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"People Helping People, Together We're Better"

OCTOBER 2010 NEWSLETTER



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NO CREDIT CHECK LOANS

The Credit Union is now offering No Credit Check Loans. A member may borrow any of the following:

\$500 @ 15.99% APR

\$600 @ 16.99% APR

\$700 @ 17.99% APR

All loans are for a term of 6 months and must be repaid by payroll deduction or direct deposit. There is a \$30 application fee that must be paid at the time the loan is dispersed and the member must be in good standing with the Credit Union for 3 months prior to taking the loan.

Credit Union accounts are considered dormant when there has been no activity or contact with the Credit Union for 2 years. The Credit Union has to pay maintenance fees on these accounts despite the fact that there has been no activity. Therefore, effective November 1, 2010, the Credit Union will begin assessing a \$2.00 per month maintenance fee on dormant accounts with balances of \$200 or less to help cover the cost of maintaining these accounts.

Please keep in mind that if an account remains dormant for 5 years, the state of Pennsylvania considers the money in the account to be Unclaimed Property. At that time, the Credit Union is obligated by law to forward the money to the state.

DORMANT ACCOUNTS





WHITE OAK BRANCH

Empire Building, Suite 101 3001 Jacks Run Road White Oak, PA 15131-2555

Phone: 412-673-2450 • FAX: 412-673-2483

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday: 8:00 am - 4:30 pm



CREDIT UNION



CARRICK BRANCH

1732 Brownsville Rd. Pittsburgh, PA 15210

Phone: 412-881-8871 • FAX: 412-884-5991

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Saturday: 9:00 am - Noon

NEWS FLASH - Limited Time

Any family member of an Alcose Credit Union member wanting to become part of the Alcose Family will receive an initial \$5.00 deposit to a shares account and the \$1.00 processing fee will be waived. So why not have your family members call today so they can enjoy all the benefits of belonging to your credit union.

Call us at 412-673-2450 or 412-881-8871.



HELP KEEP THE TRADITION GOING.

What better time to sign your children, grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, etc. up for a credit union account?

THE CHILDREN ARE OUR FUTURE.

Start them off right – saving for their future.

We Want You To Join Our Clubs! We now offer 3 great clubs: KIDS, TEENS and SENIORS.

For more information on these clubs, visit our website at www.alcosecu.com or call the Credit Union.







Credit Unions - Together We're Better. It Pays to Use Your Credit Union!

iBelong Do You Belong?

DIVIDENDS & LOANS

New dividends will be	a tiered percentage rate.
.30% APY	up to \$49,999.99
75% APY	\$50,000,00 and up

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NEW VEHICLES - 2009 to 2010		
Up to 48 months	3.99% APR	
60 months	4.49% APR	
72 months	5.99% APR	
USED VEHICLES - 2007 to 2009		
48 months	5.25% APR	
60 months	5.75% APR	
USED VEHICLES - 2006 and older		
36 months	6.00% APR	
48 months	6.50% APR	
60 months	7.00% APR	
SIGNATURE	LOAN	
36 months	7.99% APR	
48 months	10.00% APR	
60 months	12.00% APR	
FULLY SECURED BY	SHARES LOAN	

Must meet qualification guidelines for all loans.

BETTER CHOICE LOANS

An alternative to payday loans.

SHARE CERTIFICATES

Minimum deposit of \$1,000.00

12 months	1.00% APY
18 months	1.50% APY
24 months	1.75% APY



Fall!

TAKE A MOMENT!

The credit union

needs to have your
most current
information.
Please take a moment
to make sure we have
the correct address,
telephone number,
and joint owner listed
for your account.

Christmas Loan Special

\$500 to \$5,000.00

12 months

@ 3.25% APR

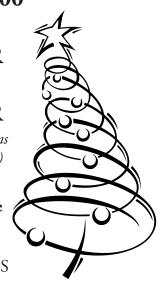
18 months

@ 3.99% APR

(Must meet qualifications guidelines for all loans.)

Call or come in to the office to apply.

LOAN SPECIAL RUNS THRU 1/31/11



2010 HOLIDAYS

The credit union will be closed on the following days:

Columbus DayMonday, October 11

Veterans DayThursday, November 11

ThanksgivingThurs./Fri., November 25-26

ChristmasFriday, December 24



\$75.00 GET-GO GAS CARD

FOR A LIMITED TIME ONLY

WITH A <u>NEW LOAN</u> FOR A VEHICLE

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ALCOSE CREDIT UNION (MUST MEET QUALIFICATIONS GUIDELINES)

LOAN MUST BE APPROVED BY CREDIT COMMITTEE

LOAN MUST REMAIN WITH ALCOSE FOR THE TERM SELECTED OR \$75.00 WILL BE CHARGED BACK TO THE



ALCOSE CREDIT UNION IS NOW OFFERING CASHIER'S CHECKS FOR A LOW FEE OF ONLY \$5.00!



CHECK OUT THE NEW MEMBERS FINANCIAL NETWORK SECTION!

HOME BANKING, BILLPAY AND E-STATEMENTS ARE ONLINE AT . . . www.alcosecu.com

Monitor all of your Credit Union accounts and/or loans at any time of the day or night from the privacy of your own home computer. Call or e-mail us to sign up today for any or all of these services.

Apply today for our . . .



VISA CREDIT CARD!

- NO ANNUAL FEE
- FIXED 8.9% APR

Call the office for an application.



SERVICES

Many members have remarked that they were unaware of all of our services. The credit union is constantly working to add services and improve existing services.

The following is a list of the services we presently offer for all members:

- Regular Share Accounts
- Christmas Clubs
- Vacation Clubs
- Summer Savings Clubs
- Share Certificates
- Share Draft Accounts
- VISA Credit Cards
- VISA Debit Cards
- Payroll Deduction
- Direct Deposit
- Personal Loans
- Christmas Loans
- Vacation Loans
- New & Used Vehicle Loans
- Bill Consolidation Loans
- Share Secured Loans
- Periodic Loan Specials
- Better Choice Loans
- No Credit Check Loans
- Credit Disability Insurance
- Credit Life Insurance
- Home Banking
- BillPay
- E-Statements
- Financial Counseling
- Notary Services
- IRA's

Share Draft Image Now Available

Home Banking subscribers can now access the image of their canceled share drafts. Simply click on the "view image" button. The image can be printed by the member if needed for proof of payment. Just another great service offered by your Credit Union.