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WELCOME AUTUMN!

“Autumn carries more gold in its pocket than all the other seasons”

– Jim Bishop

Introducing our Me to Me Transfer Program



Our new **Me to Me Transfer Program** allows you to securely and conveniently transfer funds from your BCU account to accounts at other Canadian financial institutions, and vice versa.

- **Fund new accounts** at BCU with your funds from another financial institution
- **Pay your mortgage** at BCU with funds from another financial institution
- **Feel secure knowing** our highly trained staff will set up the account links
- **Feel comfortable** relying on Beaumont Credit Union as your primary financial institution

Call a member service representative today to set up your
_____ *Me To Me Transfers* _____

**Available only with Canadian Accounts.*

Ice Bucket Challenge



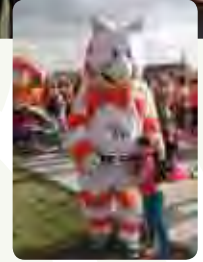
Beaumont Credit Union took part in the popular “ice bucket challenge” to support ALS Canada on August 21. All staff donated generously to the cause for a total of \$760, which will be matched by the credit union!



BCU Staff Soak Up the Sunshine At Tons of Fun Community Events

SUMMER EVENT Round Up

Summer is always a lively place to be in Beaumont, and this year was no exception. Our BCU Street Team was pleased to take part in a number of volunteer initiatives, including Camp Day at Tim Horton's, McHappy Day at McDonald's, and working with seniors and children at the library. We also had a great time entering our float in the Town and Country Daze parade – what a blast! Our mascot Fat Cat took part in his very first 5K at the Beaumont Blues Run, and we also hosted our grad and customer appreciation barbecues, both of which received great turnouts!



HIDDEN CASH

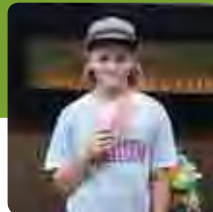
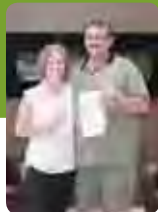


\$250 Grand Prize Winner!



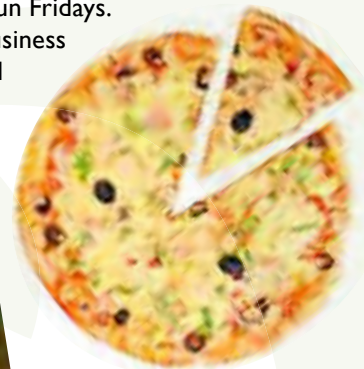
Hidden Cash a HIT

We couldn't believe the incredible response generated by our fun summer contest called Hidden Cash. Throughout the months of July and August we posted clues on social media hinting to locations where we'd hidden some cool cash. Families and individuals from across the whole community got involved, hunting for the hidden treasure. We're happy that the contest gave people a fun way to spend their summer days exploring the great sites around town. Congratulations to all our winners!



Fun Day Friday

Beaumont Credit Union wanted to thank local businesses for banking with us, so we decided to launch a new promotion called Fun Fridays. Here, we randomly selected a business account each week in August and had pizza delivered to their workplace! It was well received, and we got some great pictures sent back to us!



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Your Child Arts and Fitness Credits



Paint Canada Pink



Matthew

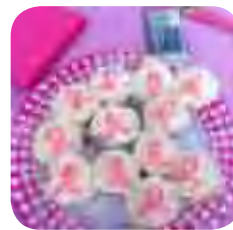
STAFF CORNER

Welcome Matthew

Welcome to our newest Member Service Representative/Lender, **Matthew Best**, who joined the team in June. Matthew is looking forward to helping all BCU members with their financial needs. He is a graduate of the University of Saskatchewan, earning his commerce degree there while working in the retail sector in a menswear store. He is currently living with family members in Leduc as he gets settled.

Also, thanks to our intern **Curtis Donald** for his hard work throughout the summer!

Paint Beaumont Pink



Beaumont Credit Union “painted” its branch pink in late August to support the national Paint Canada Pink movement. There was a draw for a gift basket, as well as pink cupcakes and popcorn on sale, and staff donated to wear pink. More than \$470 was raised for breast cancer research.



Back to school season means parents are signing up their children for plenty of different fall activities, from sports, to music lessons, to after-school tutoring. Did you know that many of these activities are eligible for a federal tax credit of up to \$75? Be sure to keep your receipts, so you can claim the 15% (up to \$500) for the cost of registration or membership for your children that are 16 years old or younger.

All activities must be monitored, structured, and happen either at least once a week for eight consecutive weeks, or be a five-day camp.

What activities are eligible under the Fitness Tax Credit?

- Any activity that includes “significant physical activity”, including cardio endurance as well as muscular strength or endurance, and/or flexibility and balance.

What activities are eligible under the Arts Tax Credit?

- Music or art lessons.
- Programs with a focus on wilderness and the environment.
- Any program that helps children develop intellectual skills.
- A program that provides enrichment or tutoring in academic subjects.



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 Thursday 9:30 am – 8:00 pm
 Friday 9:30 am – 6:00 pm
 Saturday 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

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Check Out Our New Community Video

Part of what makes us special here at BCU is our commitment to the community. We truly appreciate the opportunity to take part in local events, and volunteer with local organizations. We also love meeting new people! We summarized this love for Beaumont, our members, and our staff, in a new YouTube video called Fulfilling Dreams, Strengthening Community. You can check it out on our website (you might even see some people you know!)

www.beaumontcu.com



Fulfilling Dreams, *Strengthening Community*



Facebook Milestone

Thanks to great community support, BCU's Facebook Page has now reached **500 followers!** We're so excited to be interacting with so many friends and members online. Thanks to our social media team for all their dedication and hard work!

 **Like Us:** [Facebook.com/beaumontcu](https://www.facebook.com/beaumontcu)

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