

# Spring Newsletter 2019

Where Your Membership Matters

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Picture it!  
Save for it!  
Share it!



## April is Youth Month

Join us in encouraging young people to Picture it, Save for it, and Share it!

Bring your kids to either office by April 30 to open a savings account and we'll make the first deposit for them!

Capture a moment in our **photo booth**, enter your kids in our **coloring contest**, and stop by either office on Fridays for complimentary refreshments!

Initial deposit offer for new members up to age 17. Account must be opened by 4/30/19. Annual Percentage Yield effective 4/1/19 and subject to change. For members up to age 17 only; available through 4/30/19. \$100 minimum deposit. Penalty for early withdrawal.

**Special April Youth CD**  
 Kids earn **2%<sup>APY</sup>** for 12 months on a new CD up to \$2,500



**\$2,500 college or trade school scholarship**

At ALPS FCU, we know how important — and expensive — a college education can be. That's why we're here to help with a \$2,500 Education Scholarship Award.

Applicants:

- Must be attending or plan to attend an accredited college, university or trade school full-time.
- Must have been an ALPS FCU member for at least six months.
- May major in any field of study.

For more information and an application, go to [alpsfcu.org](http://alpsfcu.org).

**Application deadline is May 1, 2019.**

## Youth Checking Accounts

Are your teens ready to learn financial skills? You can give them a head start by opening a Youth Checking account with a debit card for them. To qualify, they simply need to review with us a few important financial basics, including using debit cards, proper check writing, online banking, keeping an accurate check register, and more. Contact us for details.

## 0%<sup>APR</sup> on credit card balance transfers

Cut the rate on your bank and store credit cards to ZERO percent for six months by transferring those balances to an ALPS FCU Visa platinum Rewards Card. It has NO annual fee, and offers free auto rental insurance, purchase protection, and much more. Call or visit either branch to transfer your balances. Don't have our card yet? Apply now at [alpsfcu.org](http://alpsfcu.org).

Balances must be transferred by 6/30/19. Transferred balances cannot exceed available credit on ALPS FCU Visa Platinum Reward Card. After six-month period, APR converts to regular rate.

## Congratulations!

### ALEX FRAILEY

#### Employee of the Quarter

Alex was voted by staff for her outstanding dedication to ALPS members, her marketing efforts, and her outstanding attitude.

She started at ALPS in May 2016 as a Member Services Representative where she created a strong presence on the teller line. She then became interested in lending, and is now our Consumer Loan Officer, where she has again excelled. Alex has received training at the Consumer and Residential Mortgage Lending School in New Orleans, and also earned her Credit Life and Disability Insurance Producer's Certificate of Completion.

Alex is also a talented artist, not only bringing creative ideas to the marketing department, but also painting beautiful props for many ALPS themed events. Congratulations on being named Employee of the Quarter!



## Meet Christine Galiza

We are so excited to add Christine's cheerful personality to the ALPS team! She moved to Sitka from Stockton, CA to be close to family. Her hobbies include movies, video games, animals and music. Christine earned a BA in Business Administration from University of Phoenix. She will be assisting members with their service needs.



## Meet Carynne Even

Carynne joins the ALPS family as a part-time Member Service Representative. She's a Petersburg native, and spends most of her down time with friends and family.

We're happy to welcome Carynne to our Member Service Team in Petersburg.



## \$30 members-only discount for AirMedCare coverage

ALPS Federal Credit Union has partnered with AirMedCare Network and Guardian Flight to offer our credit union members the opportunity to join AirMedCare Network's Membership Program at a special members-only \$30 discount so you only pay \$95 a year for coverage.

Living in this incredible state is not easy. Alaska is the last frontier for a reason. We're not just ALPS employees, we're also your friends and neighbors. We want our member community to know that we care!

Medical emergencies can happen anytime and out of pocket expenses can easily soar to \$80,000. Make sure you and your family are protected in any emergency, [click here](#) for details and to enroll today.



## Business Spotlight: Munchie Mart

This quarter, we salute Munchie Mart and their move to 303 Lincoln Street #2 in Sitka. The location is convenient for anyone looking for a cool drink, hot coffee or snack in the downtown area. If you're an ALPS FCU member, tell us about your business. We'd be delighted to feature it in our newsletter.

## ALPS FCU is now on the Silver Saver card

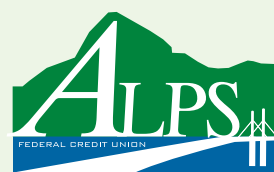
Silver Saver holders can earn 0.25% higher return on published certificate rates at ALPS FCU. Members just need to show the Silver Saver card when opening account to get the bonus.

We're so excited about this that we're giving some cards away! Come into the credit union and enter the drawing before April 10 to win a card.

## Celebrating 60 in 2020

Next year we're turning 60, and we're starting our celebrations early with special events, giveaways, and other surprises right up until we're officially 60, on July 5, 2020.

Nearly six decades ago, local Alaska Lumber and Pulp mill workers came together to create the credit union, our member-owned and managed cooperative, as an alternative to banks. Since then, ALPS Federal Credit Union has provided low-cost loans and affordable financial services, first to a select group, then to all residents of the city and borough of Sitka. Today we proudly serve all of Southeast Alaska with branches in Sitka and Petersburg. Watch for more information on upcoming events.



Serving members since 1960

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### HOLIDAY CLOSURE SCHEDULE

**Memorial Day** Monday, May 27

**Independence Day** Thursday, July 4



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