

Financial Pulse

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Helping our members live financially well

Aurora Credit Union's Quarterly Newsletter

Best Value

Aurora Credit Union now offering student loans

Through a partnership with UW Credit Union, Aurora Credit Union is now offering student loans. Open a new loan, consolidate an existing student loan into one easy payment, or refinance an existing loan at a lower rate.

Student loan features include:

- **Competitive rates**
- 0.25% interest rate reduction for automatic payments
- Personalized service
- Debt protection: loan forgiveness up to \$50k if the borrower passes away
- Cosigner release after first 36 payments are made on-time and consecutively

As credit unions, UW Credit Union and Aurora Credit Union have membership requirements. This requires opening a \$5 membership savings account with UW Credit Union, which must remain open until your student loan is paid in full. No other products are required, so you can keep your existing accounts with Aurora Credit Union and continue your financial relationship with us.

HOT Summer loan special

Tired of being treated like a piece of meat at a car dealership? Before you talk to a dealer about a loan, talk to Aurora Credit Union. We provide our members with **low rates** and great terms. Plus, we treat you like a real person, not a commission or bonus payment.

Now through August 30, get cash back on your first payment, up to \$500. The special also extends to motorcycles, boats and RVs. Visit our [website](#) for details.

See what a difference Aurora Credit Union can make in your car buying experience. Call, [click](#) or stop by today!



Discounted tickets available

Get them before they're gone! Aurora Credit Union is once again offering discounted tickets to popular summer attractions.

- Noah's Ark Waterpark: \$26.50 each
- Great America: \$46.50 each

Summerfest and State Fair tickets have already sold out. Stop by any [branch](#) to purchase tickets.

Best Service

Coming soon: upgrades to ACU online services

In an effort to better meet our members' changing needs, upgrades are being made to ACU Online Services. Upgrades will include:

- You will be able to update your user name yourself. For privacy purposes, account numbers can no longer be used as user names, so you may be asked to update your user name the first time you log in after the upgrade.
- A new responsive web design, which will allow you to easily view our website on smart phones and tablets.
- The ability to fill out loan applications online.

If you have any questions about the upcoming changes, please call us: 414-649-7949 (toll-free 888-530-9555).

Need to find a co-op shared branch? There's an app for that!

A mobile application available in the Apple and Google online stores makes it easier than ever to find a co-op shared branch or ATM wherever you are. Search "Co-Op Locator" and download to your mobile device.

With over 5,000 shared branches available to you nationwide, you're never far from fast and friendly service. Please visit www.auroracreditunion.org and click on "Credit Union's CO-OP Shared Branches" under "What's New" to learn more and to see full list of the services offered at shared branches.

New members elected to Board of Directors

Aurora Credit Union is pleased to announce the results of the election for our [Board of Directors](#), held on April 11. Kathryn Crumpton, Nancy Majewski and Tim Heyse were elected to serve three-year terms, and Wendy Schafer and Ellen Demos will serve two-year terms.

A credit union is a democratic, member-owned cooperative. That means you have a say in how your credit union is run. A volunteer board of directors, elected by the members, governs a credit union. With their vote, each member has a direct impact on the direction of the credit union.

Please join us in congratulating Kathryn Crumpton, Nancy Majewski, Tim Heyse, Wendy Schafer and Ellen Demos on their board positions.

ACU on the road

To spread awareness of the great service and value Aurora Credit Union offers, we regularly visit Aurora sites to talk with caregivers. In June, we had the pleasure of visiting with caregivers at the New Berlin Service Center, Aurora Sinai Medical Center and Aurora St. Luke's South Shore.

We will be at the Aurora Corporate offices next on August 9, from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Please stop by and say hello if you're in the building!



Privacy policy notice

Federal law requires us to tell you how we collect, share and protect your personal information. Our privacy policy has not changed and you may review our policies and practices with respect to your personal information by visiting our [website](#), or we will mail you a free copy upon request; please call us toll free at 888-530-9555.

New membership benefit: KOFE tools and resources

Aurora Credit Union is committed to helping our members live financially well, which is why we have partnered with KOFE (Knowledge of Financial Education) to bring you valuable new resources. You now have access to tools and information to help you manage money, your credit, budget, retirement and more. There is even a toll free hotline to connect you to financial coaches.

Through KOFE, you have all of the tools and resources you need to live a financially secure lifestyle.

The Personal Financial Management tool delivers a full, up-to-date view of your financial life. In addition, you will have FREE access to certified financial counselors who will be able to help you through financial challenges.

Some available resources available FREE to you are:

- Interactive Calculators
- Financial Publications
- Financial Videos
- Webinars
- Certified Financial Planners

Access the Aurora Credit Union sponsored KOFE website:

<http://www.kofetime.com/auroracreditunion>

To speak with a certified financial coach, please call our designated phone line: 1-888-402-4508.

To our current AHC caregivers: The Center for Financial Wellness/Consumer Credit Counseling Service will provide a confidential, free financial assessment to all caregivers.

Please call 414-482-8801 to set up an appointment or visit their website: www.creditcounselingwi.org. The Center for Financial Wellness is a department of Aurora Family Service.

Lifetime Membership

Once a member, always a member

Did you know that once you are a member of Aurora Credit Union, you can remain a member for life? Even if you switch jobs or move out of the area, you can still maintain your account with Aurora Credit Union. Visit our [website](#) for more information.

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