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Newsletter for the Members of the Lehigh Valley Educators Credit Union





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Make Waves this Summer!

We're making waves this summer by rewarding you for introducing LVECU to your family and education coworkers. Will you join us?

For every member you refer who joins the credit union, you'll receive an entry into a drawing to win a Waterproof Bose Bluetooth® Speaker. There's no limit to the number of entries you can receive.

When they become a new member, they will receive a beach swag bag, which includes a beach towel and a fan.

Membership Benefits:

- Great Loan Rates that Save You Money
- FREE Checking
- FREE VISA[®] Debit Card
- 55,000 Nationwide Surcharge-FREE ATMs
- FREE Online Banking
- FREE Mobile Banking

- FREE Bill Pay
- FREE Check Deposit by Phone
- No Annual Fee VISA[®] Credit Cards
- · Discount Tickets for Movies and Local Attractions
- VISA[®] Gift Cards

Go ahead. Make waves this summer. The good kind of waves that save your family and education coworkers money and stress. Encourage them to join LVECU by sending them the QR code and having them type your name in the comment section of the online application.





Follow us to get quick updates on special events, current promotions, and more.

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Need money while traveling this summer?

Download the Allpoint App and find surcharge-free ATMs around the country.

- Free App for your smartphone
- 55,000 nationwide surcharge-free ATMs
- 1,800 ATMs in Pennsylvania
- Geo-locator Find the nearest location without entering your address or zip code
- Scroll through a list of the closest locations
- Overview map and directions





This summer, take advantage of our partnerships to save money on local attractions to:

- Crayola Experience
- Lehigh Valley Zoo
- Movie Tickets

Find others on our website.



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LVECU

Contact Us

Main Office

3720 Hamilton Boulevard Allentown, PA 18103-4503 610-820-0145 Toll Free: 1-800-800-2311 Fax: 610-435-5250

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Hours

9:00 am - 5:00 pm Monday Tuesday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Wednesdav 9:00 am - 6:00 pm Thursday Friday 9:00 am - 12 pm Saturday (Allentown Office: Drive-thru & Call Center)

ART (Audio Response Teller)

610-820-0292 1-888-278-3100 (Toll Free)

VISA[®] Credit Card

Account Information 1-800-433-0505 or www.EZCardinfo.com

Report Lost/Stolen Card During regular LVECU Business Hours 610-820-0145, ext. 503 Toll Free 1-800-433-0505 After Regular Business Hours 1-833-311-0082

VISA[®] Check Card

Report Lost/Stolen Card During regular LVECU Business Hours 610-820-0145, Toll Free 1-800-800-2311 1-800-554-8969

After Regular Business Hours ART: 610-820-0292 1-800-554-8969

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Apple Pay, Samsung Pay, Google Pay now Available for LVECU Debit Cards!

Purchasing has never been so easy. Apple Pay, Samsung Pay and Google Pay are now available for LVECU Debit Cards. These three services enable you to pay without swiping or inserting your card. It's a guick and convenient way for you to shop and pay in stores, online, and in-app. Forgot your wallet in the car or at home? Your phone has got your back. Simply choose your preferred mobile wallet, add your card and get started today!

Apple, Samsung, and Google Pay for LVECU credit cards coming soon.

NEW! Mechanical Repair Coverage

Car troubles are challenging enough without the added worry of expensive repairs. Worry no more. LVECU now offers MEMBER'S CHOICE® Mechanical Repair Coverage (MRC), a service that protects against the costs of covered repairs for new and used vehicles. This service kicks in after your initial manufacturer's warranty expires.

As your vehicle gets older, the cost of repairs gets more expensive. Unlike most of the extended warranties you buy from dealerships, MCR provides flexibility.

- Use the licensed repair facility of your choice
- No mileage limitations drive as much as you would like
- 24/7/365 emergency roadside assistance



- Rental car and emergency travel expense reimbursement
- Customize your deductible

MRC can be purchased for any vehicle you own, even if you didn't finance it at LVECU. Learn more on our website.



TEENS & KIDS Read to Succeed Summer Reading Program



School ending for the summer doesn't mean learning stops. Join LVECU this summer for Read to Succeed, and we will pay you to keep learning. Channel your inner bookworm, indulge in a great book and receive a \$10 to \$25 deposit in your savings account, depending on the reading requirements for your grade level (requirements are on the form). To get started, download this form and start reading!

There are three options for returning the form:

- 1. Email it to marketing@lvecu.org
- 2. Print and mail it to: LVECU Attn: Marketing 3720 Hamilton Blvd, Allentown, PA 18103-4503
- 3. Print and bring it to one of our branches

The form must be returned during the month of August to receive a deposit.



National Credit Union Youth Month



Thank you for helping LVECU celebrate National Credit Union Youth Month in April. The theme was "Save Small. Dream Big." Kirby Kangaroo members received double Kirby Credits, a Push-Pop fidget game and were able to enter our Grand Prize drawing for a \$100 VISA Gift Card.

Claim Your Youth (CYY) members were able to enter into our CYY quarterly drawing for a chance to win one of the two grand prizes: \$50 and \$100 VISA Gift Card.

Congratulations to the following winners: Kirby Kangaroo Club: \$100 VISA Gift Card Winner: Aubrey Fegley

Claim Your Youth Club: \$100 VISA Gift Card Winner: Joseph Carpineto

\$50 VISA Gift Card Winner: **Owen Fisher**



Giving Back

ASD Homeless Children's Item of the Month

JULY

Hair Care

- Brushes, Combs
- Hair-Ties
- Shampoo
- Etc.

AUGUST & SEPTEMBER Back-to-School Supplies

- Notebooks
- Pencils
- Glue
- Etc.
 - Etc.

Reshipping Scams

What is it? Watch to see a real-life example.



Upcoming Events

Thursday, October 20th International Credit Union Day

Closings

Monday, July 4th CLOSED Independence Day

Monday, September 5th CLOSED Labor Day

Monday, October 10th CLOSED Columbus Day

Please mark your calendars and remember that ART, Mobile Banking, e-Tran Online Banking and Bill Pay are available when the credit union offices are closed.



SCAM ALERT

Hang up on imposter scams

Imposter scams start with a call, text message, email or even an alarming pop-up warning on your computer. The scammer pretends to be someone and tries to trick you into sending them money or sharing personal information.

Read this article to learn more about imposter scams.

PHEAA Warns of Student Loan Scammers

The Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency (PHEAA) is warning students and their families to be wary of financial aid scams that could expose them to significant financial loss and identity theft.

Read this article to learn how you can avoid becoming a victim.

Protect your debit card with an app on your phone

Take control of spending and fraudulent activity on your LVECU debit card. CardValet is a free app that lets you:

- Submit a travel notice
- Turn your debit card ON/OFF
- Control purchases by dollar limits, merchant categories and geographic locations
- Get alerts when your debit card is used, approved or exceeds your set transaction controls.
- Stay aware of potential fraud with alerts on attempted and declined transactions
- Get real-time balances for your accounts
- Control family spending on sites where your debit card is saved

Download the app here, and control your card with ease:

