



NATIONAL POLICE WEEK

During National Police week, MCU delivered pizza lunches to some of our local police departments to express our gratitude for their commitment and service to our community.



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Upcoming Holiday Closings

- Juneteenth **FRI, JUNE 19TH**
- Independence Day **SAT, JULY 4TH**



INTERNATIONAL FIREFIGHTERS' DAY

MCU also recognized our local fire departments during International Fire Fighter's Day. We appreciate our first responders for their bravery and for keeping our community safe.

Investing In America: 250 Years of Innovation



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As America approaches its 250th anniversary on July 4th, it's a fitting time to reflect on the values that built our nation: Resilience, vision, and long-term planning. The same principles that guided generations of Americans can also help shape a strong financial future.

Over the past two and a half centuries, our country has faced challenges, periods of uncertainty, and moments of tremendous growth. Through it all, those who stayed focused on long-term goals were often best positioned to succeed. Investing works in much the same way.¹

Market fluctuations and economic headlines can create short-term distractions, but history has shown the importance of patience, discipline, and a well-structured financial plan. Long-term investing allows individuals and families to benefit from the power of compounding, navigate market cycles, and stay aligned with life's bigger milestones — whether that means retirement, education funding, homeownership, or creating a lasting legacy.²

Financial planning is more than preparing for the next three months or year. It's about building a roadmap that reflects your values, priorities, and future aspirations. Just as America's founders planned for future generations, thoughtful financial decisions today can create opportunities and security for years to come.

As we celebrate 250 years of American progress and perseverance, it's an ideal reminder that lasting success — both as a nation and in personal finance — is built over time. By staying committed to long-term goals and working with trusted financial professionals, investors can move forward with confidence toward the future they envision.

^{1,2} www.ici.org

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