

The SABATTUS CORNER

MEMBERS SERVING MEMBERS

SPRING 2013



10th Annual Member Appreciation Day!

It's hard to believe this will be our 10th year in formally celebrating our members. This special event is scheduled for **Friday, May 17th**. Once again, Ted Smith and his wife Muriel have volunteered to do us the honor of grilling the hot dogs. Lunch will be served from 11:00 am to 1:30 pm. Members may sign up all week for Friday's awesome drawings! Stop by and join us for lunch and visit with your friendly credit union staff as we celebrate you, our members!

Make Shared Branching part of your Spring Break plans!

Planning for a Spring Break trip? Whether it is a family vacation or a warm weather week with the girls, Shared Branching is an easy and convenient way to help you with your financial needs on the go. Sabattus Regional Credit Union and Shared Branching mean that near or far, you will never be without access to your Sabattus Regional Credit Union account. Shared Branching opens doors to thousands of other credit unions, with 155 locations in Maine and over 5,000 across the country. You can conduct all your transactions wherever you go - just like you do at SRCU.



With more branches than any single bank in Maine, Shared Branching is a simple solution to any account access challenge, whether you need quick cash for a day at the beach, or a road trip takes an unexpected turn! Visit www.mycushares.org to check out the many Shared Branching locations in Maine or across the nation, and enjoy a worry-free Spring Break!

Spring Recreation Loans

It's never too early to start thinking about your new summer toy. Boats, Motorcycles & Campers allow you the freedom to travel and have fun wherever you want, whenever you want. If you're looking for a loan, see us first, our staff is ready to serve you with great rates.

Ending Hunger results for 2012

Our Ending Hunger Coordinators, **Rachel Rac** and **Flo Poulin**, recently attended the Ending Hunger Rally in Portland on behalf of the Sabattus Regional Credit Union. SRCU was in the top 23 credit unions for total funds raised and placed 10th in the state for per member contributions. **SRCU contributed \$4,530** to Maine Credit Unions' grand total of \$471,744.42 for 2012. The list of organizations in need increases every year. The Credit Union will be scheduling a time to distribute all the donations raised at our Credit Union to **local** soup kitchens, food pantries and school programs soon. We thank our members for their generous contributions, because without you none of this fundraising would be possible.

Holiday Closings

Memorial Day – May 27

Independence Day – July 4

Employee Anniversaries

5 years – Annette Caron

2 years – Krystal Poulin

2 years – Candy Daniels

2 years – Florence Poulin

New Listing of Board of Directors

Normand LaPlante..... Chairman

Robert Dulac Vice Chairman

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Theresa Dechaine Director

Joline Lacoste Director

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Theresa Deschaine

Loretta Hinkley

Anita Austin

J. Amanda Spencer

Welcome Our New Team Member

Tiffany Stewart

The Anne Lachance Annual Sidewalk Sale is scheduled

Our yearly sidewalk sale will be held on Thursday, May 30th and Friday, May 31st. This will be our 7th year and **we need your help in making it a success.** Participation comes in all different forms from purchasing from our collection of items, volunteering to work or donating items (no big items please) to our sale. Spring cleaning is always a good time to weed out the closets and clean the cellars and garages. Last year's sales brought in over **\$575.00** and **we are hoping to blow that number out of the park.** All proceeds will be split between Ending Hunger in Maine and Special Olympics. See or call Michelle Firczak at 375-6538.



Annual Meeting

Our 55th Annual Meeting was held on February 3rd. Elections took place and Theresa Deschaine and Pamela Foulke were elected to the Board for a term of 2 years.

Also, Ted Smith and Eric Terrio resigned after 10 years of volunteering as members of the Board of Directors. At the Annual Meeting they were presented gifts in gratitude for their many years of service. Thank you, Ted and Eric!

The Board also recognized Michelle Firczak and Michelle Brown for their 15 years of dedicated service. Congratulations to both our Michelles for your long-term employment and dedication!



If nothing ever changed, there'd be no butterflies.
~Author Unknown



Changes at SRCU

There have been some major changes at the Sabattus Regional Credit Union. Please join us in **congratulating Michelle Firczak**, who has been promoted to **CEO Pro Tem** and **Tiffany Stewart**, who has been hired as the **Executive Vice President**. Yes, Tiffany is back; she had worked for SRCU for approximately 12 years. She resigned to expand her work experience and attend school. Tiffany comes back to us from working as the Branch Manager for Lisbon Community Federal Credit Union. We are very happy to have her back home and look forward to a successful business relationship. Change can be a great thing!

Start Planning for your Home Equity Loan!

Got your summer projects lined up yet? No matter what your projects are home repairs, landscaping, adding a new pool or deck, even building your dream garage start planning for your Home Improvements today. See us first and for your Home Equity Loan and start working on those projects before it gets too HOT!

Scholarship Recipient

Darby Beaulieu, last year's recipient of the Roscoe Hinkley scholarship recently collected her check for \$500.00. She is a graduate of Oak Hill High School and is attending Babson College and Welleslea, MA.



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