# SPARKY S Newsletter!

## ROAR... IF YOU START YOUR SAVINGS Habits Now, Your Savings Will Never be extinct!

April is National Credit Union youth savings month, and the theme is "Be a Credit Union Saver, and Your Savings Will Never Go Extinct!"

At FFCCU, we LOVE encouraging our youngest members to save and develop good money habits. Of course, you should definitely treat yourself from time to time, but saving money is the key to your savings account never running out or "going extinct"! One easy way to save is if you get money for special occasions, such as your birthday or holidays, make sure you deposit into your Sparky account.

And speaking of saving, here's a few other healthy money habits you can develop now:

- SAVE ... Put money into your Smokey piggybank and savings account.
- **SPEND** ... Treat yourself from time-to-time.
- **INVEST** ... Think about your future and invest at FFCCU.

BUDGET ... Keep track of your expenses (school supplies, clothing, etc.) on a cool app.

Search for one on Google Play using "budget apps free."

Saving Money + Budgeting + Investing + Sharing = Your Savings Will Never Go Extinct!



## DID YOU KNOW?...

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The Secret Service Was originally created to fight counterfeiting in 1865.

The only number on a coin is the year it was minted.

The first Philadelphia Mint used horses in harness to drive the machinery that produced coins.







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#### Be sure to ask a grown-up for help!

#### What You Need:

- One egg
- Water
- Salt (1 2 cups)
- A tall drinking glass
- A spoon

#### **Directions:**

- 1. Pour water into the glass until it is about half full.
- Place an egg in the glass of water and see if it sinks or floats (it should sink).
- Stir in lots of salt. Start with 1 tablspoon and stir it until the salt dissolves. Keep adding more salt until the egg floats.
- 4. Next, carefully pour more fresh water until the glass is nearly full (be careful to not disturb or mix the salty water with the plain water). If you're very careful, you can get the egg to float between the fresh and saltwater!

www.sciencefun.org/kidszone/ experiments/floating-egg/

### Congrats to our Contest Winner!

**Richard** was our coloring contest winner from last quarter. Congratulations! Thanks to everyone who entered— you all did a great job! Check out all of the awesome entries at ffcommunity.com/sparky.

## **FRUIT AND VEGGIE STAND**

Read the price for each item. Draw a line from the item to the correct price.



Color Sparky and Smokey as they have fun playing outside. Submit your entry for a chance to win a prize! Entries must be submitted by May 14, 2021.

(Child) Name: \_

(Parent/Guardian) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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