

HEALTH CARE FIRST CREDIT UNION

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School is back in session, Labor Day weekend is over, and the holiday season will be here soon. BUT, before we wish away our fall season, next month is a big deal for us here at HealthCare First Credit Union, because it's National Breast Cancer Awareness Month!

Once again, we will be raising money to help end the battle with breast cancer. We will have a lot going on in October, and I think it's safe to

say that October is going to be packed FULL of fun stuff! For starters, you may have noticed that in the past our staff wears t-shirts throughout the month to show our support for breast cancer. This year, members can purchase a shirt as well. Please see the information on the back page of the newsletter if you would like to buy a shirt for Pink Month. They will be available for purchase at any office beginning on October 1st, but once they are gone, they're gone!

We will hold the coloring contest again for members who are 12 and under. The winner will receive a \$25 gift card. Color sheets will be available in each office by October 1st, and the deadline for the coloring contest will be Friday, October 26th. Please be sure to review all guidelines on the back of the color sheet.

We will be holding a raffle again this year too! All members will be able to purchase chances at any office starting on October 1st. The drawing will be held on Wednesday, October 31st. More details will be released in our October newsletter.

All offices will have pink ribbons for a \$1 donation to honor those who have survived the fight with breast cancer, continue to fight, or may have lost the battle with breast cancer. Let's decorate our offices in PINK ribbons to honor our loved ones!

A new event we are doing this year is a Staff Pumpkin Decorating Contest with our members being the judges! All you have to do is visit our Franklin Street or Duncansville office during the time of the contest and vote for your favorite pumpkin with your loose change.

The staff member's pumpkin that collects the most change is the winner! More details will be coming soon! All proceeds from the contest benefit breast cancer.

Each office will be collecting donations throughout the month of October. Proceeds will be given locally to the Joyce Murtha Breast Care Center and to the UPMC Altoona Breast Cancer Health Center.

Credit Union Day will be on Thursday, October 18. Each office will have some goodies to give a way so be sure to mark your calendars to stop by any office on that day!

Stay tuned to our October newsletter for more details about National Breast Cancer Month!

Vote for HealthCare First Credit Union in the Altoona Mirror Hometown Favorites!

We made it to Round 2 and now need your vote to win! Voting runs online from September 9th - October 7th!

It's that time of year again! Summer is ending and school buses are a common sight now on our commutes to work. Whether you are in school yourself or have children in school, we can all agree that summer went by faster than ever it seems. We want to wish you all luck in your new school year! We hope that all superintendents, principals, teachers, and students have a safe and successful school year! We also hope that all parents of students have a great school year as well. This can be a very stressful time for parents, especially if your student just started a milestone year such as kindergarten, middle school, high school, or college. Take it all in, because before we know it, the year will be over and summer will be around the corner again...



Donations for West End Lions Club

Our offices are collecting old eyeglasses and sunglasses for the Lions Club. They are especially in need of children's eyeglasses. Please feel free to drop off any of these items to any of our eight office locations. This is an ongoing project!



UPMC Employees:

Once you make your payroll changes in "My Hub," please contact the credit union and let us know your changes so we can make the necessary updates in our system. More information can be found on our website. All changes must be completed by September 30th. Contact our offices with any questions.

Important Information:

Any member that is enrolled in mobile capture and uploads a check for deposit MUST write "for mobile deposit only to HealthCare First Credit Union" on the back of the check.



Photo Contest Winners!

Our website photo contest wrapped up on August 24, and we received so many great entries! The judges had a hard time choosing the winners!! The two winning photos were submitted by Chuck McIlhenny of Johnstown for his photo of the Stone Bridge & Jared Frederick of Altoona for his photo of Altoona Pipe and Steel. Each individual received a cash prize of \$50. Please visit our website to see the winning background photos. Thank you to all of the talented individuals who entered the contest!!!



Pink Month Shirts!

Available at any office during the month of October in Medium, Large, and XL!



Cost: \$15 each

Access24

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Some of our members use our mobile app, Access24 for all of their banking needs, and

some have never tried it. Maybe you only use it to check your account balances because you aren't sure what all it can do. Well, if you don't use the app at all or only use parts of it, then you are missing out! Access24 is banking at your fingertips! You can do all of your banking from your smart phone - check account balances, manage accounts, make transfers, deposit a check with mobile capture, link your credit cards to view your balances, and more! The best part is that the app is available to download for FREE from your app store! Get Access24 today, and do all of your banking at your convenience... even when our offices are closed. Try it today! I guarantee you will love the convenience! Call any office if you have questions or issues with your mobile banking account.



Chuck McIlhenny, Johnstown



Jared Frederick, Altoona

Discounted ticket offer ends Sept. 16!

Summer went by way too fast, but there is still a little bit of time to save with discounted park tickets! Idlewild & SoakZone & Kennywood Amusement Park are only available until September 16th All tickets must be purchased on-line with a code or URL that is unique to the credit union. This benefit is only available to members of HealthCare First Credit Union. Please call any office and ask how you can get your discounted tickets for one final summer splash!



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