

SPRING 2024



ALL SEASONS. ALL TERRAINS.

At Northern Skies, we're committed to our members in every season and every terrain. To help you embrace life we offer the financial tools and resources necessary to seize every moment without draining your wallet. As a new season approaches, we're excited help you prepare. Whether you're gearing up for a summer adventure or looking for ways to save more money we're here to support you every step of the way!



UNLEASH YOUR WILD SIDE!

Are you ready to unleash your wild Alaskan side and have some fun this summer? Great news - we specialize in all things fun, all things wild, and all things Alaskan! Whether you're itching to explore the rugged wilderness or hit the water, we're here to provide the guidance and support you need to finance your next big adventure. With competitive rates and a team who understands that wild Alaskan spirit - we're the team you want to work with when it comes to making the most of your time in our wild and beautiful state. Contact us today to get started!



Have You Thought About It?

Have you ever found yourself contemplating financial counseling? Perhaps you've pondered seeking guidance on managing your finances but felt unsure or hesitant about taking that step. If so, check out this virtual workshop hosted by our partners at GreenPath.

DEMYSTIFYING FINANCIAL COUNSELING

Wednesday, April 17th | 10:00 – 10:45 AM

This session aims to shed light on what financial counseling entails, how it can assist you in navigating your financial journey, and what you can expect from the process.

Join us by registering at:

www.nsfcu.org/resources/education/greenpath.html

MORE WORKSHOPS

REAL STORIES LIVE: EXPLORING THE LINK BETWEEN MENTAL & FINANCIAL HEALTH

Wednesday, May 17th | 9:00 – 9:45 AM

THE POWER OF DEBT MANAGEMENT PLAN CONCESSIONS

Wednesday, May 22nd | 10:00 – 11:00 AM



Mindful Spending

TRANSFORM CHOICES
INTO INVESTMENTS

Mindful spending is more than just a trend; it's the discipline that aligns your expenditures with your values and helps you achieve financial freedom. It involves intentional practices, starting with distinguishing between needs and wants, setting clear financial goals, establishing a budget, and being content with saying no to expenditures that don't align with your values. By integrating these practices into your daily financial habits, you not only gain control over your spending, but also contribute to shaping the future you want. Each intentional choice is an investment towards a more secure and fulfilling financial future. Embrace the power of mindful spending today, and watch as it transforms your financial landscape for a more purposeful tomorrow.

Leverage the Power of Our Spending Insights Tool

Our Financial Wellness tool, available in online banking and the mobile app, has taken a significant leap forward with Spending Insights. This new tool auto-categorizes and cleanses your transactional data so that your transactions are intelligently sorted into predefined categories, eliminating the tedious task of manually organizing expenses. Say goodbye to the hassle; our tool does the work for you.

But that's not all! This tool goes beyond convenience by offering visually engaging analytics, providing you with a clear and comprehensive view of your finances. Dive deeper into understanding your spending habits with dynamic graphs and charts. It's the perfect blend of technology and wisdom!

Ready to revolutionize your financial management? Check out your Spending Insights located in the Financial Wellness tab of online banking or the mobile app! It's a smarter, more intuitive way to manage your money.



A Quote to Live By

*"Beware of little expenses.
A small leak will sink a great ship."*

-Benjamin Franklin

Our new Spending Insights tool embodies this philosophy, by providing you a quick snapshot of your monthly recurring expenses. By regularly reviewing your subscriptions, for example, you not only eliminate unnecessary expenses but also take charge of your financial ship and navigate towards financial freedom.

Enhanced Security Measures: Safeguarding Your Accounts

We take your financial security seriously. To help safeguard your accounts, we have implemented a new feature designed to enhance protection for our members. Now, when your contact information changes on your account, the primary account owners will receive an instant notifications via text and email allowing you to act swiftly in response to any unauthorized modifications.

Our online banking platform offers a range of customizable alerts to further fortify your defenses against fraudulent activity. From transaction notifications to login notifications, you can tailor your preferences to receive real-time updates on your account helping you to stay connected and empowering you to detect potential threats promptly. To set up alerts just visit the Tools tab then click Alert & Notifications in online banking or the mobile app!



Heart for the Hungry | A Very Sincere Thank You!

From the bottom of our hearts, thank you to all those who donated their dollars and time towards our Heart for the Hungry campaign in February. Together, we raised nearly \$3,600 and were able to send over 115 spring break food boxes to seven Title 1 schools in Anchorage. We thank you, as do the families who received the boxes!

*Featured to the left is our delivery to Mountainview Elementary School.

Great Alaska Sportsman Show | April 5-7

The Great Alaska Sportsman Show has everything under one roof for hunters, hikers, campers, and climbers; virtually anything to do with the great outdoors. Stop by and visit our booth for giveaways and special rates for new summer toys and adventures!

Amblin' for Alzheimer's | May 4 @ 9am

Our credit union has a standing commitment to the Alzheimer's Resource of Alaska. This year we are excited to support this cause through their annual Amblin' for Alzheimer's walk. We'd love for you to join us for some fresh air and fun while supporting this cause. Give us a call or email marketing@nsfcu.org if you'd like to join our team. We are covering registration fees for members who join our team! Plus, this year is an exciting Star Wars theme!

Save the Date for the 2024 Member Appreciation BBQ | July 12

Join us for an afternoon of fun, sun, and yummy food as we celebrate the members of our credit union!



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HOLIDAY CLOSURES

Memorial Day
May 27, 2024

Juneteenth
June 19, 2024

Independence Day
July 4, 2024

