

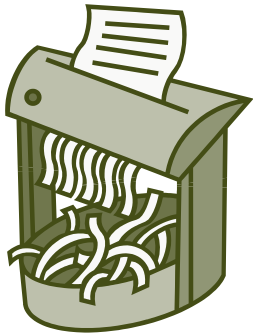
# FedStar Credit Union

*Building Member Relationships for Life*

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## FedStar's 3rd Annual Shred Day!



January 26, 2012

Spread the word! It is  
FREE to the community!

(No businesses please)

### Holiday Closures:

January 16– MLK's Birthday

February 20– Washington's Birthday

### Special Closing:

FedStar will be closed from

11 AM– 2 PM on February 9, 2012

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## Just getting better with age!

We want to thank our members for their 50 years of loyalty. We have enjoyed celebrating our anniversary with everyone over the past year. It is your loyalty to the credit union that has allowed us to grow and prosper. We look forward to celebrating many more milestones in the future.



FedStar Credit Union's Annual Meeting has been set for early April. Be looking for your invitation in the mail!

## Reminder!

**Please remember to remove your hat or ball cap, hoods, and sunglasses when entering the FedStar Lobby. This simple request helps to ensure the safety of our employees and members. Thank you!**



FedStar Credit Union is proud to be the presenting sponsor of Lemonade 2012!

Make sure to mark your calendars for **May 6, 2012!**

To learn more about Lemonade Day go to

[www.lemonadedaybcs.org](http://www.lemonadedaybcs.org)

Upon request, a member is entitled to review or receive a copy of the most recent version of the following credit union documents:

- ★ Balance Sheet and Income Statement
- ★ Annual Audit
- ★ Annual Report
- ★ Board of Directors' Membership Access Policy
- ★ IRS Form 990

## Cookbooks for sale! Reserve your copy today!

Thank you to everyone that submitted recipes for the cookbook. The cookbooks are now in production! If you would like to be contacted when they are in please complete the form below and mail to 701 Harvey Rd. College Station, TX 77840.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

I am interested in purchasing \_\_\_\_\_ books.

Proceeds from the cookbook sales will be the foundation for a FedStar Academic Scholarship to be awarded to graduating high school students that are members of the credit union.

# Keep your money and personal information safe!

Phishing, carding, and brand spoofing occurs when fraudsters send official looking emails or text messages that ask for verification of financial information telling the recipient there has been a problem with their account. The recipient is asked to click on a link or call, and give their financial account information. Data gathered from this type of fraud is then used to drain financial accounts, charge credit cards and steal identities. You must be careful! Keep these tips in mind when giving out your information.

- ★ NEVER respond to a text message, email, or phone call that requests personal or account information.
- ★ If you do get a Phishing scheme request, report the incident to the Federal Trade Commission ([www.ftc.gov](http://www.ftc.gov)) and file a complaint with the Internet Crime Complaint Center ([www.ic3.gov](http://www.ic3.gov))
- ★ Report the telephone number(s) to your local carrier immediately so it can attempt to shut it down.
- ★ FedStar Credit Union would never ask its members for personal or financial information via a text message, email, or phone call. Remember, we already have your information, so we would not contact you to get it.
- ★ It is important that you monitor your financial accounts (deposit and credit card accounts) on a regular basis. You can check your credit score once a year at [www.annualcreditreport.com](http://www.annualcreditreport.com).
- ★ Immediately report any unauthorized transactions you discover.
- ★ Phishing schemes can be dangerous and costly, so please be careful when giving anyone your personal information.

If you have any questions don't hesitate to call a member service representative at (979) 846- 7456.

