



## AUGUST 2020 E-NEWSLETTER

### Free COVID-19 Financial Wellness Webinar



Budget with intention during COVID-19. Join our partners at GreenPath Financial Wellness on August 12 at 12 p.m. CST to learn how.

[Learn More and Register Today](#)

### Important Notices & Reminders:

#### **\*\*Change in Branch Hours\*\***

Due to the COVID-19, limited staff, and safety concerns, New Horizons Credit Union will no longer offer Saturday hours of operation after August 15, 2020.

However, Friday branch drive-thru hours of operation will increase to 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. CT starting Friday, August 21, 2020.

New Horizons Credit Union does not make this decision lightly and realizes this may cause inconvenience to our members. Unfortunately, the recent increase in reported cases

concerning the pandemic has forced us, as well as many other businesses, to operate differently. We continue to encourage usage of our free 24/7 electronic services, branch night drop boxes for deposits and payments, and enrollment in our Visa Debit Card which offers surcharge-free transactions at over 55,000 Allpoint ATMs nationwide. Also, all branches will continue to offer appointment-only lobby service. For information about any of our services, please contact our Member Services Center at 1-800-824-3610 or visit [NewHCU.org](http://NewHCU.org).

Your patience is greatly appreciated as we get through these challenging times together.

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ATM

## Limited NHCU Branch Operations & Masks Required Due to Coronavirus Restrictions

For everyone's health and safety during this pandemic, all New Horizons Credit Union branches will continue to offer lobby service by appointment only and will continue with full drive-thru service until further notice.

Please remember to wear a mask for lobby service. You may be asked to take a temperature and answer brief health questions before entering our branches, and our restrooms will not be available.

We have limited staff caused by daycare closings, so you may experience longer than normal wait times in drive-thru lines and longer hold times if calling. Appointments can be made by calling 1-800-824-3610 or by clicking [here](#). Your patience is greatly appreciated.

Please look for updates on our website at [NewHCU.org](http://NewHCU.org) or follow us on [Facebook](#).

## Always Be Aware of Potential Scams

Your Credit Union has safeguards in place to protect your personal information.

Please know that we may contact you if fraud is suspected, but NHCU will never ask for your personal information such as online credentials, your card number, account number, or social security number via email, voice mail, or text messaging.

It's a good idea to sign up for our Free Online & Mobile Banking service so you can check your accounts frequently for any suspicious activity.

## Community News

### We Want to Recognize New Horizons CU 2020 Scholarship Recipients!

New Horizons offers financial solutions for the Real World through many programs, including the annual college scholarship opportunity. This scholarship program has been going strong for over 18 years with over \$65,000 in scholarships awarded to help New Horizons youth members pursue higher education. Through the NHCU Annual Scholarship Program, we are happy to have awarded \$1,000 scholarships to five (5) graduating high school students.

Meet two of our scholarship recipients and hear what they have to say as they begin their



"Hi, my name is Cameron I. Harris. I graduated from Ben C. Rain High School in May. Unfortunately, due to the virus, my senior year and track season ended very abruptly. It does make me sad, but I have to focus on the future. I was extremely blessed to be accepted into over 20+ colleges with over \$715k in scholarships. I have chosen to attend University of South Alabama, majoring in Electrical Engineering."

-Cameron Harris

"I am attending Bishop State Community College, pursuing a degree in Nursing. I've been taking summer classes and am excited for this fall!" Ashleigh graduated from Alma Bryant High School.



-Ashleigh Nelson

*Congratulations to ALL our 2020 graduates! Your hard work has paid off, and we wish you all luck in your future endeavors!*

The 2021 New Horizons CU Scholarship application will be available on our website September 1, 2020, and is open to all graduating high school senior members.

## 2020 Designation of Savings Excellence

We are excited to announce that New Horizons Credit Union was awarded the Military Saves Designation of Savings Excellence.

New Horizons CU earned this distinction due to our relationship with the Mobile Navy League as a means to reach out to local sea-services and our Mobile Coast Guard Base with our Horizons Heroes Account & Perks and GreenPath Financial Wellness program that promotes healthy saving habits.



## New Date Set for the Penelope House's Chocolate Festival - October 3, 2020

New Horizons Credit Union is a proud sponsor of the Mobile Chocolate Festival through our Horizons Helping Hands program. After being postponed, due to COVID-19, Penelope House has announced the new date for the Mobile Chocolate Festival -- **October 3, 2020**.



October 3, 2020 • 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
The Grounds • 1035 Cody Road North, Mobile AL 36608

## Loan News

### Personal Loans for All Your Back-To-School Needs

With a no payment for 90 days option, a personal loan can be used for a variety of purposes and other affordable rates starting as low as 6.49% APR\* for up to 24 months.

[\\*Loan Details](#)



## Accounts & Services to Know About

### Christmas Club Account - Start Now

Make saving for Christmas easier with our Christmas Club account — you can never start saving too early! Open a Christmas Club account with any amount and make deposits as often as you wish. Then, watch your deposits grow on this dividend-bearing account. The first week in November, you will receive a deposit into your primary account for the balance held in your Christmas Club account so you can get your holiday shopping underway. Visit our website for full details.



[Saving/Club Accounts](#)



## About #NewHCU

New Horizons, formerly known as Scott Southern Division Employees Credit Union and later Scott Credit Union, was established in 1950. We are a member-owned, not-for-profit organization, governed by a member-elected Board of Directors. We lend to our neighbors with all lending decisions made locally. Your hard earned deposits are re-invested right

here – on the Gulf Coast.

Learn More About NHCU



\*New Horizons Credit Union is federally insured by the NCUA. New Horizons is an Equal Housing Lender. All loans are subject to credit approval. Contact New Horizons Credit Union for details on all of our loans, products, and services by calling 1-800-824-3610 or visiting [NewHCU.org](http://NewHCU.org). APR= Annual Percentage Rate.

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