



Jr. Ranger Guide

WINTER EDITION 2021

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Thanks to our 2021 Official Jr. Ranger, Bodhi, for helping us with this year's guides!

Just for RCU kids

FUN AND (BUDGET) FRIENDLY INDOOR ACTIVITIES

Are you running out of things to do indoors? Now that it's getting colder, you'll probably be inside even more. But don't worry! We've put together these fun activities to keep you entertained and money in your piggy bank.

POOL PARTY

Bring that inflatable or plastic pool inside and fill with soft plastic balls for a ball pit!



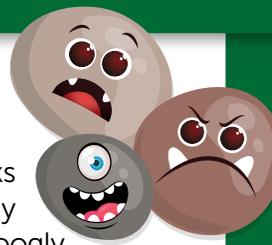
PUT ON A CONCERT

If you're feeling musical, load up some favorite songs or music videos, and have a sing- and dance-along. Take turns with your family or perform as a group!



CREATE STONE PETS

Start by gathering medium and large rocks from outside. Paint them to create funny or scary monster faces. Add pompoms, googly eyes, and other decorations to complete the look!



PIPE CLEANER Pictionary

Instead of drawings, use pipe cleaners to make tiny sculptures. Have your family members guess what they are!

BUILD A NO-SNOWMAN

Grab some fuzzy pompoms, pipe cleaners, felt, or other craft supplies and build yourself your very own snowman that will last all year long! You can even make a no-snowman family!

BOARD GAME DAY

Collect your favorite board games, invite your family, and play games all day long. Each person takes a turn choosing the next game. You can even come up with prizes for the winners!



MAKE IT SNOW

Find white (or other colored paper), fold into different sizes, and cut out shapes to make snowflakes. You can then add glitter and string them up for a wintery garland to hang!

CAMPOUT

Build a blanket fort in your living room and hang holiday or other lights to look like stars. You can have a beautiful campout without the worry of freezing!



LASER MAZE

Grab some streamers or garland and tape or pushpins to secure them to the walls. Then design your own "laser maze" to navigate down your hallway! Use a timer to see how fast you can make it through!

TAKE A VIRTUAL COOKING CLASS

Ask an adult to help you find a kid-friendly recipe tutorial video online. Go shopping for the ingredients and then make the recipe. Use the video to make sure the dish comes out just right.



DRIVE-IN MOVIE NIGHT

Find large cardboard boxes to decorate and turn into colorful and cool cars. Then fill the boxes with pillows and blankets, "drive them" to a spot near the tv and watch movies inside your "ride." Don't forget the snacks!

ARE YOU FEELING ARTSY? MAKE A SAVINGS POSTER

If you're saving for something special, keep track of your savings and make a fun picture too!

STEP 1

Set a savings goal. Pick something you want to save for or just an amount you'd like to have in your piggy bank. As an example, Reddy picked \$20.



STEP 2

Find a poster board and pick your favorite shape to draw. It should be a simple shape, like a star, swirl, or triangle, because you'll need to do more than one. Pick a value for that shape, such as 50¢, \$1, \$5, etc., based on the amount of your savings goal. Then draw as many shapes as you need to make your goal. Reddy decided to pick a triangle, and each one was worth \$1. He drew 20 triangles on his poster.



STEP 3

Save and color. As you earn money, you can color in one of your shapes. Choose different colors, glitters, or designs for each one, or keep them the same—it's totally up to you. The more you save, the prettier and more colorful your poster will become. When you're finished, you'll have money and a fun piece of art to remind you of your hard work!

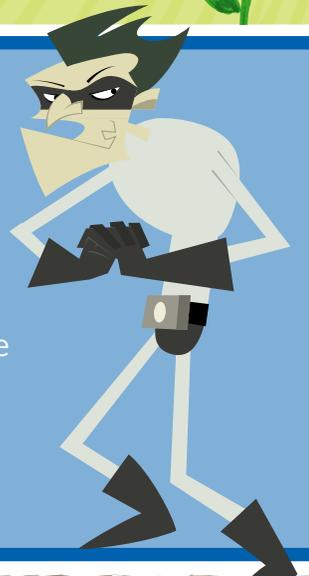


ANNUAL MEETING

Join us **Thursday, April 29, 2021**, for the RCU Annual Membership Meeting. This year, our meeting will be held virtually, so link information will be sent out at the beginning of April!

THE EVIL DR. SPENDIT MUST BE STOPPED!

Visit redwoodcu.org/youth and click the M3 Money Club link to see how Cash, Violet, and Savette are doing their part to stop Spendit and his notorious spending scams!



Reddy the Redwood Making Cards



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1/18 **Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day**
2/15 **Presidents Day**