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#### Holidays & Office Closings

 New Year's Day: Friday, January 1
- All offices closed

- Martin Luther King Jr. Day: Monday, January 18
  All offices closed
- President's Day: Monday, February 15
  - All offices OPEN
- Daylight Saving Time: Sunday, March 14
- Easter Sunday, April 4

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#### Snow is coming!

We follow University policy for inclement weather. If the University is closed, so are we. If you would like to be added to our e-mail list for these notifications, please e-mail *cara.perry@utoledo.edu*. The UTFCU 2021 Scholarship Program will award three talented students with the total of \$5,000 (1st place wins \$3,000, 2nd place wins \$1,500 and 3rd place wins \$500).

To qualify for a scholarship, the applicant must meet the following requirements:

- 1. Must be the **primary member** on UTFCU account
- 2. Account must be in good standing

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- 3. Must be graduating from high school in 2021 or have graduated within the past three years
- 4. Must be planning to pursue an undergraduate degree at least part-time
- 5. Must complete the scholarship application and essay by the given deadline
- \* Please view more details on the inside pages of this newsletter.





## SCHOLARSHIP MONEY CONTINUED...

The 2021 Scholarship Program will award three talented students with the total of \$5,000 (1st place wins \$3,000, 2nd place wins \$1,500 and 3rd place wins \$500).

In order to apply for the scholarship, students must write an essay in 500 words or less, typed and double-spaced, in response to the following question:



The lessons we take from obstacles we encounter can be fundamental to later success. Recount a time when you faced a challenge, setback, or failure. How did it affect you, and what did you learn from the experience?

Essays will be judged on originality, attention to detail, specific examples and grammar. All essays must be received or postmarked by Friday, March 5, 2021. You may stop by any of our three office locations to get your application or find it online at <u>https://www.uoftfcu.com/student-loans/</u>.

## **GET WHOLE HOME** PROTECTION FOR LESS!

As a UTFCU credit union member, protect what matters most for much less. Members get a free home security camera plus 2 free months of 24/7 professional monitoring (\$150 value) with the purchase of a new SimpliSafe security system.

SimpliSafe offers reliable whole home protection, with 24/7 professional monitoring and police dispatch that's up to 3.5x faster, all at fair prices and no contract. Ever. SimpliSafe got rid of all the hassles of home security.

- SimpliSafe covers every room, every window, every door. Every minute of the day.
- Monitoring starts at just \$14.99/mo for total protection, a fraction of traditional companies. With no contract or hidden fees.

SimpliSafe was named CNET Editors' Choice and "the best home security system" by Wirecutter. Over 3 million people already rely on SimpliSafe.

Now's a great chance to join them. Visit the member benefits page at **www.uoftfcu.com** to get your member discount and start saving today!

## CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR THE UTFCU BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The UT Federal Credit Union is now accepting nominations to fill <u>two</u>, three-year, positions on our Board of Directors.

Please send in a resume and biographical statement to the Hill Avenue office (5248 Hill Avenue, Toledo, OH 43615) or send via email to *cara.perry@utoledo.edu*.

Biographical statement should include an introduction and qualifications. This statement will be included in the next newsletter as we ask our membership to vote for the nominees.

All nominees must be UT Federal Credit Union members in good standing. All resumes and bios are due by Friday, March 5, 2021.



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## **DIC YOURSELF OUT OF...**

# Transfor your bigh gradit gard balance to

Transfer your high credit card balance to us February 1st through April 15th

# **3.99%** APR For 12 months!\*

\*Rate reverts back to standard APR of 7.90% (credit score of 675+) or 12.00% (credit score of 674-) after 12 months.



\*\$2,000 minimum loan balance required. Rate and terms based on credit qualifications and approval. Subject to the minimum floor rate of 2.50% APR. Your actual rate may vary. Loans must be in good standing to be eligible for this offer. Current loan statement from your lender is required to verify current rate when applying. Certain conditions apply. Offer ends 3/30/2021.

## JUST A FRIENDLY REMINDER...

In an effort to increase office productivity, we will no longer be fielding calls for balance inquiries, loan payments, or account transfers. We offer an automated phone service which allows you to do the items mentioned above without needing to talk with a member of our staff. Our mobile app and our online banking platform, *It'sMe247*, are also available to perform the above mentioned tasks.

CU Talk Telephone Banking (800) 867-4786



#### MAIN OFFICE

5248 Hill Avenue Toledo, Ohio 43615 Ph: 419-534-3770 Fax: 419-534-3780 8AM - 4PM Mon. - Thurs. 8AM - 6PM Fri\* \*Lobby closes at 4:00 PM

#### LOANS

#### AUTOMOBILES & MOTORCYCLES AS LOW AS...

Year	<u>Rate</u>	Term
2020-2021*	2.74% APR	Up to 72 Months
2019-2020	2.74% APR	Up to 72 Months
2013-2018	2.74% APR	Up to 60 Months
2011-2012	2.74% APR	Up to 48 Months
(*Previously untitled motor vehicles)		

We are part of the Credit Union Indirect Auto Lending Program which allows members to fill out and sign paperwork at the majority of dealerships in the area.

#### BOATS AS LOW AS...

Loan Amount	Rate	Term
Up to \$15,000	7.74% APR	Up to 72 Months
Over \$15,000	7.99% APR	Up to 120 Months

#### Tent Campers, Snowmobiles, ATV's & Personal WATERCRAFT As LOW As 7.99% APR

#### OTHER LOANS

Type	<u>Base Rate</u>
Signature	9.00% APR*
Share Covered	4.05% APR**
Tuition	4.99% APR
VISA Platinum	7.90% or 12.00% APR

#### First Mortgages, Second Mortgages and Home EQUITY LINES OF CREDIT ALSO AVAILABLE!

\*Annual Percentage Rates are based on the member's individual credit worthiness. Risk based pricing applies. Rates will never exceed the limit set by the NCUA. Credit Union Usury Rate cannot exceed 18%. Loans exempt from Risk Based Pricing are: Tuition Loans, and Home Equity Loans. \*\*Current savings rate plus 4%.

#### We do business in accordance with the Federal Fair Housing Law & the Equal Credit Opportunity Act.

### **UTFCU Board of Directors**

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Thomas Trimble, Chairman Kellie McGilvray, Vice Chairman Andrew Jorgensen, Treasurer Greg Cook Linda Murphy Steve Wagner Jack Wise

Supervisory Committee Joy Seifert, Chairman Brenda McKinley, Secretary Josh Krupinksi Bill Logie Dwight Stewart **Operations Management** Steve Wagner, CEO

#### UT MAIN CAMPUS OFFICE

Student Union, Room 1570 2801 West Bancroft St., MS 124 Toledo, Ohio 43606 Ph: 419-530-2316 Fax: 419-530-8426 8AM - 4PM Mon - Fri

#### UT HEALTH SCIENCE CAMPUS OFFICE

Mulford Library, Room 013E 3025 Library Circle Dr., MS 1080 Toledo, Ohio 43614 Ph: 419-383-4470 Fax: 419-383-2850 8AM - 4PM Mon - Fri

#### SAVINGS

- NATURE OF DIVIDENDS a) Dividends are paid from available earnings after required transfer to reserves.
- b) All Dividends are accrued daily.
- C) Dividends are compounded and paid guarterly. Dividends will not be paid if account is closed prior to accrued dividends being credited to account.
- Dividends are set by the Board of Directors. d)
- Dividends are subject to change without notice. e)
- f) Dividends are expressed as APY... Annual **PERCENTAGE YIELD** is a percentage rate that reflects the total amount of dividends to be paid on an account based on the rate and the frequency of compounding for an annual period.
- e) Fees or other conditions may reduce earnings.

#### SAVINGS ACCOUNTS:

0.05% APR	0.05% APY	paid 12/31/20
SAVINGS CERTIFICATES:		
12 mo./\$1000 min.	0.45% APR	0.45% APY
24 mo./\$1000 min.	0.50% APR	0.50% APY
36 mo./\$1000 min.	0.55% APR	0.55% APY
48 mo./\$1000 min.	0.65% APR	0.65% APY
60 mo./\$1000 min.	0.75% APR	0.75% APY
IRA Certificates:		

12 mo./\$1000 min.	0.45% APR	0.45% APY
24 mo./\$1000 min.	0.50% APR	0.50% APY
36 mo./\$1000 min.	0.55% APR	0.55% APY
48 mo./\$1000 min.	0.65% APR	0.65% APY
60 mo./\$1000 min.	0.75% APR	0.75% APY

#### IRA ACCOUNT

0.10% APR	0.10% APY	paid 12/31/20
0.10% APR	0.10% APY	to be paid 01/31/21

#### MONEY MARKET

\$2,500 - 10,000	0.10% APY
\$10,000+ - 50,000	0.15% APY
\$50,000+-100,000	0.20% APY
\$100,000+	0.25% APY

#### WITH THE FLUCTUATING ECONOMIC CONDITIONS, RATES AND TERMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AFTER JANUARY 1, 2021.

