



UPDATE FROM JAMI

I would like to start off by thanking everyone who attended our annual meeting last month that was held at The Great Dane. This year was the highest turnout in many years, and it was wonderful to see everyone all at once. I enjoyed talking to many of you and had some wonderful conversations. Hats off to my incredible team and all of you for making 2022 hugely successful for the credit union! 01201961

This spring, I had the privilege of teaching Junior Achievement, where students learned about being entrepreneurs, running a business, making business decisions, and profits and losses. I have been volunteering for Junior Achievement for over 10 years now, and it is so fulfilling. The students get so excited and, fortunately for me, have always been very eager to participate. Teaching kids about important life skills is crucial, and they truly are interested. Whether they remember their Junior Achievement class in 5 or 10 years is another story, but the first touch has to start somewhere. That being said, do your kids and grandkids have accounts with us? We offer lots of options, no matter the age, and even have a free piggy bank when you open a youth account. Are you planning for a child to move to college this fall or even in the next couple years? Are you thinking about getting your child his or her first debit card but don't know where to start? We can help! Getting established now is one less thing you will have to worry about, and no matter where you live, we offer a wide array of products and services to accommodate your needs. Call for details or if you have questions (715) 261-7680.

Well, by the time you read this, the Fourth of July will be over, and summer plans will be in full swing. I hope you are able to make some wonderful memories with family and friends and enjoy the sunshine and warm weather. Before we know it, we will be thinking pumpkin spice and back-to-school.

Until Next Time,
Jami Olcott, President/CEO



**Marathon County
Employees Credit Union
Summer 2023**

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BIRTHDAY ALERT - IS IT YOURS?

There are ten member birth dates hidden in this newsletter. If your birth date is one of them, call (715) 261-7680 to claim your \$10 prize.
Good luck!



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ANNUAL MEETING *Thank You*

Thank you to all that attended our Annual Meeting last month. Not only were we able to celebrate the successes of MCECU, but also while enjoying some great summer food favorites and the company of everyone in attendance. It seems each year, many conversations are had between members as well, as they spend time catching up and seeing people that they may have not seen in some time. A special thank you to Bob Wilcox, who was re-elected to our Board of Directors. Hope to see you again next year!

SUMMER FUN ON A BUDGET

Summer is here, and it's time for some quality family bonding - but with tight budgets, it's essential to find cheap activities that keep your kids entertained without breaking the bank. An inexpensive activity to do with your kids is to explore your local library. Did you know several local libraries offer free or low-cost summer programs for kids, such as story times, crafts, and workshops? It's an excellent opportunity for kids to discover new books, engage in creative activities, and meet other children in the community. Check your local library's website for their summer schedule and take advantage of these budget-friendly programs.



WHAT'S UP WITH *Danielle?*

Hello everyone!

I can't believe I have been here for over a year already. Boy, did that go fast!! Although I don't like the hot and humid weather, I am happy to say summer is here. Upper 70s and sunshine are perfect for me, but I will take anything that doesn't include snow or freezing temperatures. I don't have too much planned for summer besides

trying to make some small adventures with my family; having teenagers makes that difficult. One place I would like to explore hopefully this summer would be to go to the House on the Rock! I sort of remember going there when I was kid, and although I don't really remember what we did or saw - I remember that it was a fun time! The most important thing about summer is all the ice cream spots are open! Don't get me wrong, ice cream is good all year round, but having all the options available makes it better! I would have to say my favorite place is Briq's! I have been going out of my comfort zone from my typical zebra with Krunch Kote and have tried some very tasty new things! If you like ice cream as much as me, feel free to share your favorite with me next time (even if it's not Briq's). Who knows, it might become my new favorite! 08301981

My 10-year-old son played baseball for the first time this year and loves it! It was fun going to those games and watching all the kids play and see all the different skill levels come together as one team...of course, snacks at the end of the game were the best time!

My two girls, who are soon to be 16 and 15, are taking driving school this fall. I don't think I will ever be prepared enough for that. They say they want to buy their own car because they don't want to share, but when they start to realize the cost of everything involved, including the vehicle once we start looking, they might change their minds!

I have had a wonderful first year here at MCECU and look forward to the years to come! 11241965. I have enjoyed all the conversations we've had so far, and look forward to learning more about all of you. I hope everyone has an amazing summer and enjoys all the nice weather and outdoor activities!

Danielle, Member Service Representative



BALLOON GLOW SPONSOR

If you get a chance, make sure to stop and see the balloon we sponsored at the Taste and Glow Balloon Fest on July 7-9. Once again, our pilot is John Ross from Appleton. He has some great stories to tell, so if you get a moment, say 'Hi,' and tell him we sent you!

**03281944 For more information, visit:
www.tastenglow.com**



WHAT'S UP WITH BOB?

Wow!! Time sure does fly. They tell you when you're younger how fast time will go as you get older. Back then, I thought they were "off their rocker." As I sit here on my rocker, I realize how true that statement really has become. Here we are, well into June already. I hope this letter finds everyone happy and healthy. 01081971

I have been traveling quite a bit for work lately. I spent several weeks this year doing a job in Tampa. I love the heat, and it was great while I was there. I'm glad my wife didn't come

because she would have been complaining the whole time. I got to work in upstate New York for a week back in February. We were about 50 miles north of New York City, but it took us an hour and a half to drive this distance from LaGuardia. It makes me appreciate living in Wisconsin. I did a couple of weeks in Pittsburgh. Took in a Penguins game my second week there. That was a great experience, and they have great hockey fans in this town. Last week I did a job in Connecticut. Another long drive to the site, but it was very pretty. I enjoyed the weather and scenery. Hopefully, I will get to go back when they do another hospital there in the near future.

I have been typing this at a local coffee shop as the Internet is out at our house and won't be fixed until tomorrow afternoon. It is funny how we rely so much on this service for things in our house. We have smart lights and cameras. Also, our television service is Internet-based. It has been very difficult staring at my wife for two days, wondering what to do.

Well, that's enough for now. As always, thank you to our wonderful staff for the service they provide our members. Also, a big thank you to our members who make us such a great credit union.

Enjoy your summer, everyone!!!

Sincerely,

Bob Wilcox (aka New Bob), Director

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05091977 Our online Bill Pay feature empowers our members to conquer financial chaos! Simplify your life and keep your bills all in one place. You have the option to set up an automatic payment or choose to be reminded when a bill is paid.

Take advantage of our Bill Pay today, and take charge of your financial life!

**Members can access Bill Pay via our
homepage: www.mccu.org**

NOTICE TO MEMBERS: Deposit rates were increased effective June 1, 2023, for Money Market Accounts, IRAs, and CDs. 10241958

Contact us for current rates: mcecu.org

EMBRACE THE COMFORTS OF HOME.

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Blaze a trail to financial freedom with our low balance transfer rate

**3.99% APR
FOR 13 MONTHS**

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Balance transfers completed 6/1/2023 through 8/31/2023 will receive 3.99% APR* for 13 months from date of transfer. After the promotional time frame expires, remaining balances will migrate to the standard APR applicable on your account. Contact the credit union for complete details. * APR=Annual Percentage Rate

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Our business hours are:

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Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Friday 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

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Wednesday	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Thursday	8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
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