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## **San Mateo Credit Union Celebrates Summer With a Money-Saving Car Sale**

Warm weather turns thoughts to breezy rides along the coast, and San Mateo Credit Union (SMCU) is helping turn that vision into a reality with a car sale at the Redwood City branch, located at 525 Middlefield Road, from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. on June 12 and 13, 2010. An extensive selection of certified pre-owned cars will be on display, with models that include fuel-efficient sedans, hybrids, luxury vehicles, sports cars, SUVs, and compact imports.

SMCU members can pre-qualify for low-interest loans before the event, and non-members are invited to join and enjoy the advantages of credit union membership. Up to 100 percent financing is available for qualified buyers.

### **One Lucky Member Holds the Key**

Existing SMCU members have the added benefit of a chance to win a new car. SMCU mailed out keys a few weeks prior to the event, and one of them will open a lock box containing the key to a 2010 Honda Accord Hybrid. The key giveaway is just one of many highlights of the car sale. At SMCU, everyone has the opportunity to feel like a winner with low loan rates and great members service.

### **Pre-qualifying Is Easy**

Anyone interested in becoming an SMCU member or pre-qualifying for a car loan prior to the event can do so by visiting a branch, applying online at [www.smcu.org](http://www.smcu.org), or calling DirectAssist at (650) 363-1725 or toll-free at (888) 363-1725 Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 6:00 p.m., or on Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Membership is open to anyone who lives, works, worships or attends school in San Mateo County; is employed by a member company or family members, domestic partners, and roommates of SMCU members.

### **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 nearly \$600 million in assets. Six conveniently located branches, enhanced by a sophisticated online banking system, bring a full range of financial services within easy access. For more information or to find the branch nearest you, visit [www.smcu.org](http://www.smcu.org) or call Direct Assist at (650) 363-1725 Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., or on Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.