



January 2011 Newsletter

Proudly serving the employees of the City of Neenah, the Neenah Joint School District and their families

"We had such a good time. We're getting a bigger group together for the next one!"

"How can you beat it? For \$7.50, you get a great meal, beer and soda, great prizes, a live band and the fun of casino games!"

**We've heard it before.
We'll hear it again.**

*Isn't it time
you took advantage
of a good thing?*

CONE CU's Annual Meeting
Friday, March 4, 2011, at Bridgewood
\$7.50 tickets available at CONE Credit Union

meal ♦ "The Hits" ♦ refreshments ♦ prizes

"It was great to visit with my former co-workers."

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Hours:
9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday

CONE Crew:
Scott Sauer
JoAnn Christian
Cindy Casperson
Marge Kersten
Nancy Owen
Marilyn Fahrenkrug
Faye Mitchell

Established 1959

Vital Statistics as of Dec. 16, 2010:

Members: 1,778
Assets: \$26,328,314

Services Offered:

Drive-Thru
Bill Payer
Online Banking
Audio Response Line
Savings Accounts
CD's
Money Market Accounts
Free Checking Accounts
Interest-Bearing Checking
Debit/ATM Cards
Home Equity Loans
Adjustable Rate Mortgages
Fixed-Rate Mortgages
Home Equity Line of Credit
Residential Land Loans
Construction Loans
Vehicle Loans
Kwik Cash Loans
Christmas Club
Payroll Deduction
Notary Service
Money Orders
Electronic Funds
Visa® credit card

3 scholarships the "write" thing to do

The Fox Cities Chapter of Credit Unions will award a \$1,000 scholarship to each of three graduating high school seniors who are active members of participating credit unions.

The scholarship awards could be based on three thousand five hundred twenty seven criteria but will be based only on two -- an essay question and volunteerism/community involvement.

The essay question, worth 70 points, is:

"What new and innovative strategies could credit unions implement to attract and retain 16- to 25-year-old members?"

The essay should be typed and 500 to 750 words in length.

In the volunteerism/community involvement portion, worth 30 points, the applicant lists their involvement in such activities and writes a paragraph.

Entry forms are available at the CONE Credit Union office. All entries must be received on or before Feb. 11, 2011, and follow all contest rules.

Winners will be notified by March 4. Scholarships will be presented at the Fox Cities Chapter of Credit Unions meeting at Pullmans-Trolley Square, Appleton the evening of March 28.



credit wellness

Special seminar
6:15 p.m. Feb. 9, 2011
Menasha Public Library
Learn about credit
scores, mortgages, and
other financial topics
Call Scott or Cindy for details.

Three member account numbers discovered

Apparently CONE Credit Union members are avid readers and quite interested in news from their credit union.

All three member numbers cleverly written into the last issue were discovered. Congratulations go out to a son of a Neenah Joint School District Employee, a teacher for the Neenah Joint School District, and a City of Neenah Street Dept employee.

Is your number in this issue? Let us know.

Members with CONE CU checking accounts have more to celebrate

Each quarter, we draw from among CONE Credit Union members with checking accounts and award them gift cards and many thank you's.

Our fourth quarter drawing has rewarded another three members. Are you missing out on this opportunity? Are you enjoying our other three hundred thirty one services but have yet to open a CONE CU checking account?

If you've got your checking account elsewhere, it's time to stop and compare. We've got a lot to offer.

Receiving gift cards were:

- Rebecca Stahl, \$50 Copps gift card;
- Lisa Dohr, \$25 gift card for Walmart;
- Andrew Prosek, \$25 gift card for Festival Foods.

Faye joins staff

CONE Credit Union has added Faye Mitchell as a part-time teller on the staff. She replaced Kathy Flood on Nov. 1.

Here's a little about Faye. She tells us she enjoys watching Packer games with her family. She and her husband have started to do some traveling and hope to do more. Faye says she can't wait for summer so she can work on her flower gardens.

Welcome, Faye!

Use Direct Deposit for faster refund

Get your tax refund as quickly as possible by telling the IRS to deposit your refund directly into your CONE Credit Union account.

By choosing direct deposit, you can get your refund much sooner than if you chose to have a paper check mailed to you.

CONE CU's routing number for tax refunds is 275980777.

If you're still not certain, here are a few other reasons you may want to consider direct deposit.

Direct deposit prevents your refund from being lost or stolen.

You won't have to add to your one thousand seven hundred sixty seven errands making a special trip to the credit union to deposit the money.

If you are out of town, you won't have to worry about it sitting in your mailbox and not being available to use.

You can deposit your refund into multiple accounts. With the split refund option, you can divide your refund among as many as three checking or savings accounts. Use IRS Form 8888, Direct Deposit of Refund to More Than One Account, to divide your refund among different accounts.