

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS



### Back Row:

Edith Shewchuk, MSR; Lisa Pelchat, Finance and Compliance; Ross Houston, General Manager; Deanne Carmody, Loans Officer; Renee Thorne, MSR

### Front Row:

Karman Pearson, MSR; Wanda Mosimann, Assistant Manager; Glenda Weber, Office Manager; Melodie Nedelec, Senior MSR

### Missing:

Hannah Tataryn, Loans Officer (currently on Maternity Leave)

Assistant General Manager, Wanda Mosimann, thanked the board and staff for all their hard work and dedication to Edam Credit Union.

She also introduced the two newest ECU team members, Karman Pearson, and Renee Thorne. They are both excited to provide our members with excellent financial service!!

President, Ryan Roach thanked retiring board member Rob Goodall for his years of commitment to the Edam Credit Union. With change comes great opportunity, and we are happy to announce that Taylor Baillargeon and Cheri Frey have joined our board of directors.

President, Ryan Roach announced that the Board of Directors of Edam Credit Union have declared a **2022 Patronage Rebate to our membership of \$100,000.00!!** This rebate is based on the amount of interest earned and/or paid by members of the Credit Union in the year 2022.

**We are sharing our financial success with those who helped create it!!**

**Long-Term Service Awards** are presented to employees and board members that have reached a certain milestone in their career or term with the Edam Credit Union, and we recognized a few this year.



Rob Goodall  
5 years as Board of Director



Larry McDaid  
45 years as Board of Director



Ryan Roach  
5 years as Board of Director



Wanda Mosimann  
20 years of employee service



Glenda Weber  
20 years of employee service





# Working for You ~ Working with You Active in Our Community



This year we were happy to sponsor the Edam 3-Star Senior team, as well as the Bantam AA Northwest Stars with the **PUCK TOSS!!**

We have saved our numbered pucks. If your organization is looking for a fundraiser next winter, reach out to us!!

It is always a pleasure to support our local curling club.

This year we provided prizes for the Farmers Bonspiel as well as the Ladies Bonspiel.

Annually, we sponsor the Open Bonspiel “A” Event, and we would like to congratulate the Stan Krzak rink from St. Walburg for winning this year.



## Dress Down for a Cause

Every Friday is “Dress Down Day” at the Edam Credit Union. A \$2.00 fee is collected from each staff member, allowing them to dress casually for the day. All funds collected for the year are donated to a local organization or charity of choice. This year we collected **\$800.00** and chose to **donate to STARS!!**



## Investing in the Safety of our Community!!

We are happy to announce that the credit union has purchased and installed an AED Life Rescue Station in our vestibule, allowing it to be available 24/7 in the event of an emergency.

The station includes an automated external defibrillator that is designed to be used for both adult and child victims of sudden cardiac arrest.

It is intended to be used by responders who have been trained in CPR and the use of an AED to defibrillate victims. **We will be organizing a training session for those interested in learning how to operate this device. Watch for more information to come!!**







We are sad to say good-bye to our janitor, Dave Walker after 10 years of outstanding dedication and commitment to Edam Credit Union.

However, we are excited for Dave to enter his next chapter and wish him all the best!!

## Applications for Tender

We are currently accepting tenders for the janitorial duties at our office on Main Street.

If you are interested or have questions, please contact our Office Manager at 306.397.2242 or [glenda.weber@edam.cu.sk.ca](mailto:glenda.weber@edam.cu.sk.ca).



Congratulations to Hannah Tataryn, our Consumer Loans Officer, on the arrival of her beautiful baby girl, Waverlee James Tataryn.

We wish her all the best and look forward to her return very soon!!



We take great pride in being able to offer our members the opportunity to **speak with a real person every single time they call our office.**

No IVRs or virtual assistants here, just real people providing real service!!

We have launched our new website. Please visit us at [www.edamcu.ca](http://www.edamcu.ca)



We recently launched our new and improved website!!

After April 10<sup>th</sup> our old website will no longer be functional, so be sure to add our new site to your favorites so we are only a click away!!

## Attention Graduates....

### Abe Wouters Community Service Scholarship

Awarded annually to a graduate of H. Hardcastle School by the Edam Credit Union, the purpose of this scholarship is to recognize and promote active community involvement in our young people. More information and application forms can be found on our website: [www.edamcu.ca](http://www.edamcu.ca). Completed applications must be returned to the credit union office by close of business **Friday, June 2, 2023.**

### Education Quick Loan

If you are planning to further your education, we would like to remind you that we offer an Education Quick Loan up to a maximum of \$50,000.00. For more details, please call or stop to discuss with one of our lenders.

Also, a reminder that the website to apply for the **provincial/federal student loan** is: <http://www.saskatchewan.ca/residents/education-and-learning/student-loans>. The website is usually updated in early June with the new forms for the upcoming study year (2023/2024). If you require any help filling out the forms, please contact one of our lenders for assistance, they would be more than happy to help!



## Tax Free Savings Account

The annual contribution limit for 2023 is **\$6,500.00**. If you have not opened a TFSA yet, you could contribute up to **\$88,000.00** and earn tax free interest income!!

**It's your future, look after it!!**