

Metro Messenger

A quarterly newsletter to keep you in the know with First Metro

Regards from Rodney



Dear Neighbor:

Summer in the Shoals is one of my favorite times of the year. It's one of the bank's busiest seasons, but in addition to daily banking endeavors, First Metro Bank presents community traditions such as selling our Sax in the City t-shirts, hosting Metro on Main (our pre-party for the Helen Keller Festival Parade) and kicking-off the W.C. Handy Festival with our Sax in the City Concert. As the summer starts winding down, we begin gearing up for back-to-school festivities. Our team always looks forward to participating in teacher in-service days and student orientation events.

School will be back in session before we know it! Throughout the year, First Metro Bank is active in schools across the communities we serve as part of our financial literacy initiative. This Spring, through our participation in the Teach Children to Save Program, a dozen First Metro Bank employees visited 28 schools throughout North Alabama, reaching nearly 2000 students with the basics of earning, saving, and spending money smartly. Building the foundation of good money habits at a young age can change the course of a student's life. We are thankful for the opportunity to help lay that foundation!

We're already halfway through 2024, and I can say that so far, this has been First Metro Bank's most successful year to date. This wouldn't be possible without YOU—our Neighbor. Your support, patronage, and trust in your hometown bank are the reasons for our continued advancement as one of the strongest banks in Alabama.

Thank you for Banking with a Neighbor,



Rodney Howard
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-  Control where your debit card can be used
-  View recent transactions

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METRO HAPPENINGS

- Friday, July 19**
Sax in the City Concert
- Thursday, July 25**
First Friends Mardi Gras Bingo
- Monday, Sept. 2**
Closed for Labor Day
- Monday, Oct. 14**
Closed for Columbus Day



Staying Cyber-Safe on Summer Vacation



Don't overshare on social media

You never know who is reading your posts. Try not to overshare and try to wait until you return before posting. Be careful not to post pictures of items with personal information (passports, boarding passes) as it could lead to identity theft



Avoid overpacking your technology

The fewer devices you bring, the fewer can be lost or stolen. For the ones you do bring, make sure you do a device check before you leave a hotel, plane, Uber, taxi, etc.



Be wary of Wi-Fi

Public Wi-Fi networks at airports and restaurants have very little security or monitoring, so anyone could access your personal devices if you're connected. If possible use a personal hotspot on your mobile device.