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Money Tips For Fall

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As the leaves turn colors this season, turn your attention to your finances and make these moves so you can save the maximum amount, update your financial goals and clean up your credit.

Put More Into Retirement – As the year winds down, it's good to get as much into your retirement savings as is allowable on your 401(k) and IRA accounts.

Review Your Finances – From investments to debts, it's good to know where you are financially, and that's especially true if you've had a big event in your life, like a wedding, moving, new job or retirement.

Open A Holiday Account – Many of us spend too much during the holidays. A holiday account can help you save throughout the year specifically for gift buying season.

Winterize Your Home – Leaky doors and windows can lead to high heating bills. So can faulty heating systems. Starting the winterizing process now can help you budget for things that need to be fixed before the chill sets in.

Prep Your Car – Check your tires for excess wear, change your wiper blades and get a maintenance check before winter comes.



New & Used Vehicles As Low As 2.49% APR*

Great Fall Rates On New & New-To-You Autos

If you're in the market for a new or used vehicle, get pre-approved for an affordable auto loan at RBFCU to get the most for your dollar. Enjoy low rates and flexible terms, and financing for up to 100% of the vehicle's value.

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*APR = Annual Percentage Rate. Rate is accurate as of October 1, 2016. Qualified borrowers only. Rates subject to change without notification. Rates published are base rates. The rate you pay will be based on the number of years your loan is financed, plus your individual creditworthiness.



Borrow Affordably For Whatever You Need

If you need funds now, for any reason, RBFCU lets you borrow at an affordable rate just by using your signature. With a Signature Loan you can borrow up to \$10,000 for up to 48 months to help pay off debt, make emergency purchases or repairs, or anything else.

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Affordable Mortgages Available For All Home Buyers

If you're house hunting this fall, look to Raritan Bay FCU for a variety of mortgage options, including first mortgages and refinancing, with competitive rates, favorable terms and low closing costs. Contact the credit union to discuss the mortgage option that's right for you and tailored to your needs and budget.

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It's not too early to shop for the holidays, and you can start by heading to the credit union to get the gift everyone loves to receive – Visa® Gift Cards. They can be used anywhere Visa is accepted and they can be replaced if lost or stolen.*

- Available in any amount from \$10 to \$1,000
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- No more returning unwanted gifts

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Notify Gift Card Customer Care Service immediately of any fraudulent use at 866-833-2370.



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If you're paying too much in interest charges from high-rate credit card balances, you could be saving on your monthly bill by transferring those balances to a Raritan Bay Platinum Visa.[®] It's a great way to consolidate your debt.

No Balance Transfer Fees!

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Contact the Credit Union for complete details.

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Holiday Closings

Columbus Day, Monday, October 10, 2016 Veterans Day, Friday, November 11, 2016 Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 24, 2016 Christmas Holiday, Monday, December 26, 2016