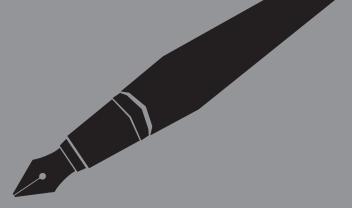
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Logo

The intended audience of this business card is those who are looking to publish creative text. The business card is designed to be passed out at writing and editing conventions.

Programs used were Adobe Illustrator and Indesign.





Flyer

The target audience of this flyer are 18–25 year-old single college students at BYU stressed and looking for an excuse not to do HW. The flyer is intended to be placed in main gathering areas of the student center as both a 8.5x11in sheet and a smaller handout size for students to take. Programs used were Adobe Photoshop, Indesign, and Illustrator.





Fridays, March 1-22 5-10pm



The Wilkinson Center room 3222

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Book

This book is a compilation of email correspondence among my family members, who are the intended audience. The book's intended use is much like that of a scrapbook—to be taken out and read on ocassion, usually in a family setting. Programs used were Adobe Photoshop and Indesign.



When Brooke was on her mission we enjoyed emailing her each Sunday. When she came home, we decided to continue the practice as a way of keeping everyone in the loop on the happenings of our family. It has been so fun to hear from everyone each week and is a great way for us to look back as we chronicle the adventures and accomplishments of the Anderson family.

With love, The Andersons Dear Family

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Family Letter 1 March 12, 2018

Good morning. This letter will be a bit short because we are just getting started with the concept. Please send me material to be included in our weekly letter in the future. It doesn't have to be much, but even a line or two is better than nothing.

Brooke

I think my most exciting news of the week was that I started my temple shift on Saturday. It was a wonderful experience and when I was ordained as a temple worker I received some neat blessings, among them that I would have the gifts of faith and love and that I would gain greater understanding of the ordinances and how they applied to my life.

On Friday I went on my second date with Nate to the BYU gymnastics meet and we had a great time. He continues to impress me. Today (Sunday) we went together to a temple and family history work fireside given by a member of the seventy, Elder Anderson, and I learned some neat things, among which, Elder Anderson offered it as his personal opinion that when Elijah committed the keys to Joseph it also authorized angels to come to earth and help in the work.

This coming weekend I might head to Moab to go backpacking with Tiffany Flatman and some of her friends. More on that next week:)

Dad

It is great to have Grandma Ellen and Thom with us for the last day and a half. They will be joining "us" camping in Florida this week. Unfortunately, I cannot get away from class until Wednesday evening so I'll be joining everyone on Thursday for a couple of days at the beach. On Monday night I'm heading to DC for a quick consulting trip—back Tuesday night.

I finished reading the Book of Mormon this week! It was a wonderful experience and a blessing. The same day I had the opportunity to share a copy of the Book of Mormon with someone at work.

Next week I will be heading out to Utah for our first-ever Brothers Trip. We plan to spend Wednesday in Provo (I hope to see Kylie & Josh & Brooke) and then head down to the Rafael Swell to go camping on Thursday.

A summary of other goings on:

- Kylie accepted a position teaching HS Math!
- Josh has a job (need more details!)
- Dallin took the SAT and is preparing to receive his Patriarchal Blessing
- Jacob participated in a track meet, submitted his mission papers, and deferred his BYU acceptance
- Mom has been beautifying the home and putting in new fixtures
- Dad's shop is slowly taking shape

Family Letter 2



Dad

What a crazy week! Monday was a work day with my first meetings starting at 7:30 AM culminating with a dash to the airport after my second class for a trip to DC. On Tuesday, after a short sleep, I prepared to help out with a deposition, and then was a back-up for the attorneys taking the deposition of another (opposing) expert.

On the way back to the airport, I had the opportunity to talk about the gospel with my Uber driver and found that he is an inactive member. He committed to attend church again and felt that God had brought us together—what a wonderful experience.



Wednesday was another crazy day. I awoke after another very short night of sleep, packed for camping, and headed in to work in Grandma & Thom's car before the rush hour got bad. At a 1/2 mile from the house I was rear-ended in Thom's car :-(. The damage was not too bad but I still felt bad and it put me in to work 1.5 hours late. I was finally able to get away from the office at about 8:15 PM to drive to Albany. Another short night and I got up to participate in several conference calls and finish up some consulting before driving the remaining 4.5 hours to Florida. Throughout this I could really feel and see the Lord's help as I was able to operate on little sleep, get much done, and even have a missionary experience. The rest of the week was spent with the family camping (see Mom's post below) and trying to recover from the first half of the week.

Today Mom and I sang "How Great Shall Be Your Joy" by Janice Kapp Perry in sacrament meeting. Then I gave a talk introducing the ward mission plan.

Mom

We enjoyed a visit from Grandma and Thom. They arrived last Saturday and then we had a busy Sunday with Church, choir, extra rehearsals, and then more activities. We went to bed exhausted.

Monday we packed for our trip to the beach. Dad left for work and then to the airport Monday night for a consulting trip to DC. He came back late Tuesday night, slept at home, repacked, and left early Wed. for a full day of work. After a late day at work he drove 3 hours to a hotel in Albany. Got to bed about midnight, awoke at 6:30 so he could work some more before he left to join us at the beach. He finally arrived Thursday - he was so keyed up from all of his work and travel it took him until Saturday to really relax and by then we were headed home! The rest of us packed on Monday and Thom almost had a bad fall. He was standing on the ladder helping to tie on the kayaks (which Vicki had only watched but never done by herself) when he leaned back and the ladder went out from under him. He was able to get his feet on the ground and never fell, but it was a close call! He then proceeded to hit his head on the racks on the car several times and almost fall again. We thought we might not make it camping! We left around 10:00 on Tuesday and made it to the campground without any problems. Our site was secluded but once we put up or tent, there wasn't much room to walk. That tent is huge! We couldn't put up the awning because it would've hit the fire pit so we made do with going in and out of the back door.



Thom and Grandma were comical putting up their tent and were only saved by the boys and I helping them to figure out what was the front of their tent and what were the sides! We enjoyed beautifully sunny skies while we were there, but the first day was so chilly with a strong wind that all we did was walk along the beach with our coats and hats on – a new type of beach experience and no sunscreen needed! We managed to brave the next day without coats and only Dallin was brave enough to

spend time in the water looking for small muscles to race. We had a lot of muscle races and he managed to pick the winners almost all of the time!! By Thursday we could finally get in the water and even Grandma put on her suit and jumped in the waves for a while. Other campers thought she was crazy but we were so glad to have some water time. Thursday and Friday we enjoyed the kayaks and having David at the beach. Dad even joined us in the water for a little while because he knows how much I love the water. Jacob said it was the vacation he wanted and in the end, that was what mattered most! One of our most fun activities this time was building sand castles next to the water and as we watched the sunset, watching the waves destroy the castle. It was entertaining both evenings we did it. We also finally saw the Ghost Crabs after three nights of hunting. They were fun to find! The thing we missed most at the beach was our phone calls with Kylie and Brooke! It was hard being without cell service!

Kylie & Josh

Josh is busy learning his new role in the bishopric and Kylie is almost done coding her data to start her analysis.

Brooke

This week was a little slower, as in no tests and no projects (which of course isn't the best omen for the coming weeks). But onto the fun things, Thursday evening Nate joined our apartment for games and then asked me if I wanted to join him for a run Friday morning. We ran part way up the mountain and had scripture study (on our phones) on a rock outcropping. And then we talked for a while and he held my hand.

Then we came to my apartment and had Pop–I pancakes. Saturday he realized that I would be going straight from my temple shift to stake conference and offered to have dinner ready for me at his apartment. He had cooked a really nice dinner and we quick ate and then went together to stake conference.

Today all my roommates were actually home after church so we ate together and now I am planning my schedule for next week and so excited to see Dad on Wednesday!!

Jacob

Last week we cleaned the house for camping, went camping and had a fabulous time! the weather was always sunny and we had a good campsite (despite the noseeums when it got warmer). I started reading more Terry Pratchett books and have been loving them, so glad I started reading some more (thanks josh for being a model in that regard).

Dallin

We went camping in Florida this week. I did some Kayaking on the ocean (really fun) and had a lot of fun helping to build elaborate sand castles and watching the tide destroy them. One castle Jacob and Mom and I worked with had a total of Three walls and a mini wall, along with two main moats. The tide still won. We saw some dolphins, jellyfish, and crabs, and on the drive home a bald eagle flew above the car. I even caught a floating blob in the ocean and put it in the bucket, and it turned out to be a sea anemone, and I had fun catching a couple sand crabs (small swimming insects) and feeding them to the anemone. I also had to give a lesson on Sunday in teachers quorum, and was able to teach the whole lesson.



Family Letter 5 April 17, 2018

Mom

This week I have been plagued by the desk Grandma so kindly brought to me. After two trips to Lowes, multiple times sanding and painting the desk, I thought I was almost there! I applied a special paint for cabinets that was supposed to be smooth with little or no brush marks. I applied it to the top and was pleased. I started applying it to the sides and back and the paint dripped in big drips and globs. I ended up scraping it off with a scraper and will commence resanding and priming this week! Next time, I won't buy paint from Lowes! I know better, but a lady at work said she had used it and loved it! Nope!! Benjamin Moore all the way for me. I'll send before and after pictures of my dreaded desk.









On Wednesday and Friday, Dad and I worked on the retaining walls. I've included a picture of them as well. They are coming along nicely. I would like to finish them this week so we can add dirt and start planting!! I first have to figure out how to get out the root balls of the devil bush (pyracantha)! Ah the joys of working outside—I really do love it! I have loved walking around the yard and seeing the plants come up and watch the bulbs I planted poke through the ground. It is thrilling!

Saturday Dad and I helped with the neighborhood work day – to my dismay they didn't do any planting of the entrances. They look bare and so sad! Then we hopped on our bikes and rode 30 miles on the silver comet trail! It was totally cool. We raced home because we had to shower and get ready for volunteering at the Shakespeare Tavern to watch "Loves Labor Lost". They did a wonderful job and the audience was really involved so it made it quite fun.

We are on a countdown for Jacob's mission call – we are hoping sometime this week or next!

Kylie & Josh

Josh got to sign up for his classes both for this summer and fall. We had a fun day building a fort on Saturday but the weather was too beautiful to not go on a long walk as well. The center of the fort bowed so it kept blocking the TV so we used a tripod to hold it up and it worked perfectly!

We got to watch synthesis (BYU Jazz band) on Wednesday night. I got sick this week but I'm feeling much better! Josh practiced a cheese soufflé for Brooke's birthday and it was a delicious trial run. I'm finishing up my math project and start my take home final next Wednesday but other than that it's just normal homework, thesis, and work.

Brooke

This week was spent mostly finishing up assignments and papers. Nate and I have been sort of trading off making dinner and studying at each other's apartments and are eager for when finals are over and we will have some more time to go on fun dates. Yesterday he taught me his favorite game, GO, and I think he let me win ;). Wednesday I have my French Horn recital and then it is on to finals!

Oh, I forgot to mention, last week I interviewed for an editing job with the BYU religious studies center. They called me back a few days alter to tell me that they had narrowed it down to two applicants, of which I was one, but that I didn't get the job. Then on Thursday I got a call from the head of the religious studies. He told me he had been impressed with my application and asked the religious professors if any of them were hiring. Long story short, I got an interview with a wonderful lady who hired me on the spot! I start work for her after finals.

Dallin

This week was interesting. I ended up working two days this week, though they were shorter days. We left for a campout with all the young men from eleven up on Friday. We camped at a lake, and went kayaking and I got some fishing in, though I didn't catch anything. We also volunteered at the Shakespeare Tavern on Saturday, and that was fun.

Dad

On my way to Germany! I am excited about the trip and the opportunity to travel business class on Lufthansa but I really don't like leaving my family. Last week was a busy work week punctuated with a deposition and a fun family day. The deposition was crazy—we expected it to last just a few hours since it only covered the definition of a few terms in a patent and they weren't that difficult. However, the attorney on the other side grilled me for over seven hours; often asking the same questions repeatedly, interrupting my answers, and generally acting like a rude jerk. Nevertheless, I think I did a good job and the attorney helping me said that he thought I did well.

As Mom said, we had a wonderful bike ride on Saturday; Mom kept up a nice pace—finishing the 30+ miles in just over 2 hours. The play was hilarious (except for the part that I slept through :– | — I guess I was pretty tired from trying to keep up with Mom). On Sunday, Brother Ryan Owens was made the new Elder's Quorum president.