

Just for Youth?

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THE COST OF SUMMER FUN

Summer is just around the corner. Maybe you're already making plans for all the fun things you'll do! Have you really thought about how much it'll really cost - have you saved enough money?

Movies

Consider how much it will really cost you to see a movie... and maybe some alternatives. When you go to the movies you have to buy your ticket, and any snacks you may want... like candy, popcorn, or drinks....that's expensive. Some theaters offer Mom or Dad a discount card to earn rewards for snacks. The credit union also sells discount tickets. Here are some other ideas to think about...

Drive-in - usually less expensive and you can take your own snacks!

Movie night at home - maybe you even have a projector to show it outside after dark on the side of the house or on a big blanket screen.

Rent a movie - go to a RedBox to get a movie for \$1... now that's a bargain!

Theme Parks

Roller coasters, shows, and yummy treats - sound like fun? It may sound expensive. Are you prepared to pay for:

Tickets (the CU sells discount tickets to many theme parks...check with us first)

Gas for the car to get there!

Food - meals and snacks can cost a lot at an amuse-

ment park. You may want to even pack a picnic meal-many theme parks have a picnic area.

Souvenirs - do you really need that stuffed animal or light up toy? Probably not. You may want to avoid the gift shops to avoid temptation.

Water Works

Cool fun in the water is a popular thing to do during the summer heat. Here are some things to think about before jumping in!

Pool - joining a pool is a great way to spend summer days, but it may be something you have to save up for...it can cost Mom and Dad a lot of money.

Sprinkler - lots of fun and it waters the yard too! However, you may end up using a lot of water... and that costs Mom and Dad money!

Water balloons - can provide a nice way to cool off, have fun, and limit the amount of water you're using.

Creek stomping - explore a nearby creek for free fun in the water and you can even discover fun new friends like lizards, tadpoles, and crawdads!



Camping

Before you head to the woods, think about what all you'll need. Do you have it all or are there some things you'll need to buy?

Tent or camper and sleeping bags

Food and drinks

Grill or firewood

Lanterns, flashlights, and heater if it's cool at night

Cooking supplies and dishes

Gas for the car to get there

Money for renting the camping spot



GET IN THE GAME!

We've created some really cool games you can play on the computer when you visit rpefcu.org! Check out a neat matching game, speed down the track in speedy racer, or catch some falling stars!

There's more too! Just go to www.rpefcu.org and click on the *Youth 12 and Under* button on the right menu. On our youth page, you'll find a link to the game menu....try them all! Let us know how you like them!

CONGRATS!

Congratulations to Brooke Griffith! She was our quarterly winner of 4 movie tickets. Youth members age 22 & younger who increase their account balance by \$50 or more during the quarter are automatically entered.



What color is a burp?
Purple!

What has two hands but can't clap?
A clock.

What state do pencils come from?
Pencilvania!

Why did Joe start a gardening business?
Because he wanted to rake in some cash!

