# **Affinity Saver (Issue 9)**

# These T&Cs are available in large print. Please call **01282 440500**<sup>^</sup> or send an email to **savingshub@themarsden.co.uk** and we'll be happy to send you a copy.

Our Affinity Saver gives you easy access to your savings and the opportunity to support a good cause. You can choose to support Pendleside Hospice, Trinity Hospice, North West Air Ambulance or the Marsden Building Society Charitable Foundation. The more you save, the more we donate!

#### **Key Features**

- ✓ A variable rate of interest
- ✓ Access your money whenever you like via any of our branches
- √ £100 to open

- 0.50% of our total average affinity balances will be donated to your chosen affinity partner
- ✓ Interest paid annually

Summary			
Account name	Affinity Saver (Issue 9)		
What is the interest rate?	Annual		
	Balance Gros	s* AER <sup>†</sup>	
	£100+ 2.10	% 2.10%	
	Rates effective from 07 March 2025.		
	Interest is variable, calculated on a daily basis and paid annually on 31 March.		
Can Marsden Building Society change the interest rate?	The interest rate is variable so we can increase or decrease the rate at any time.  If the interest rate on your account falls, and the balance in your account is £100 or more, we will personally notify you of the change.  All our interest rates are available in branch and on our website.  For more details about why we may change the rate, and when we will let you know about a change, please refer to our General Retail Savings Account Terms and Conditions.		
What would the estimated balance be after 12 months based on a £1,000 deposit?	If you saved £1,000 the estimated balance after 12 months would be £1,021.  This example assumes an investment of £1,000 is made on 01 April, no withdrawals or further deposits are made throughout the 12 months, the interest earned is added to the account annually, and no changes are made to the current interest rate. It is provided for illustrative purposes only and does not take into account your individual circumstances.		
How do I open and manage my account?	This account is available to UK residents and can be opened and operated at a branch.  Joint accounts are allowed.  The minimum balance to open the account is £100. The overall maximum holding by any one person in respect of all savings accounts with the Society is £250,000. This includes money held in a joint account.  Additional deposits can be made at any time up to the maximum allowed.  Payments into the account can be in cash, by cheque, debit card (up to £1,000), electronic payment (but not direct debit), standing order or transfer from another Marsden account.		
Can I withdraw money?	You can withdraw from your account whenever you need to in branch. Limits apply on cash withdrawals. You can close the account at any time if you need to.		
Additional information	*Interest will be paid gross. This means all the interest we pay you will be without tax deducted. If the total amount of interest you receive exceeds any Personal Savings Allowance to which you're entitled, you may have to pay tax at the applicable rate. This would need to be paid directly to HM Revenue & Customs. For more information, please visit gov.uk and search for 'Personal Savings Allowance'.  †AER stands for the Annual Equivalent Rate and shows you what the interest rate would be if interest was paid and added each year.		

# **The Financial Services Compensation Scheme**

This product is covered by The Financial Services Compensation Scheme. For more information please call us on **01282 440500**, ask **in branch** or visit **www.themarsden.co.uk**.

#### Changing your mind

If you decide not to proceed with the new account you have 14 days from the date of the first receipt to let us know by writing to our Principal Office at 6-20 Russell Street, Nelson, Lancashire BB9 7NJ.

# We always listen to you

We always try to provide a first-class service, however, things can go wrong. If they do, we'll try and put them right. Keeping our members happy is what matters to us the most. If you think we could improve our products or services, or if you have a complaint, please let us know. For more information please call us on **01282 440500** or visit our **website**.

#### **Payment Services Regulations 2017**

This account is intended to be used as a saving account and thus is not a Payment Account for the purposes of the Payment Services Regulations 2017.

#### Further terms and conditions for our Affinity Saver

#### 1. What terms apply?

These Conditions must be read in conjunction with the Society's General Savings Account Terms and Conditions.

#### 2. Membership

This account is a share account which confers membership rights and is subject to the Rules of the Society. Copies of the Rules can be obtained from our website or any branch.

### 3. Eligibility

- 3.1 This account is available to UK residents. It is not available to sole traders, partnerships, companies, associations (whether incorporated or not) or any kind of business, club or charity.
- 3.2 Evidence of personal identity and address identity will be required before the account is opened.
- 3.3 The minimum opening balance for an Affinity Saver is £100.
- 3.4 An Affinity Saver can opened and operated in branch.

#### 4. Payments In

- 4.1 Payments into the account can be in cash, by cheque, debit card (up to £1,000), electronic payment (but not direct debit), standing order or transfer from another Marsden account.
- 4.2 The overall maximum holding by any one person in respect of all savings accounts with the Society is £250,000. This includes money held in a joint account.

#### 5. Withdrawals

- 5.1 Withdrawals from your account can be made by cheque, cash or internal transfer. Transfers to your bank account are permitted up to a limit of £10,000 per week subject to satisfactory evidence of your nominated bank account.
- 5.2 Withdrawals are permitted on demand. Limits apply on cash withdrawals.

#### 6. Interest and payment of Interest

- 6.1 Interest rates are variable.
- 6.2 Interest is earned daily and will be paid annually on 31 March.
- 6.3 Interest can be paid to this account, transferred internally to another suitable Marsden Building Society account, or transferred externally to another UK bank/building society account.
- 6.4 Statements are not issued automatically for this account. Instead, your passbook is your record of transactions. Your passbook will be updated following any transaction carried out at branch or at your request.

