



Fleur de Lis



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FOR OUR COMMUNITY

Springs Valley Partners with INvestEd

Springs Valley Bank & Trust Company has a new partnership to help students fund their education or reach their student loan repayment goals!

We have partnered with **INvestEd**, a nonprofit that has been serving Hoosiers for over 40 years. INvestEd offers private student loan products with competitive rates and various repayment options.

TUITION LOANS:

After grants, scholarships, and even federal student loans are used, a student may still have a funding gap. INvestEd offers private student loan options to fill that gap while also providing expert assistance so you make informed decisions and only borrow what you need.

STUDENT LOAN REFINANCING:

Monthly student loan payments don't have to break your budget. Often borrowers are paying interest rates higher than they need to, and they may also be in the wrong repayment plan. Completing an application or

a quick call with one of INvestEd's experts may help you find options and could save you thousands with a lower interest rate, lower monthly payment, or both.



WE HELP STUDENTS
Get to School, Engage in School,
and Graduate

Click here to learn more about our partnership with INvestEd:

<https://www.svbt.bank/Student-Loans.aspx>

Celebrating
15 Years of Service!



Annette Mehringer

“ I have been with Springs Valley Bank & Trust for 15 years. I first started as a teller, and shortly thereafter, I moved to the Operations department. I feel that there has been such great opportunities working at the Bank. I have worked with such great people and have made lasting relationships over the years. Springs Valley feels like one big family that will always be there for you. I have seen the Bank grow and stay true to the small value of a community bank. I'm looking forward to seeing the new and exciting things that will take place in the future. ”

Annette

Congrats Annette!



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COMPETENCE.

OWNERSHIP.
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CYBER SECURITY TIP

Be Careful on Social Media

- Install Anti-Virus Software
- Avoid unnecessary downloads
- Be overly suspicious

Source: <https://www.executech.com/insights/following-easy-digital-security-tips/>

NOW HIRING

<https://www.svbt.bank/Careers.aspx>

If you would like to join the SVBT team and participate in the mentorship program click here for available career opportunities.

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Chelsey Bell Promoted to Assistant Vice President & Deposit Manager

Springs Valley Bank & Trust Company names Chelsey Bell, Assistant Vice President & Deposit Manager. Chelsey began her banking career with Springs Valley in 2011 as a Teller. In 2018, she accepted a Universal Banker position and then became the Valley Banking Center Manager in January 2020.

"I am proud to be a part of Springs Valley Bank and help enhance the financial quality of life in my community that I grew up in and love. I wouldn't be where I am today without the support and encouragement from family, friends, and co-workers that are like a second family," said Chelsey.

Chelsey graduated from Springs Valley High School in 2007 with Academic Honors. In 2012 she graduated from Vincennes University with a Bachelor's Degree in Elementary & Special Education. Chelsey was a 2011 Recipient of the Golden Deeds Award and a 2019 graduate of the Orange County Community Leadership Program.

She is a member of Tri-Kappa Sorority in French Lick and the Daughters of the American Revolution. In her spare time, she

enjoys traveling, reading, and spending time with family and friends.

"Chelsey continually shows her dedication to enhancing the lives of our customers and her team members." said Dianna Land SEVP & HR & Marketing Manager.

"Chelsey is a true leader; it is an honor to work with her and support her continued growth as she takes on her new role of Deposit Manager."

Chelsey can be reached at 812.936.5625 or cbell@svbt.bank.



Nikita Brown Promoted to Assistant Vice President & eServices Manager

Nikita Brown, Assistant Vice President of Springs Valley Bank & Trust Company, has recently been named eServices Manager. Nikita began her banking career with Springs Valley in 2013 as a Teller. In 2018, she accepted a Universal Banker position and then became the Paoli Banking Center Manager in January 2020. Most recently, Nikita has accepted the role of eServices Manager.

"Springs Valley Bank & Trust continues to provide me with opportunities for personal success. That personal success in turn translates to an even better customer experience because I am afforded the tools needed to offer the best customer service possible. I am grateful for this opportunity and look forward to continuing serving our great customers." said Nikita Brown.

Nikita is a 2008 graduate from Springs Valley High School and a 2018 graduate of the Orange County Community Leadership Program. She holds a Universal Banker Certification and is a 2022 graduate of Indiana Banker Association's Leadership Development Program.

Nikita and husband, Zach, reside in French Lick with sons, Cutler & Carston and their dogs, Libbey and Maggie. She is

a member of Elon Christian Church, member of Tri-Kappa of French Lick, and is on the Board of Directors for Orange County Habitat for Humanity and the Paoli Chamber of Commerce. Nikita enjoys spending time with family, traveling to new places, and watching her boys play sports.

"Nikita continually shows her passion for supporting her customers and her team members." said Dianna Land SEVP & HR & Marketing Manager "Springs Valley is proud to promote Nikita and we are excited to see everything she accomplishes as eServices Manager."

Nikita can be reached at 812.936.5616 or nbrown@svbt.bank.





Springs Valley helps **tornado victims** in Paoli, Indiana

In the wake of the storms on Sunday, August 5th, we partnered with Green Acres Golf Course, Big Creek Boutique, Jealous Neighbors Landscaping, and Fast Eddies to provide to-go meals for those directly affected by storm damage. We served over 1,100 free meals to community members over a two-day period. It was a testament to the strength and unity of our community.

Springs Valley is committed to helping our communities during these times to overcome any obstacle and emerge stronger together.

Jamie Shinabarger Honored as Sagamore of the Wabash



Jamie R. Shinabarger, chairman of the Indiana Bankers Association, has been honored as a Sagamore of the Wabash by Gov. Eric J. Holcomb.

The award was presented by State Sen. Travis Holdman, R-Markle, on Sunday, Aug. 27, during the chairman's banquet at the IBA Annual Convention in French Lick. The Sagamore of the Wabash is given to exemplary Hoosiers in recognition of distinguished statewide service.

Shinabarger is CEO and director of Springs Valley Bank & Trust Company, Jasper. His community involvement includes service on the boards of Dubois Strong and Radius Indiana, and volunteering for the Kiwanis Club of Jasper and Junior Achievement.

"Jamie's work in the banks he has served over the past four decades, his leadership of Springs Valley and his passion for giving back to his community made him an easy choice for the IBA Nominating Committee to be our chairman and an honorable

choice for this distinguished award," said Amber R. Van Til, president and CEO of the IBA. "He has a passion and drive to make community banking all that it can be in the state of Indiana and in the nation; to lift us up, to encourage us, both as staff at the IBA and as bankers across the state; and to create an environment that's not only good for our banks and their staff, but for the communities they serve."

Shinabarger is a graduate of Taylor University, earned an MBA from Indiana Wesleyan University and received a certification of completion in executive education from the Ohio State College of Business.



State Sen. Travis Holdman, R-Markle (right), presents Jamie R. Shinabarger with the Sagamore of the Wabash award at the Indiana Bankers Association's Annual Convention, Sunday, Aug. 27, 2023, in French Lick, IN



ABOUT THE INDIANA BANKERS ASSOCIATION

The Indiana Bankers Association supports Indiana banking through issues advocacy, professional education, and products and services that enhance financial institutions' ability to help build better communities.

Springs Valley invites you to join us for our

CUSTOMER & COMMUNITY

APPRECIATION

COOKOUTS

2023

Enjoy burgers, brats, chips, & more!

Visit our lobbies to register for our prize drawing!

ORANGE CO.
September 8

11 am to 1 pm
(EST)

Paoli Banking Center
867 North Gospel Street
Paoli

ORANGE CO.
September 15

11 am to 1 pm
(EST)

Valley Banking Center
8482 W State Road
French Lick

DUBOIS CO.
September 22

11 am to 1 pm
(EST)

Jasper - Main Street
Banking Center
1500 Main Street, Jasper

DAVISS CO.
September 29

11 am to 1 pm
(EST)

Washington Banking Center
1717 South State Road 57
Suite A, Washington

GIBSON CO.
October 6

11 am to 1 pm
(CST)

Princeton Banking Center
1501 West Broadway
Princeton

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