

Auto and Recreational Loans made easy

There's more to buying than just getting a low interest rate. You need options, and we have several, including the option of a pre-approved loan before buying. Contacting

our friendly loan team before going to the dealership can provide the **ultimate buying experience**

for your next auto, boat, camper, ATV etc. Our *dealer partnership lending* provides a seamless process from the dealership to the credit union, which in turn gives our members peace of mind, knowing your loan is at your local credit union, financed with people you know and trust.

Be sure and tell them you are a **Connected Credit Union member.**



Unlock the Equity in Your Home

Now is the time for those summer projects! Together, we can turn your home into the space you've always dreamed of. A home equity line of credit (HELOC) is a great way to enhance your living space as the needs of your family change. Whether you need to create new space or upgrade your existing space, a low-rate HELOC can get the job done with a payment to fit your budget! Our Loan Team is ready to help; call today or apply online!

Teens & Young Adults

Open a **free4ME Checking Account** before August 31, 2026, and pick a prize that fits your summer vibe—from gift cards to fun local experiences! Customized for teens and young adults ages 13 to 25, our free4ME Checking Account is the perfect tool for those who are learning the process of maintaining a checking account. Account holders receive access to Online Banking, eStatements and Bill Pay as well as:



- Oops Refunds: overdraft fee waived twice a year
- No monthly fee or per-check fee, and no minimum balance required
- Instant issue debit/ATM card
- SURF – surcharge-free ATM network

Putting for Pups

Connected Credit Union was thrilled to have hosted the **Rescue Charlie's Friends** golf tournament on June 6. While technically known as a dog rescue, Rescue Charlie's Friends continues to grow and expand their services. They are now known as a community pet clinic, offering services to dogs, cats and sometimes other types of family pets too. We want to congratulate them on this very successful fundraiser, as they continue to support the health and well-being of animals in our communities. They are halfway to their fundraising goal to purchase their own x-ray machine!





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Credit Union Holidays

We will be closed on:

- New Year's Day
- Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- Presidents' Day
- Patriots' Day
- Memorial Day
- Juneteenth
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Indigenous Peoples' Day
- Veterans Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- Christmas Eve closing at 1:00 pm
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- New Year's Eve closing at 1:00 pm

Inactive/Dormant Accounts

Any account having less than a \$50.00 balance that has had "no activity" for two years is subject to a monthly inactivity fee of \$2.00.

Abandoned Accounts

Accounts with no member-initiated activity for 3 years are considered abandoned by the state. If you have not made a deposit to your account recently, please do so to prevent your account from being considered abandoned. If your account becomes abandoned, we are required by law to turn the funds over to the State of Maine. Notification will be mailed to affected accounts prior to funds being turned over to the State of Maine.

Connected Credit Union's privacy notice can be found on our website at connectedcreditunion.org



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Ending Hunger Campaign Update



We are pleased to announce that the Maine Credit Unions' Campaign for Ending Hunger raised over **\$1.4 million** in 2025. The Campaign has contributed over \$16.3 million to end hunger since its inception in 1990. Thanks to the support of our generous members and staff, Connected Credit Union was able to give more than \$9,300.00 back to local hunger organizations that help to feed our neighbors in need. 100% of all funds raised through this Campaign support nonprofit organizations fighting food insecurity right here in Maine.

2026 Scholarship Recipients

Davyn S. will be studying cybersecurity at Lander University. Davyn will also continue to play field hockey in college.

Camden G. will be studying secondary education at the University of Maine at Farmington. Throughout her high school career, Camden dedicated over 2,000 hours to community service.

Alexander T. will be studying biochemistry at Gordon College and has graduated as the valedictorian of his class.

Colby N. is a second-year nursing student currently attending Husson University. He is currently completing his clinical rotations at the Maine Veterans Home and aims to graduate with his degree and obtain his RN license in 2028.



Protect Your Accounts With Strong Passwords

Weak passwords are the most common way online criminals access accounts. Regularly updating your passwords limits your chances of fraudsters gaining unauthorized access to your accounts. Our digital banking platform requires all users to create a new password annually. This is just one more way that Connected Credit Union is working to keep your finances safe and secure. Ideally, your password should be between 8 and 20 characters, including a mix of upper and lower case letters, numbers, and special characters. Do not reuse passwords across multiple platforms.

You Could Win \$100 by Enrolling in Online Banking and eStatements

Don't miss out on this opportunity!

- Easy access to your accounts 24/7
- Monitor your credit score
- \$100 monthly drawings



Membership eligibility required. Offer open to Connected Credit Union members. Bonus subject to approval. If selected as the recipient of the \$100.00 e-statement drawing, you must: 1) Be enrolled in online banking and e-statements (electronic delivery), and 2) Your account must be open and in good standing at the time of bonus fulfillment. Offer may be withdrawn or modified without notice. Limited time offer. Federally insured by the NCUA.