Member Newsletter SUMMER 2024

Member Appreciation Week!

Mark your calendars for **August 19–24** when we will celebrate our members all week long during Colorado Credit Union's Member Appreciation Week.

Get ready for a week filled with free giveaways, games, dog friendly events, food, and fun with Colorado Credit Union members and staff.

Visit www.ccu.org/events for specific events and additional details.

Making an Impact in our Community

Spring Semester "Bite of Reality" Events

This spring semester, Colorado Credit Union staff hosted two Bite of Reality events at Columbine and Dakota Ridge High Schools. We helped more than 100 local high school students take a Bite of Reality as they discovered to budget, build credit, and create a positive relationship with money. The Bite of Reality event provides a real-world simulation experience where students take on financial responsibility and focus on distinguishing between their needs and wants. After the event,



96% of students indicated they will follow a monthly budget to manage their finances. This program was made possible through a grant from GoWest Foundation.



Gardening at Boys & Girls Shopneck Club

Colorado Credit Union staff volunteered at The Boys & Girls Shopneck Club's Gardening Volunteer Day, where Brighton area community partners came together and worked alongside Club kids to get their gardens ready for planting crops this summer. Club kids will plant herbs, plants, and vegetables that can then be used in cooking classes later this year.

Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro Denver 2024 Gala

Members of Colorado Credit Union's Leadership Team had the privilege of attending the Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro Denver's Annual Gala event this spring. It was truly an inspiring evening showcasing the incredible accomplishments of Club kids and the invaluable impact this organization has on our community.



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New Card Designs

Be on the lookout for new card designs coming soon to all Colorado Credit Union branches!

You'll be able to choose from over 15 landscape, wildlife, textured, and pattern designs.

2024 Upcoming Events

Annual Photo Contest July 1–31

Annual Member Survey July 15–August 15

Member Appreciation Week August 19–24

Upcoming Branch Closures

Independence Day Thursday, July 4

> Labor Day Monday, September 2

Columbus Day / Indigenous Peoples Day Monday, October 14

> Veterans Day Monday, November 11

Thanksgiving Day Thursday, November 28

> Christmas Day Wednesday, December 25

Photography Contest

Colorado Credit Union is looking for your beautiful, good-quality images of our amazing state to be featured in our 2025 calendar.

Enter our photography contest for a chance to win \$500 or other prizes and have your photo(s) featured in next year's calendar as either the cover or a featured month. Calendars will be distributed throughout all of our branches. Visit www.ccu.org/photo-contest to enter!

2024 Finalist Examples:



Annual Survey

We value your feedback! Our Annual Member Survey launches on July 15, 2024, and we want to hear from you about your experience with Colorado Credit Union and our staff. Your insights help us provide you with the best products and services possible.

Starting July 15, 2024, you can access the survey at <u>info.ccu.org/survey</u>. Complete the survey by August 15, 2024, for a chance to win one of two \$250 Visa® gift cards*.

*Must be 18 years or older to enter. No purchase necessary. Winners will be chosen at random and notified via email. Gift cards must be picked up at a Colorado Credit Union branch.

