

WHAT'S NEW WITH YOUR **CREDIT UNION?**

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BACK TO SCHOOL 2020 = \$200

\$100 FOR NEW MEMBERSHIP \$100 FOR NEW CHECKING ACCOUNT

Your young adults are now or soon will be heading back to class. Time to add financial responsibility life lessons to their class schedule by opening a savings account and Kasasa Cash Back Checking account for them! Your son, daughter, grandson, or granddaughter is eligible if they are 16 to 24 years of age and are currently attending high school, college or a trade school.

They can start their accounts with money deposited and can learn to use the account properly with your guidance. Unlike other financial institutions who may offer higher incentives but their requirements are literally unobtainable, Allegius is making it super easy!

Super easy, as in the only requirement is \$50 per month in automatic deposit into each account that is open, and those deposits can come from you (or them). The deposit can be \$15 per week, \$25 bi-weekly, \$25 semimonthly, or \$50 monthly. That's it!!

CAR BUYING MADE EASY

Allegius is proud to announce a new service that will make the entire process of your car buying process so much easier. Introducing Find My Ride: the all-in-one place to go to research your trade value, pricing new and used vehicles, comparing vehicles side-by-side, and

applying for financing is NOW available. We have just simplified your auto shopping experience. Check out our website for the Find My Ride experience.



WOW FACTORS:

- Kasasa account rewards
- Debit card
- No monthly service fees
- Free online, mobile and text banking
- Free first order of checks
- Automatic transfer ability into Back to School account(s) through It's Me 247 online banking

Visit our website **www.allegius.org** to review the details of the Back to School promotion and Kasasa checking accounts. When applying online, enter the **promotional code "2020"** where needed.

LOOKING FOR A FRIEND TO WARM YOUR HEART?

We are assisting one of our select employee groups, the Independent Cat Society (ICS), to find homes for loving kittens and cats. We can help our members add that extra amount of love into the family as only a cat or kitten can do. Every week, Allegius also posts a picture and profile for the "adopt a friend Friday" on our Facebook page.

> Pictured here is Dusty. She is a five year old beauty with an amazing personality and mesmerizing green eyes. She is a quiet girl has AMAZING fur, so soft and silky,

who loves attention and cozy beds. Dusty and she loves to be brushed. Additional details of Dusty and other adoptable cats are available at www.catsociety.org or

follow their Facebook page at facebook.com/INCatSociety. The ICS location is now at 4061 S. County Line Rd, Westville, IN 46391, with visiting hours on Saturday - 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sunday - 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Allegius wishes to thank those members who have been so kind to adopt over 20 cats over the past 14 months and of the past four cats highlighted in our newsletter, three of them have found homes!! Thank you so much!

*All applications are subject to a review process. The review helps find the best homes for the cats and gives you and your family a chance to carefully think about vour decision.



LOCATIONS

BURNS HARBOR

244 Allegius Drive Burns Harbor, Indiana 46304

Monday through Friday

7:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

FAX: (219) 787- 9580

ATM: Before Arcelor Mittal's Main Gate Entrance, North Wall of BHAA Building

HOBART

2027 East 37th Avenue Hobart, Indiana 46342

• Drive up ATM

MICHIGAN CITY

1015 E. US Hwv. 20 Michigan City, Indiana 46360

• Drive up ATM

VALPARAISO

175 W. Lincolnway, Suite E (Napoleon Center) Valparaiso, Indiana 46383

• Drive up ATM

BRANCH HOURS

HOBART, MICHIGAN CITY, AND VALPARAISO

LOBBY & DRIVE-UP:

Monday - Thursday: 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Saturday: 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

CONTACT

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HELPING AREA CHILDREN

TOYS FOR TOTS COMMUNITY OUTREACH

A special thank you to everyone who helped Allegius raise over \$2,500, which was the highest amount we have ever fundraised for our Holiday campaign. Between member donations, Allegius staff jean day donations, and Allegius' monetary donation, the generosity was met with much kindness.

The \$2,500 donated was able to bring in over 230 toys and an additional 75 toys were purchased by our membership including two new bikes. Allegius' donated toys will help over 2,000 area children enjoy the spirit of Christmas.



Pictured are (right to left): Reggie Hess, Toys for Tots Local Director, Courtney Evans, Allegius' Toys for Tots Organizer; and Ashley Vance, Burns Harbor Lead Teller.

We wish to recognize Allegius' very own Courtney Evans! Courtney is instrumental each year with her heartfelt efforts to organize the event, and spends hours of her own time gathering coupons and purchasing toys. When asked why her passion for the Toys for Tots program is so high, Courtney replied "It is an honor to give back to our community and be a part of an organization whose primary goal is to bring joy to children on Christmas. I am already looking forward to next year".

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING AND NOMINATIONS FOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Annual Meeting will be held Monday, May 18, 2020 at 5 p.m. at the Burns Harbor office. In accordance with our bylaws, there will be no nominations from the floor.

To be considered for a vacancy, nominees must have served for a period of no less than two (2) years on a Board of Director appointed committee, must be at least 21 years of age, and meet additional qualifications. If eligible, nominations may be made by petition, signed by one percent (1%) of the total membership.

CANDIDATES SELECTED BY THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE ARE:



BRUCE AUBREY

Bruce Aubrey of Valparaiso has been a member in good standing for 47 years and has served on the Board of Directors for the past 21 years, 20 of which were as Chairman of the Board. In his role as Chairman, Bruce has guided Allegius through many positive changes and improvements. Bruce has also helped oversee increased member service with a reduction in cost at the same time. Bruce believes the number one priority of the Board of Directors, Supervisory Committee and the credit union staff is making Allegius the financial institution of choice for Northwest Indiana.

BRENDA ENGLISH

Brenda English of Porter has been a member in good standing for over 23 years and is currently the Secretary on the Board of Directors. Presently she is employed at ArcelorMittal where she has worked for the last 22 years. Previously Brenda worked at McDonald's as a 2nd Assistant Manager and also worked in the casino industry. She is married to Clarence English, Sr., with one daughter, Brielle. Brenda is proud to say she is a member of Allegius Credit Union and wants to help make the credit union the people's choice for all their financial needs.



HOLIDAY CLOSURES

Presidents' Day Monday, February 17 **Good Friday** Friday, April 10

Memorial Day Monday, May 25

Independence Day Saturday, July 4

