

INSIGHT

A Few Words From Our CEO

Wow, where do I start? At ECSFCU we have worked hard to adapt to "business as unusual", by closing our lobbies for the safety and well-being of our staff and member-owners. In place of our lobby service we have created a "Curbside Service" lane that has resulted in quicker and more convenient member service, along with more smiles of gratitude from our member-owners who appreciate this out-of-the-box thinking aimed at protecting us all.

Keeping our office open is critical to providing the greatest member experience, and our staff has done so with amazing energy and ideas. We all acknowledge the responsibility AND privilege of serving those that serve and support the local education community, and we have done so with low to 0.00% Financial Wellness Loans, 90 day payment deferrals, ATM and other fee waivers, and virtually eliminating the eChecking requirements for earning the 4.00% APY rate of interest.

That said, all of our efforts still pale in comparison to those of our local school districts who have in many cases reinvented their methods for educating and supporting their students as well as the community-



at-large. On the reverse side of this newsletter, you can see some of these efforts to overcome the challenges of the pandemic that will no doubt change our lives, one way or another... permanently!

If you have any needs that we are not addressing to your complete satisfaction, please let me know ASAP by emailing me at sdevan@EastCountySchools.org. We are here to serve the education community, and to make a difference for all current and future member-owners of ECSFCU.

I hope to "C U" soon,

Steven A. Devan | President & Chief Executive Officer



Secure Night Deposit Drop at our El Cajon Branch

We understand life doesn't have business hours. As an added convenience to our members who need to make a deposit after-hours or for those who do not have an ECSFCU debit card, our secure night deposit drop is available at our El Cajon Branch. Envelopes are provided or you may use your own. Before you drop, please be sure to include your name, account number, and any other instructions or information we may need to process your request. Use the Night Deposit for:

- Loan payments
- VISA payments
- Cash/Check Deposits

As a reminder, all deposits put into the secure night deposit drop will be credited to your account the next business day.

Nationwide Fee-Free Access to Your Money

Never pay to access your money, no matter where you are. As a member of East County Schools FCU, you have access to more than 30,000 surcharge-free ATMs nationwide through the CO-OP Network. Look for one of the logos below and make no-fee withdrawals from and deposits to your East County Schools FCU accounts.

You'll find CO-OP ATMs at many convenient locations like Costco, Walgreens, and more than 5,500 7-Eleven stores. To find the ATM closest to you, click on "locations" from our mobile app, text your address to 91989, or go to www.EastCountySchools.org/Co-Op.

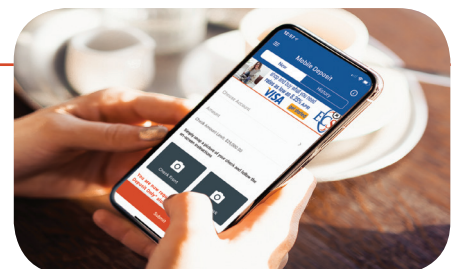


Safe. Secure. Convenient.

Deposit Your Checks Wherever You Are!

Here's How to Deposit Checks Using ECSFCU Mobile Banking App:

1. Open the ECSFCU app, using facial recognition, fingerprint or your online banking user name and password to securely sign in and select Mobile Deposit from the Menu Icon.
2. Sign the back of the check and add "For Mobile Deposit Only" along with your signature.
3. Select the account to receive the deposit and enter the check amount.
4. Select the Check Front and Check Back buttons to take a front and back photo of the check with your smartphone.
5. After confirming the details, tap submit and then confirm
6. Store your check in a safe place for two weeks or until the deposit appears on your monthly statement, and then securely destroy it or mark it as VOID.



Find FAQs at www.EastCountySchools.org/mobile.

Staying Together While Staying Apart

With schools transitioning to distance learning as a result of COVID-19, local educators went above and beyond to support each other while schools were closed. Check out how students, teachers, and staff stayed together while staying apart during the shutdown.



Grossmont College loaned a total of 18 ventilators to two local hospitals and the State of California in an effort to increase the supply of the life-saving equipment for COVID-19 patients.



Distance Learning – Jamul-Dulzura Union School District teachers sent a message to their students via Zoom.

Jasmine Griffin, Ahlam Yanny, and Silvia Palmetier continued to serve meals for students at Spring Valley Academy in La Mesa-Spring Valley Schools.



Santee School District distributed free K-8 level reading books to students along with students' weekly assignment packets.



Grossmont Union High School staff attended sessions led by GUHSD Digital Learning Coaches from Digital Lesson Design to Zoom to GSuite and more to prep for virtual teaching.



Cajon Valley Union School District staff member, Amanda Orwen, helped prepare Chase Elementary for childcare for essential workers.



Keeping spirits up while getting the work done. Mountain Empire Union School District held a western-themed Zoom meeting.

Sra. Preciado of Eucalyptus Hills Elementary in the Lakeside Union School District shared a story with TK students.



Congratulations to Our \$1,000 Scholarship Winners

East County Schools FCU awarded \$1,000 each to the following Thomas H. Gould/Paul R. Marsh Scholarship recipients for their outstanding character, merit and campus and community activities.



Phoenix Robledo of Santana High School will be attending UC Berkeley



Sarah Darley of Granite Hills High School will be attending UC Riverside



Shiwan Bamarni of El Cajon Valley High School will be attending UC San Diego

Holiday Closings

Independence Day (Observed) – Friday, July 3rd
Labor Day – Monday, September 7th



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