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CU HAWAII
Federal Credit Union

MORE POSSIBILITIES

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Walk to End Alzheimer's

Mahalo Alzheimer's Association Hawaii and to all those that came out to support! We raised a total of \$2,400+ in donations 🍷



CU HAWAII 'OHANA



GIVEAWAY WINNERS



Home Fair & Expo

Hawai'i Island Realtors put together a great event with other industry expert exhibitors 🏠

We had our fun plinko game, handed out CU Hawaii swag, and gave away some amazing prizes.



Our tent, Jeff passing out swag bags, Vicky and Sherry at our tent, and Seth and Lei promoting our Alzheimer's fundraiser.

Left photo: Hobbs and Luz with one of our happy giveaway winners. Right photo: Luz and Alan at our booth before the event.



COMMUNITY SERVICE & OUTREACH

Community Health Fair

Ka'u Community Health Fair hosted a day filled with health education, entertainment, and prizes. Our booth handed out water, granola bars, and even had some giveaways ✨



RIENA AND JEN AT OUR BOOTH



National Food Bank Day

For National Food Bank Day, some of our CU Hawaii team helped pack food boxes for Food Baskets Kūpuna Pantry Program. We were able to pack 900+ food boxes and fill 20 pallets 🇺🇸

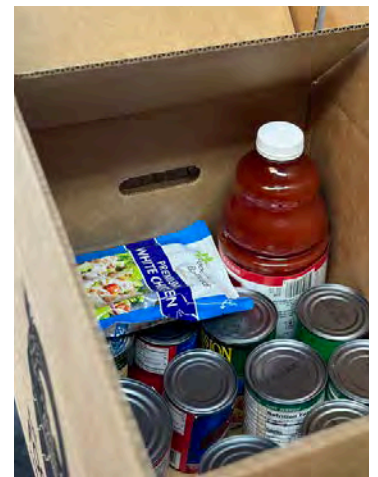
Waiākea Club Day



Our Waiākea Student Branch represented CU Hawaii at Waiākea High School's Annual Club Day.

Ben, Tyler, Boston, and Waiākea DECA advisor Sheri at our booth.

Mahalo Hawai'i Food Basket for having us!



Left photo: Nani and June packing food boxes. Right photo: Some items that were put in each box.



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Nā'ālehu Summer Fun

Our annual visit for the Nā'ālehu Keiki Summer Fun Program. Keiki learned about financial literacy and were given a cute CU Hawaii piggy bank 🐷



Relay for Life



Thank you to everyone that stopped by our tent at Relay for Life! Before and after the event we raised a total of \$5,874 in donations and made us Gold team status.



We are always looking for ways to create **MORE POSSIBILITIES** for our community!!



Our theme this year was Three Little Pigs + Friends. We had a Match & Win card game where winners could win a pushie.

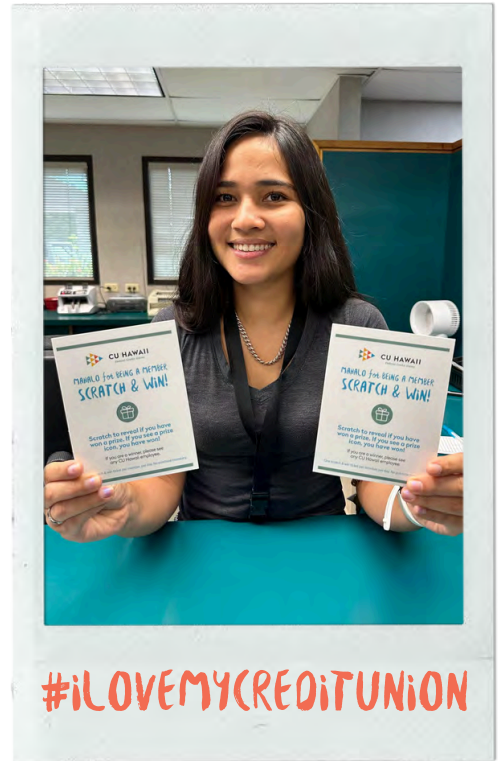


I LOVE MY CREDIT UNION DAY

On July 26th, we celebrated **I LOVE MY CREDIT UNION DAY!!** Members could go into any branch and receive a scratch card to win some CU Hawaii swag 🍷 Thank you to everyone that visited us and helped celebrate!



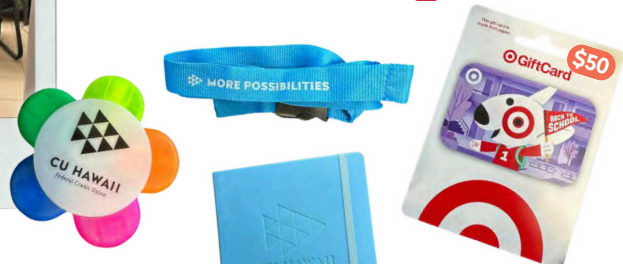
Our scratch card winners at Nā'ālehu, Pāhoā, Kea'au, Hilo, and Kona Branches.



SOCIAL MEDIA GIVEAWAY

Back to School

CU Hawaii members entered our giveaway through our social media or by coming into a branch and filling out an entry slip. Winners received some CU Hawaii swag and a Target gift card to buy back to school essentials 🍷





BUSINESS MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Wehi's Boutique

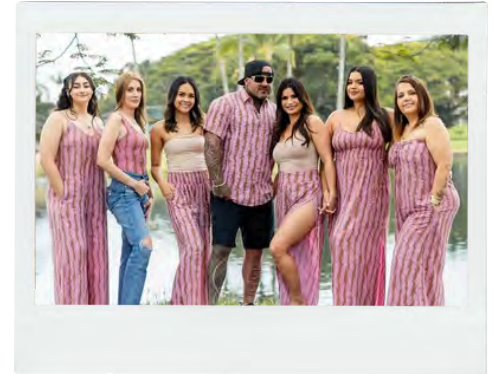
"Wehi Designs offers a contemporary line of island-inspired clothing, designed in Hawai'i and hand-dyed in Bali. Born and raised in Hilo, Hawai'i, owner & operator Marcel (Evans) Rodrigues has always had an eye for fashion and a heart to empower the women around her. That same passion inspires the designs for clothing that beautifully adorns every woman."

-Marcel Rodrigues



FOLLOW HER ON
SOCIAL MEDIA!

@WEHISBOUTIQUE



If you are a **Business Member** with CU Hawaii and would like to be featured in our business member spotlight, please send us an email at marketing@cuhawaii.com. You could be showcased on our social media and newsletter!



MORE POSSIBILITIES

JOIN OUR 'OHANA



Enjoy great benefits including; Medical/Dental/Vision (premiums covered 100% for employees), 401(k) profit sharing with employer match, and paid personal time off (starting at 3 weeks per year).*

Scan our QR code for more details



Amber, Savannah, Felicia, Michelle, and Roselyn trained at our headquarters and are excited to provide more possibilities for our members!

We have a few positions available. For more information and to apply please visit cuhawaii.com or scan the QR code.



STUDENT MEMBER SERVICE REPRESENTATIVES

We want to welcome our 2024 Waiākea & Kea'au High School Student MSR's 🤝



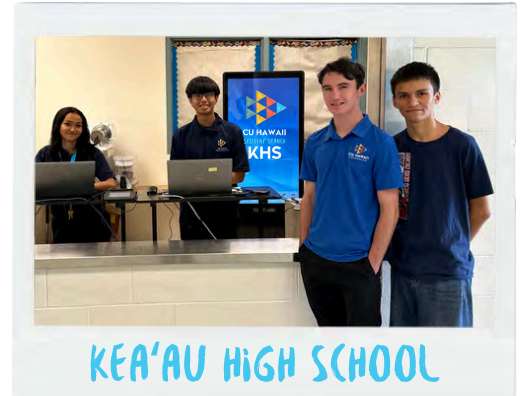
Tyler, Akoni, Boston, Nathaniel, Chase, Jared, Maiyah, and Naomi during training week at our headquarters.

Please follow their socials to see their journeys!

@CUHAWAIIWHS @CUHAWAIIKHS



WAIĀKEA HIGH SCHOOL



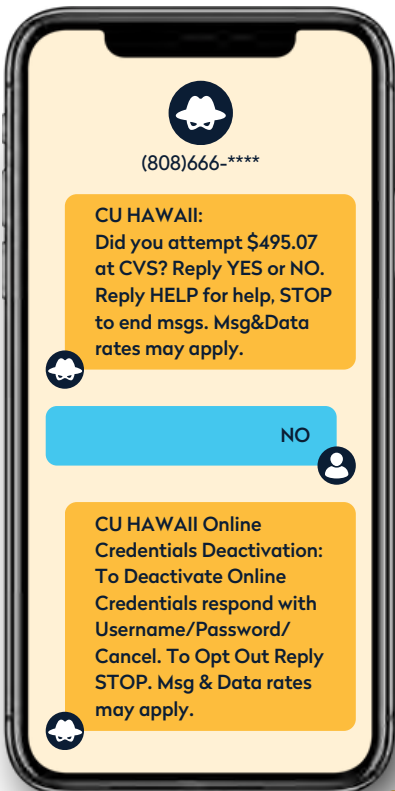
KEA'AU HIGH SCHOOL

AVOID TEXT MESSAGE SCAMS

Over the past few months, some members have received text messages claiming to be sent from CU Hawaii. If you have received similar messages, do not reply to the message or click on the link.

WHENEVER YOU ARE IN DOUBT,
PLEASE CONTACT US DIRECTLY
AT (808)933-6700.

We will never ask you for any account or personal information via text message and clicking on a suspicious link through text may download malware on your device.





At CU Hawaii we care about your financial safety and we want you to be aware of these types of scams and how to prevent them.

Whenever you are in doubt, please contact us directly at (808)933-6700.

In addition, you should report the fraud by visiting <https://reportfraud.ftc.gov>

What is Money Muling?

Money muling scams are typically disguised as job opportunities. They promise a fast and easy way to earn money. These “jobs” use you and your bank account to move illegally obtained funds through the financial system. Anyone engaging in this activity acts as a “money mule.” Criminals recruit money mules to help them transfer funds without detection by law enforcement. They move money from account to account, eventually using it to fund more crime.

How are Money Mules recruited?

- Email
- Social media messages
- Fraudulent job ads
- Fake online posts
- Instant messaging posts
- Direct communication



Common clues to tell this is a scam

- Claims you can earn a lot of money for minimal effort
- Your bank information is needed to move money
- The job description lacks details
- Emails have poorly constructed sentences

Protect yourself

- Be cautious of unsolicited emails and social posts
- Verify company information online or give them a call
- Double check job offers from overseas companies
- Never give your bank account information

Other crimes funded

- **Criminal gets money:** criminals obtain money through illegal activity.
- **Money laundering:** money is hidden in the financial system in a variety of ways.
- **Criminal activity:** money is used to fund human trafficking, drugs, terrorism, etc.





2024 BEST OF EAST AND WEST HAWAII

Mahalo Big Island for your continued support, your votes and allowing us to provide the spirit of possibilities to you and your 'Ohana ♥ MORE POSSIBILITIES for all of us!



Sherry, Kathy, Shari, Vicky, Sarah, Stella, Karey, Ben, Stacey, Jasmynne, Elizabeth, Kathline, Daisy, and Meng at our CU Hawaii Kea'au Branch.



Parmina, Tori, Justity, and Justin from our CU Hawaii Kona Branch.

EMPLOYEE ANNIVERSARIES

Celebrating our employee milestones 🎉



Salome Douglas
HR Manager



Mark Peters
Project Manager



Meng Zhang
Sr Accountant



Daisy Ongais-Kilaulani
Operation Support Specialist

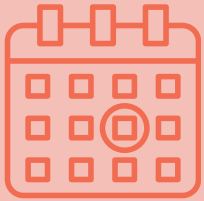


Lynn Nuniez
VP Member Services



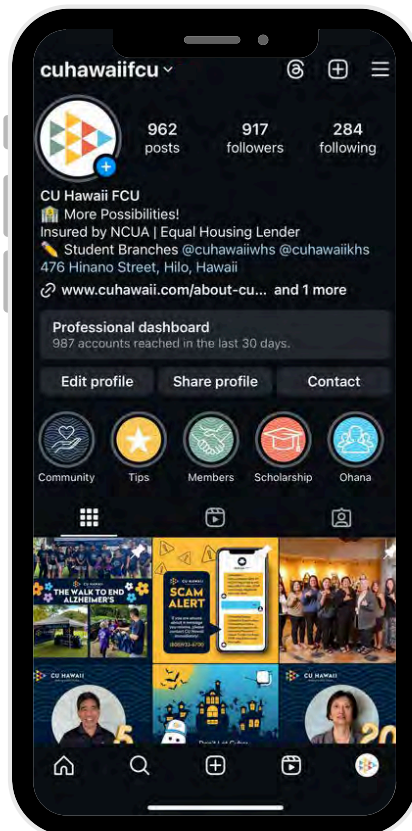
UPCOMING HOLIDAYS

CU Hawaii will be closed
on the following days;



Veterans Day
Monday, November 11th, 2024
Thanksgiving Day
Thursday, November 28th

**DON'T FORGET TO FOLLOW US
ON SOCIAL MEDIA FOR UPDATES!**



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