child Care Association
- The Atchison Community Education Foundation
- The Atchison Community Health Clinic
- The Atchison County Community Schools Education Foundation
- The Atchison County Extension Educational Programs Fund
- The Atchison County Food Pantry
- The Atchison County Historical Society
- The Atchison County Kansas Genealogy Society
- The Atchison Public Library
- The Atchison Public Library Building Improvement Fund

- The Atchison Riverfront Foundation
- The Atchison Rotary Foundation Fund
- The Atchison United Methodist Church Good News Fund
- The Boys & Girls Club of Atchison Fund
- Circle of Art Atchison
- Clubs for Kids Scholarship Fund
- The Delbert "Dub" Ehret Scholarship Fund
- Effingham Union Church
- The First Judicial District CASA Association
- The First Presbyterian Church of Atchison
- The Highland Community College Foundation
- HOPE Family Therapy, Inc.
- Live Well Live Atchison, Inc.
- The Mary Lea Johanning Scholarship Foundation
- The Muscotah Cemetery
- Phoenix Performing Arts Booster Club
- Pony Express Council, Boy Scouts of America
- Project Atchison
- Project Concern, Inc.
- Riverbend Habitat for Humanity
- The Salvation Army Red Shield Center
- The Skate High with Hope Joshua Kinsman Foundation
- Sleep in Heavenly Peace (Benedictine College Chapter)

- Swim Atchison Project
- The Guidance Center
- Theatre Atchison / Fox Theatre
- USD 409 Soccer Field Renovation
- The Valley Hope Foundation Atchison Facility Improvements Fund

Last year's Match Day event drew 40 participating nonprofit organizations, with the Foundation collecting local gifts totaling \$245,253, with a total of \$338,935 raised after matching funds were calculated.

According to a release from the Foundation, \$125,000 in matching grant funds are available to provide a 60-percent match for funds raised by participating fundholders.

The release explains how Match Day works, saying a \$1,000 contribution to a selected charity will be supplemented with a \$600 grant from the Foundation for a net contribution of \$1,600.

Matching funds are first come, first serve, and max out at \$5,000 in match provided per organization.

The Atchison Area Community Foundation's "All Aboard Match Day" 2023 is scheduled for Friday, August 18, from 4 until 6:30, at the Atchison Event Center.

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