



AUTO BODY CREDIT UNION

ABCU & You

Lending a Hand

SUMMER 2008 NEWSLETTER

ABCU to sponsor Classic Car Event!

Lansing's "Capital Car Celebration" is scheduled for Saturday, August 9, and we're excited to once again be part of this landmark community event as Title Sponsor. This year's event is expected to be bigger than ever and feature over 300 classic cars, a complete food court, beverage tent, and entertainment stage. To accommodate the cars and thousands of spectators several blocks of Michigan Avenue will be closed to traffic that day between Foster and Marshall Street. Festivities begin at noon and continue until dusk. The Capital Car Celebration is organized by our friend and partner, the R.E Olds Transportation Museum and is a major fundraising effort of the museum. Executive Director Deborah Horstik said, " We are delighted to have the support of Auto Body Credit Union. Their help ensures we have all the tools necessary to make this event a success."

What a great way to help celebrate our regions automotive heritage and support the R.E. Olds Transportation Museum. Please join us!

New North Branch Open

Our new North branch is now open for business!

We are pleased to provide even better service with our new facility located at 14049 Lindsey Lane, Dewitt. This new branch offers drive-thru lanes, drive up ATM, ample parking and even Saturday hours from 9:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m.



A Message

from Margo

Recently, I watched with sadness as a story on the news unfolded. In this story, a senior citizen was struck by a car and then left to die, while pedestrians and drivers passed by. All of this was caught on a security camera and then broadcast around the world. I couldn't help wondering what kind of city that must be when strangers or neighbors don't even stop to help someone hurt in the street.

I counted myself very lucky that I live and work in an area that still remembers we're all here for each other. I'm equally proud that ABCU is committed to do its part and lend a hand in this community.

Over the coming weeks, you'll notice some billboards going up that talk about how we're lending a hand with local organizations. These are meant not only to show that we're there for our community, but also to encourage our members, friends and neighbors to get involved and make Mid-Michigan a better place for all of us to live and work.

At ABCU we're proud to be an organization founded on the belief of people helping people. We take equal pride in being there to help you.

Margo Kleinfelt

Lending a Hand: ABCU Gives Back

At ABCU we believe in Lending a Hand to our members and to our community. Employees participate in a variety of efforts all year to benefit community organizations and projects that need a hand. This past quarter we:

- Made a \$500 donation to the Capital Region Community Foundation YAC Program. The YAC program (Youth Action Committee) is an advisory committee of the Capital Region Community Foundation, made up of high school students from the greater Lansing area that supports youth programs through grant-making and community service in the tri-county area.
- Sponsored the American Red Cross – Be Red Cross Ready fund-raising breakfast.
- Joined with Lansing Area Credit Unions in hosting a Dodgeball Tournament in April raising money for the Angel House. The ABCU team took 1st place at this charity event.
- Employees volunteered their time to work at the March of Dimes Walk-athon, FFA Car Wash, and the Relay for Life in Grand Ledge.
- Co-sponsored a seminar on Understanding your Credit Report with Accel Financial Members Counseling. This was a free seminar for our members.
- Sponsored the Tri-County Office on Aging March for Meals walk to raise money for Meals on Wheels.

Calendar of Events

Labor Day • Monday, September 1 • Closed

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Look no further than Auto Body Credit Union for your mortgage needs. Through Member First Mortgage we offer the many conveniences that you expect as a credit union member; like applying by phone, face-to-face at the credit union or online. Whichever program meets your needs, your mortgage servicing is never sold...guaranteed!

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Member Appreciation Days

It's that time again... for our Annual Member Appreciation days! We look forward to thanking you for your loyalty and commitment to ABCU. We invite all members to bring the kids and enjoy hot dogs, popcorn and refreshments. Be sure and enter our prize drawing too! Stop by between 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on the dates below.

- Friday, August 15- West office
- Wednesday, August 20- NEW North office
- Thursday, August 21- South office
- Friday, August 22- Main office



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