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SYSTEM UPGRADE COMING 10/2: ENHANCING YOUR CREDIT UNION EXPERIENCE!

We're excited to share on **October 2nd**, we will embark on a major system upgrade for our credit union, bringing numerous improvements to enhance online and mobile banking. This upgrade aims to make your membership experience even more convenient and secure than ever before.

Stay informed about the upcoming system upgrade by regularly checking our Facebook page (facebook.com/EducaCommunity), your email inbox, and our dedicated system upgrade landing page educacu.com/upgrade. We will provide timely updates to keep you informed throughout the transition.

To ensure a smooth transition, we want to inform you about a few important changes that may affect you during the upgrade process:

Our credit union will be closed on Monday, October 2nd, as we make the necessary system upgrades and will re-open for regular business hours on Tuesday, October 3rd. Online banking, including bill pay, will be unavailable the days leading up to the upgrade but will be reinstated on October 2nd. Shared branching services will resume when the credit union opens its doors on October 3rd. As for the mobile app, please allow 4-7 business days for it to become available, depending on the speed of Google/Apple's app publishing process.

Download Your Statements. Please save your eStatement history as PDFs on your home computer since it will not transfer to the upgraded system. This ensures easy access for future reference.

We look forward to the positive changes this upgrade will bring and thank you for your patience and understanding as we navigate this transition. We look forward to offering you even better service in the near future!

STAY CONNECTED: UPDATE YOUR INFORMATION

Congratulations to Jeniene H., the winner of our "Be Our Hero - Update Your Contact Information" drawing! While the drawing has ended, it's important to keep your contact details up to date. Please review and update your phone number, email address, and mailing address. Additionally, remember to designate a beneficiary for your account(s) and provide any power of attorney documentation you may have.



For updates or any inquiries, contact us at 866-381-2323 or send us a secure message through online banking. Thank you for being our hero and assisting us in providing you with better service.

MEET OUR 2023 BOARD OF DIRECTORS: DRIVING SUCCESS WITH EXPERTISE AND EXPERIENCE

We are excited to announce the newly elected and re-elected members of the Board of Directors for the year 2023. These individuals bring a wealth of experience and expertise to our organization, and we look forward to their contributions in guiding us toward continued success.

Board of Directors:

- Chairman: Bradley Aemisegger
- Vice Chair: Dale Price
- Treasurer: Seth Sansing
- Secretary: Angela D. Jordan
- Member: Robert Parks



If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Beth Carpenter at bcarpenter@educacu.com or (419) 381-2323 (x 101) to learn more and apply today!



REMEMBERING DAVE PRESLAN, FORMER CREDIT UNION BOARD CHAIR

Oct 2, 1951 - May 27, 2023

It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of Dave Preslan, a valued member, leader, and friend of our credit union. Dave dedicated 15 years of his life to serving on our board of directors, with six of those years as our esteemed board chair. His



unwavering commitment, kindness, and sense of humor will be greatly missed by all who had the privilege of knowing him.

Dave's contributions to our credit union were exceptional, and his leadership played a pivotal role in our growth and success. His passion for serving our members and ensuring their financial well-being was evident in every decision he made. Dave's legacy will forever be remembered and cherished.

During this time of mourning, our thoughts and heartfelt condolences go out to Dave's family and loved ones. We hope they find solace in the memories shared and the impact Dave made on the lives of many.

Dave Preslan will be greatly missed, and his presence will be remembered fondly within our credit union community.

CELEBRATING THE WINNERS OF OUR 2023 TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK GIVEAWAY

At EducaCU, we believe in the power of teachers to shape our community's future. We recently held a giveaway during Teacher Appreciation Week, awarding two deserving teachers with \$50 gift cards. We received nominations from the education community and our website to recognize those who have made a positive impact on lives.







We sincerely thank all teachers for their outstanding service. Your enthusiasm, creativity, and care for your students make a difference every day.

Though we could only select two winners, the large number of nominations received reflects the high regard our teachers have in the school community. We encourage all nominated teachers to continue their incredible work, knowing their dedication is valued and appreciated. Thank you for nurturing young minds and inspiring your students.

AFSCME 2174 EVENT - BUILDING CONNECTIONS

The EducaCU Team had a fantastic morning in June, engaging with the AFSCME staff and sharing interesting facts about their credit union. We were thrilled to see the enthusiasm



A special congratulations goes out to Debra K., who won our gift basket and Ashlynn M. who won the Visa gift card! We appreciate your participation and hope you enjoy your well-deserved prize.



Thank you for having us, AFSCME staff! We had a wonderful time and look forward to seeing you all

SUPPORTING EDUCATORS' DREAMS OF HOMEOWNERSHIP



Attention dedicated educators! We understand the incredible contributions you make to our community, which is why we're here to support your dreams of owning a home. Partnering with MMS Mortgage Services, your credit union offers personalized assistance and guidance throughout the home loan process. Scan the QR code or call us at



SAVE THE DATE
JULY 28, 2023

The credit union movement will come together on this single day with the purpose of inspiring authentic and high-energy conversations about why we love our credit unions. Stay tuned to our website and Facebook page (facebook.com/EducaCommunity) for more details! #ILOVEMYCREDITUNION

UPCOMING HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

- Tuesday, July 4th Observance of Independence Day
- Monday, September 4th Labor Day





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