



Jr. Ranger Guide

WINTER EDITION 2026



Just for RCU kids

BEATING WINTER BOREDOM

When it's too cold to play outside, turn your home into the ultimate fun zone with these creative indoor adventures!



INDOOR OBSTACLE COURSE

Use pillows, chairs, and blankets to create an epic obstacle course. Time yourself crawling under tables, hopping over cushions, and balancing along a "tightrope" (a line of tape on the floor). Challenge family members to beat your time!

RECIPE REMIX CHALLENGE

Pick a simple snack like a sandwich or parfait. Then, challenge someone to make the same snack but with totally different ingredients. Who can create the tastiest twist? It's like being on a cooking show—except way more fun because you get to eat everything!



INVENT A CARD GAME

You don't need fancy cards to make a fantastic game; a regular deck works perfectly! Make up new rules where certain cards have special powers, players can team up, or everyone races to collect sets. Or create your own cards using index cards and markers. Give them funny names, wild abilities, and crazy point values. The best part? If something doesn't work, change the rules. Your game, your way!



BUILD A BLANKET FORT CITY

Don't just build one fort—build an entire fort city! Use chairs, blankets, and clips to create different "rooms" connected by crawl-through tunnels. Add a reading nook, a snack station, and a secret hideout. Make it your cozy headquarters for the day!



CARDBOARD BOX CREATION STATION

Save your delivery boxes and transform them into whatever you can imagine—a robot costume, a rocket ship, a mini arcade game, or even a photo booth. Grab markers, tape, and scissors, and let your creativity run wild!



THE 30-DAY PENNY CHALLENGE

Want to watch your savings grow? This challenge makes saving feel like a game you can actually win!

HOW IT WORKS:

Day 1: Save 1 penny

Day 2: Save 2 pennies

Day 3: Save 3 pennies, etc.



Keep going until Day 30 when you save 30 pennies. By the end of the month, you'll have saved \$4.65! That might not sound like a lot, but here's the cool part—you just proved to yourself that you can save. And if you can save pennies, you can save anything.

LEVEL UP YOUR CHALLENGE:

- Try it with nickels instead and you'll have \$23.25!
- Do it with a friend and see who can stick with it.
- Use the money you save for something you've been wanting.



The secret to saving is building the habit. This challenge helps you create that habit one day at a time, and before you know it, saving becomes something you just do.



RCU VIRTUAL ANNUAL MEETING

Mark your calendars! RCU's Virtual Annual Membership Meeting and Election of Officials will be held April 23, 2026. Save the date, when our leaders will share information about our 2025 results.



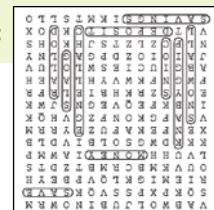
REDDY'S SEARCH FOR WINTER SAVINGS

Can you find all the winter savings words hiding in the puzzle? Circle each word when you spot it. These are all words that can help you save money and reach your goals!

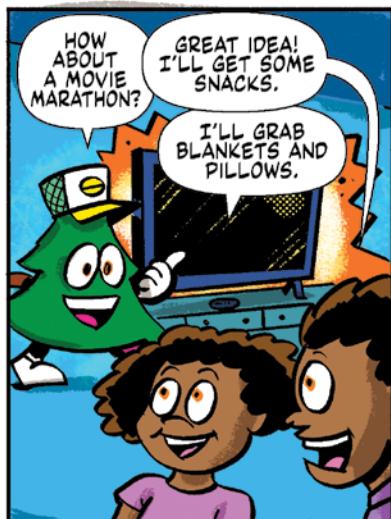
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