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Fall 2021

Congratulations to the 2021 Board of Directors!

Due to COVID, Annual Meeting was held in August. With a smaller crowd than usual, we voted for the board of directors and collected a few jars of peanut butter for the East Texas Food Bank. We really appreciate our members and our dedicated members who volunteer to be Directors, Associate Directors, and work on the nominee committee.



Left to right - Shane Coleman, James Pete, Jennifer Audet, Tim Ralston Front Row - Jessie Nichols, Mike Paye, Bill Thompson Not pictured - Joni Bailey, Gladis Rodriguez



Are you ready for Christmas?

The average family spends on \$1,007.24 on Christmas. Do you spend more or less than the national average? If you need to cut back this year, here are a few tips to help you stretch your Christmas money. Remember to enjoy Christmas and that time spent with family is precious.

- 1. Set an amount you can afford. Don't forget to add food cost to your budget!
- 2. Talk to family and friends to make No Gift Packs, draw names, and/or set spending limits.
- 3. Make a list and do some internet research for best prices and locations to shop.
- 4. Start early to spread expenses out and watch for good deals.
- 5. Sell old items or trade them on Facebook, garage sales, or even sell old gold jewelry for cash.
- 6. Take advantage of Black Friday deals, Cyber Monday, and internet discount sites. (Hint we have a Cyber Monday deal!)
- 7. DIY your gifts or buy used items that can be spruced up like go-carts, dirt bikes, or bicycles.

Merry Christmas from Telco Plus Credit Union!



News & Alerts

OPEN - We are open on Columbus Day this year! One less banker holiday to serve our members. Reminder the Longview branch is OPEN on Saturdays from 9 am to noon. Saturday closings on holiday weekends.

Christmas Club Account Availability - Starting Oct. 1st you will have access to your Christmas Club share account. You can make 2 withdrawals from that account now through Jan. 15, 2022.

Christmas - Reminder we have pretty gift cards and cash envelopes that make wonderful gifts of choice.

Holiday Schedule - please see below for closings!

Travel Notices - If you will be traveling for the upcoming holidays, please let us know! You can use secure messages in your app, home banking, or give us a call.

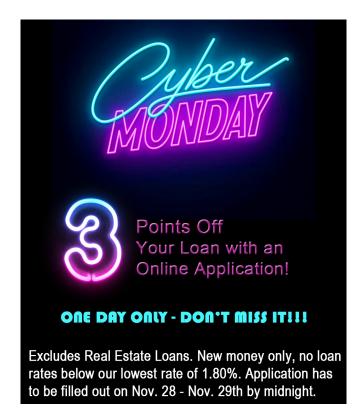
Updated Information Needed - Any time you change your address, phone number, and email address please let us know. This will help keep your account safer.

Services - Be sure to take advantage of our many free services and benefits...we are a full service financial institution! Visit our new website's Services page to see all of our services - For Sale Page, Retirement Specialist, Apps, calculators, and financial advice.

Loans – please use your credit union for your loan services. Paying local is better for everyone and we have great rates and low fees. If you have been a member for more than 5 years, ask about our Loyalty discount!

Facebook – be sure to follow us on Facebook and other social media outlets for alerts, financial advice, and games.

Notice to Members – per Texas Credit Union Department Rule 91.315, documents relating to Telco Plus Credit Union finances and management are available by writing PO BOX 3099, Longview, TX 75606.





CREDIT UNION HOLIDAYS - We will be closed:

Veteran's Day - Thurs., Nov. 11th Thanksgiving - Thurs., Nov. 25th & Sat., Nov. 27th Christmas Eve - Fri., Dec. 24th & Christmas - Sat., Dec. 25th New Year's Eve - Fri., Dec. 31st & New Year's Day - Sat., Jan. 1st

Longview: 423 Gilmer Rd., Longview, TX 75604, 903-753-5588 **Tyler:** 7395 S. Broadway, Tyler, TX 75703, 903-597-4321

Lobby: Mon. - Wed. 9:00 am - 5:30 pm, Thurs. - Fri. 9:00 am - 6:00 pm Drive-Thru: Mon. - Wed. 7:30 am - 5:30 pm, Thurs. - Fri. 7:30 am - 6:00 pm

Tyler Drive-Thru: Mon. - Wed. 8:00 am - 5:30 pm, Thurs. - Fri. 8:00 am - 6:00 pm





