## **Second Quarter Dividends Declared** April 1, 2014 thru June 30, 2014

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## **MEMBER SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED BY SOCU!**

\$500 Austin Stephens \$500 Claire Elsey \$500 Alaina Cravatta \$500 Madeleine Gillman \$500 Sarahi Chavez \$500 Danielle Stimpert \$250 Drew Tkach \$250 Broc Dodge \$250 Noah Farrell



# STOP JUGGLING

**TRANSFERS FOR 12** MONTHS\* OR 4.99% APR **ON BALANCE TRANSFERS** 

\*All VISA cards are subject to credit approval. 0% for 12 months from date of transfer. Any unpaid balance will revert to the current purchase rate. \*\* 4.99% APR for 60 months from the date of transfer. Any unpaid balance will revert to the current purchase rate. Limited time offer.

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## LETTER FROM OUR CEO





Happy Anniversary SOCU

2014 marks a milestone in your Credit Union's history as SOCU turns 75! We are grateful to the members, staff and volunteers who have supported SOCU's growth over the last 75 years. Each day, we are honored to have the continued opportunity to serve the financial needs of our long-time and new members, their children, grandchildren, friends, neighbors, Community Business Partners and local businesses.

In 2014, we'll once again focus on serving the individual needs of our members, just like when SOCU started as Streator Onized Federal Credit Union back in 1939.

We look forward to our 75th year being notable for great member service, as well as new services and options that will provide you with the best value yet.

It's a good time to belong to a credit union, but it's a great time to be a member of SOCU! Thank you for choosing us to be your trusted financial partner.

Happy Anniversary and the best to you in 2014!

Kathy Lucas **CEO SOCU** 

\*Only 1,000 tickets will be sold. Contact any branch for current availability.

FOOD & FUN

# **JOIN US TO CELEBRATE!**

Saturday, August 16, 2014 4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

\$5 Adults

\$3 Kids 10 & under (hot dog meal) Knights of Columbus, Streator

During the whole month of July SOCU is running a gas promotion for all SOCU VISA credit cardholders. All cardholders will get gas and all gas station purchases at a 0% rate.



Starting on August 1st thru December 31st any new VISA Credit Card opened will receive 0% for 30 days. The accumulated balance remains at 0% for 6 months.\*

\*Enjoy 0.00% APR on gas station purchases made between 7/1/14 thru 7/31/14. Gas purchase balance stays at 0.00% for 6 months from the time of our chase. After that, the remaining balance will revert to the current purchase rate. As of 7/1/14, Visa Platinum Perks is 10.9% APR and Visa Platinum Edge is 13.9% APR.

# **EVENT SCHEDULE**

4:00 pm - 6:00 pmChildren's Carnival Games

4:00 pm - 8:00 pmFood Available (inside & out)

4:00 pm – 9:00 pm Cash bar (inside and out)

4:15 pm - 5:15 pm Bingo (inside)

5:15 pm Door Prize Drawing - 20 @ \$75

6:00 pm – 9:00 pm Generics live band performs (inside)

6:00 pm - 9:00 pmRay's Rockets band performs (outside)

Door Prize Drawing – 20 @ \$75

7:45 pm Door Prize Drawing – 20 @ \$75

9:00 pm Door Prize Drawing – 1 @ \$750

\*Need not be present to win door prizes. Food ticket good for one time use only.

Plus, \$75 will be awarded in Streator, Pontiac and Dwight each week through the end of the year starting August 22, 20,14!

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### **COMMON CENTS - JULY 2014**

912 N. SHABBONA ST. PHONE: (815) 673-1589

120 E. NORTHPOINT DR. PHONE: (815) 673-5577 610 S. NEWPORT RD. PONTIAC IL PHONE: (815) 842-1437 124 E. MAIN ST. DWIGHT IL PHONE: (815) 584-9730

# **COMING UP**

## **GOLF OUTING**

Sunday, September 7, 2014 at Wolf Creek Golf Course in Pontiac with tee-off at 1 p.m. Cost is \$40 for Wolf Creek Members/\$50 for non-Wolf Creek Members. All proceeds go to Livingston County FOP Lodge 186 Cops and Kids program.

## **CHICAGO SHOPPING**

Tuesday, September 2, 2014 we will begin taking reservations for our annual downtown Chicago shopping trip on Sunday, November 30, 2014. Cost is \$25/person or 2,500 VISA Scorecard reward points.

### MEMBER EDUCATION

Free member education luncheon at Evenglow Lodge in Pontiac on Thursday, October 16, 2014 with the Legacy Girls performing. Call 815-842-1437 to sign up. Limited seating available.







# LETTER FROM MEMBER

"The Streator Onized Credit Union (SOCU) has been an important part of my life for years-when I lived in Streator, Ill. and since. I've moved to Phoenix, Arizona. I believe any accolades for this local financial institution are well deserved as SOCU has branched out to communities of Dwight and Pontiac, Ill. And everything began with Streator's Owens-Illinois where my father, the late Larry Padilla, was a mold maker for years before he retired. Moving to Phoenix, Arizona has made no difference for me; SOCU remains a financial institution upon which I rely. Congratulations to SOCU for keeping up with this changing world and its communities."

Suzanne (Padilla) Leonard Kovalcik

1939

1973 1984

1990

1996

1999

2005

2008

2012

2013

Established at Owens-Illinois glass factory.

Owens branch established at 912 N. Shabbona St.

Chartered to serve Tripled the employees and families of select employee groups.

size of the Owens branch.

Opened second office at Northpoint Plaza.

Permanent Northpoint branch opened in current location.

Expanded with branch in Livingston County, Pontiac.

Opened branch in Dwight; **Expanded** charter to Bureau & Putnam Main Sreet. Counties.

Current Dwight branch opened on

Built & opened current Pontiac branch.

Redecorated Owens & Northpoint branches.

Expanded charter to McLean & Woodford Counties.

## = WHAT IT COST IN 1939 =

AVERAGE ANNUAL SALARY \$1,850.00

COST OF A **3 CENTS** POSTAGE STAMP

\$750.00 **AVERAGE PRICE** FOR NEW CAR

COST OF A 19 CENTS **GALLON OF GAS** 

AVERAGE COST - OF A NEW HOUSE \$3,800.00



# **SOCU VISA SAVES YOU**

0.25% APR off vehicle purchases with a SOCU Visa!

\*All VISA cards subject to credit approval 0.25% discount is available on vehicle purchases only or refinances from another financial institution.

**Members** 

24,374

Assets

\$194,606,310.64

Loans

\$125,878,334.60

# clip and keep

## **SOCU NUMBERS YOU NEED**

Northpoint Branch 815-673-5577 Owens Branch 815-673-1589 **Dwight Branch** 815-584-9730 Pontiac Branch 815-842-1437 Lost or Stolen Debit Card 800-523-4175 Lost or Stolen Credit Card 800-325-3678 Scorecard Customer Service 800-854-0790 Scorecard Travel Service 800-842-3006

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