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Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union Donates to The Chosen Ranch



Pictured: Frank Dimercurio and Nancy Somers

Alpena, Michigan, January 23, 2017- Through the hard work and dedication of its employees and the generosity of its membership, Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union (AAACU) was able to raise \$620.45 in monetary donations for The Chosen Ranch.

The Chosen Ranch is a 160- acre not for profit property that was purchased in 2015, that includes a 4-bedroom home, carriage building, horse barn, corral and pasture. The ranch located in Alcona County gives abused, abandoned, neglected and homeless children a permanent home and is also used for summer programs that teach children wilderness survival tactics, leadership

skills and emphasizes on positive self-image

Along with member donations, the Lincoln Branch sold candy bars, held a bake sale, and donated \$2.00 to dress down on Fridays.

AAACU serves members primarily in Alpena, Alcona, Montmorency, and Iosco counties with 8 locations: a main office located in Alpena, with branch offices in Ossineke, Lincoln, a Tiger Branch in Alcona Community Schools, Atlanta, Oscoda, Tawas, and an additional branch in Alpena. As of December 31, 2016, AAACU provides service to 28,116 members with total assets equal to \$324,619,654.