Member Newsletter

WINTER 2024

Community Impact Update

At Colorado Credit Union, we are passionate about making a meaningful difference in our community. In 2023, we created a Community Impact Initiative to help streamline and prioritize our credit union's commitment to the communities we serve.

The mission of the Community Impact Initiative is to positively impact our community by teaching a financial foundation that leads to positive economic development and generational wealth. This initiative supports our mission and core values to serve our members and community at large.



Colorado Credit Union Service Project

On Columbus Day/Indigenous Peoples' Day, our staff volunteered time in service for **Boys & Girls Club of Metro Denver and Big Brothers Big Sisters of Colorado**. Together, staff created and organized "care kits" for the youth serviced by these nonprofit organizations. Colorado Credit Union staff worked to assemble 300 "care kits" for at-risk youth in our Colorado community.

Tee Up Fore Kids' Sake

Colorado Credit Union was proud to support **Big Brothers Big Sisters of Colorado** at their annual Tee Up Fore Kid's Sake fundraiser. This annual event helps support the nonprofit's mission of supporting children in our community.

Dress for Success Gala

The Colorado Credit Union team was honored to attend **Dress for Success Denver's** Gala. Congratulations to DFS for 16 years of service and more than 20,000 women served.



Financial Literacy for School Children

Our Littleton branch welcomed second graders from **Mackintosh Academy in** Littleton. Students learned the basics of saving and budgeting, heard from our staff about careers in financial services, and painted their own piggy banks to take home. This field trip allowed students to learn about finances in a fun and interactive way.

Bite of Reality Events

More than 100 students at **Columbine and Dakota Ridge High Schools** participated in Colorado Credit Union's Bite of Reality Fair. Hosted by our staff at the high schools, the program taught students how to budget basic needs against wants and unexpected costs. The Bite of

Reality Fair provides a real-world simulation experience that guides students through a day-in-the-life of an adult's financial responsibilities. This program was made possible through a grant from GoWest Foundation.



2024 Closures and Important Dates

New Year's Day Monday, January 01

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Monday, January 15

Presidents Day Monday, February 19

Annual Meeting Tuesday, April 23 - 9am

> Memorial Day Monday, May 27

Juneteenth Wednesday, June 19

National Independence Day Thursday, July 04

Labor Day Monday, September 02

Columbus Day / Indigenous Peoples Day Monday, October 14

Veterans Day Monday, November 11

Thanksgiving Day Thursday, November 28

Christmas Day Wednesday, December 25

Holiday Spirit

Colorado Credit Union helped celebrate a number of holidays in the past few months. In October, our staff participated in several community-based Halloween events including **Ken-Caryl Ranch's BooBash and Foothills Park & Recreation's BOOrific Bash & Splash.** We loved seeing all of the happy children and were pleased that so many of our members stopped by to say hello.

In December, our Brighton and Littleton branches played host to **Santa Claus**. Members — young and old — stopped by for a picture and to share their holiday wish list.

Thank you to our staff and members for your generous donations adopting 100 children and seniors through the **Salvation Army Angel Tree** program. We know this will bring smiles to so many faces this holiday season!





