



Summer Issue

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Don't Go Phishing

PCU will never solicit personal or financial information. Learn how to protect yourself from phishing attacks.

To avoid phishing attacks, PCU offers the following tips:

- If you get an email or pop-up message asking for personal or financial information, do not reply or click on the link. Legitimate companies don't ask for this information via email. If you are concerned about your account, contact PCU directly, or open a new Internet browser session and type in PCU's correct Web address. Never cut and paste the link in the message.
- Don't email personal or financial information. Email is not a secure method for transmitting personal information. Look for indicators that a site is secure, like a lock icon on the browser's status bar () or a URL that begins "https:" (the "s" stands for "secure"). Unfortunately, no indicator is foolproof; some phishers have forged security icons.
- Review credit card and credit union account statements as soon as you receive them to check for unauthorized charges.

- Use anti-virus software and keep it up to date. Some phishing emails contain software that can harm your computer or track your Internet activities without your knowledge. Anti-virus software scans incoming communications for troublesome files and can protect you from inadvertently accepting them.
- A firewall helps make you invisible on the Internet and blocks all communications from unauthorized sources. It's especially important to run a firewall if you have a broadband connection. Finally, your operating system (like Windows or Linux) may offer free software "patches" to close holes in the system that hackers or phishers could exploit.
- Be cautious about opening attachments or downloading files from emails you receive, regardless of who sent them. These files can contain viruses and other malware that can weaken your computer's security.

Holiday Closures

- Labor Day**
Monday, September 3rd
- Columbus Day**
Monday, October 8th



Receive Free Hotel Accommodations PLUS a Chance to Win Airline Tickets to Las Vegas!!!

Only 4 easy steps to follow:

1. **YOU** refer a family member or friend to join Power Credit Union
2. **NEW MEMBER** opens a checking account and two qualifying products. (direct deposit, loan or line of credit, debit card, credit card, online bill pay)
3. **NEW MEMBER** provides your name when opening an account
4. **YOU and NEW Member** receive a Vacation Package **AND** are entered to win 2 round trip tickets to Las Vegas!

CALL US TODAY!!!

Ready to Renovate But Low on Cash?

Apply for a LOW RATE, NO FEE Home Equity Line of Credit!

Only 4.9% *APR! Apply Online!

*Appraisal fees may apply. The variable Annual Percentage Rate (APR) is based on The Wall Street Journal Prime rate or floor rate of 4.9% whichever is greater. Maximum term of 180 months. Interest rate may vary quarterly. Terms subject to change without notice. Offer is subject to credit approval. Other terms and conditions may apply. Consult a tax advisor regarding deductibility of interest.

In the Community



March of Dimes



Orchard of Hope Walk

Welcome new hires!

Main Branch

- Cindy Cunico, PSR II

Canon City Branch

- Rebecca Smith, Teller

Member Discount - Royal Gorge

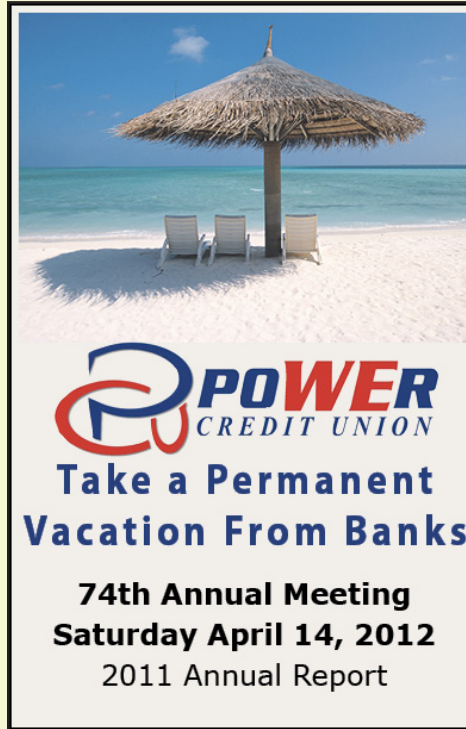
It's a great day to ride the train! Receive a \$5.00 discount for the Royal Gorge Railroad simply by being a PCU member! Receiving your discount is easy - make your reservation by calling 888.724.5748 and mention you're a PCU member. That's it! Experience breathtaking scenery and excellent cuisine - call today!!!



Annual Meeting 2012

Power Credit Union (PCU) held its 74th Annual Meeting on April 14th, 2012 at the Pueblo Union Depot.

The vacation themed event began with a business meeting, election results, and ended with lunch and prize giveaways.



Prizes included vacation vouchers and cash giveaways. In 2013, PCU plans to celebrate its 75th anniversary by giving away a free cruise.

Power Credit Union's CEO, Vanessa Trexel, reviewed the 2011 financials and addressed the credit union's current and future challenges.

Three new and two incumbent volunteers were elected to Power Credit Union's Board of Directors. New board members include Ron Leyba, Butch Batchelder Jr., and Ken White III. John Hibler and Don Trujillo were re-elected.

VISA STATEMENT NOTICE

Effective August 2012, Power Credit Union will combine all Visa statements with regular paper statements. Delivery times will not be affected.

Switch to e-statements! Benefits include:

- Convenience
- Security
- Environmentally Friendly
- Fast Online Delivery
- Less Clutter