## HOLIDAY CLOSINGS:

Memorial Day
5/29/2023
Juneteenth
6/19/2023

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## Reminder:

**If you travel south for the winter, please make sure to update your mailing address with us when you return. For your safety, our statements do not get forwarded.**

**Please make sure we have your current cell phone number on file so you can be contacted by Shazam if your card is blocked.**

**If you are experiencing long hold times with Shazam, please call one of our branches to help solve your issue.**

## Name Change Coming Soon!

With our membership expanding, we thought it would be a good time to change our name to encompass all locations! Watch for more information in the next few months.

**'Springtime Festival Rewards'**: Use your debit card and get rewarded! Beginning April 1 - June 30, 2023 when you use your debit card to make purchases, you are automatically entered for a chance to win! Grand Prize: $500 gift card, or a $50 gift card which will be given away each month of the promotion period.

**Congrats!** To Jade Nelson of Dawson who won a $50.00 VISA gift card as part of the "Superhero Rewards" SHAZAM Debit Rewards campaign which ran October 1 - December 31, 2022

## 2023 Scholarship Applications

Applications are now available at your local high school, our DCCU branches, and on our website. To be eligible, parents of the student or the student themselves must be a Credit Union member.

### PRIVACY NOTICE:

Federal law requires us to tell you how we collect, share, and protect your personal information. Our Privacy Policy has not changed, and you may review our policy and practices with respect to your personal information at: https://www.dawsonco-opcu.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/Privacy04-2014-UPDATED.pdf or you may request a copy by giving us a call.

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711 6th St | PO Box 1002
Dawson, MN 56232
(320)769-2908; (800)276-0025

**Boyd Branch:**
380 Stockholm Ave | PO Box 245
Boyd, MN 56218
(320)855-9900

**Renville Branch:**
208 N Main St | PO Box 585
Renville, MN 56284
(320)329-3152; (866)529-4623

**Fergus Falls Branch:**
413 West Stanton Ave
Fergus Falls, MN 56537
(218)736-5528; (800)908-6466

# EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

Peggy is the branch manager at the Fergus Falls location. She has worked at the Dawson Co-op Credit Union since the spring of 2022 and has 2 daughters and 2 grandkids.

Peggys's favorite part about her job so far is meeting all the new co-workers and getting to know the members.

When Peggy is not at work, you can find her in her garden, ice fishing or reading a book. Fall is her favorite season because she loves bonfires, football and the change of colors.

Fun fact about Peggy:
She was raised on a farm in Northeast, ND. Her high school was 1 mile from the Canadian border, and she graduated in a class of 9 students.

## PROTECT YOUR IDENTITY

EVERY TWO SECONDS AT LEAST ONE PERSON'S IDENTITY HAS BEEN STOLEN. WHY NOT TAKE THE PROPER ACTION TO PROTECT YOURSELF FROM THIS HAPPENING. HERE ARE A FEW QUICK TIPS:

- Use strong passwords/pins & make sure to keep them secret
- Completely log out after accessing financial accounts
- Do NOT respond to emails that are requesting personal information
- Secure your confidential documents
- Avoid using public computers and be prudent when using public Wi-Fi access

### PRACTICE THE 3 D'S

- DETER identity thieves by safeguarding your information
- DETECT suspicious activity by routinely checking your financial accounts
- DEFEND against ID theft as soon as you suspect a problem

## When Should I Reveal My Social Security Number?

In general, you will need to provide your SSN to:

- Employers for wage and tax reporting purposes
- Financial institutions for tax reporting purposes
- Landlords or utility providers, such as a power company, for a credit check
- Government agencies to obtain services and to file your taxes
- Credit reporting agencies – Equifax, Experian or TransUnion – or AnnualCreditReport.com to obtain your credit report or credit score

When you are asked for your SSN, make sure to ask the questions below to help you decide if you can reveal it or not.

- Why do you need my SSN?
- Will you accept a different form of identification?
- How will you use my SSN?
- How do you protect my SSN & other information from being stolen?
- What will happen if I don't provide my SSN?

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