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**San Mateo Credit Union Celebrates  
Westlake Birthday with Special Offers for Members**

The Westlake branch of San Mateo Credit Union (SMCU) in Daly City is marking its third anniversary, and the credit union is celebrating with attractive deals on mortgages, credit cards, and auto loans from January 19 through 31.

SMCU will pay the lender fees and appraisal fees—up to \$1000—on new, adjustable-rate first mortgages, and members can choose whether the rate is fixed for the first three years or five years. Those who are approved for a Visa<sup>®</sup> Platinum credit card will receive a bonus of 5000 CUREwards<sup>™</sup> points, which can be redeemed for valuable credit union products, merchandise, and travel options. And members can enjoy significant savings with a 1 percent rate discount on new SMCU auto loans.

In addition to these special offers, SMCU will also give out a free backpack or grocery tote bag, while supplies last, during the birthday celebration period.

SMCU membership is open to anyone who lives, works, or attends school in San Mateo County, or who is a family member, domestic partner, or roommate of an SMCU member.

**About San Mateo Credit Union (SMCU)**

Founded in 1952, SMCU is a member-owned financial institution that currently serves more than 71,000 individuals and manages more than \$584 million in assets. Six conveniently located branches, enhanced by a sophisticated online banking system, bring a full range of financial services within easy access of local communities. For more information, visit [www.smcu.org](http://www.smcu.org).