

QUESTION CONTINUED



## The Star Project

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When asked the question, “What is it about doing business in Walla Walla that gives you the most joy?” Linda Scott, Executive Director of the STAR Project had a very long list including “Being a part of the lives of people who are making positive changes for themselves, their families and ultimately the community”.

Key for STAR is the COMMUNITY, the individuals, businesses, landlords, donors who help STAR and its five (5) staff members provide foundational support to individuals being released from incarceration. The wrap-around services like housing support, case management and employment/education provide the essential support necessary for successful integration into the community as productive, contributing members.

“It is essential that our work is collaborative, everyone has a part to play in our community and the better we work together the more impact we have” Linda said.



## Krivoshein McDaniels Financial

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Kim McDaniels, an owner of Krivoshein McDaniels Financial, takes a lot of pride in working in the Walla Walla community. Their investment management service model allows and encourages them to develop strong relationships with their clients. “Our clients are those individuals, families, and business owners in our community. As we work with them and work hard for them to achieve their financial and business goals, it is so rewarding to see them succeed and our community succeed”, Kim stated.

Kim conveyed that working through the goals with clients takes time, patience, and a lot of meetings and phone calls. Achieving financial goals often looks like little wins along the way, but it is a pleasure for Krivoshein McDaniels Financial to be a part of that. Kim shared that “as someone who works and lives in this community, I especially enjoy supporting other local businesses”.

Krivoshein Financial knows the time, love and effort that goes into making a small business survive and thrive and they make every effort to support that dream. As Kim put it “The more we can do to support our community the more opportunities we will have to see our citizens succeed and enjoy this special town”.



## Harvust

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In talking to Riley Clubb, co-owner of HARVUST, everything about Walla Walla brings him joy. Harvust helps farms streamline key human resources tasks easily and efficiently. According to Riley, everyone from the farm CEO to the migrant farmworker uses Harvust.

In answer to our question Riley stated he is truly grateful to have grown up in Walla Walla, with its rich community, history, and unique way of life. Often, he takes a break from computer work to cycle around Bennington Lake. His daily trip into nature is a highlight of the day. Riley says, “Life here feels more grounded and present than other places”. He feels that there is a special charm in Walla Walla’s small-town vibe, where the possibility of a familiar face and a friendly smile is right around the corner. On top of that he thinks Walla Walla has an intriguing history of innovation, most recently demonstrated by the people who built the world class wineries and restaurants around town. “Walla Walla might be a small spot on the map, but it takes up a big place in my heart, and I can’t see myself living anywhere else”, Riley said.