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## SUMMER SAVING \& FUNI

While this summer will surely be different from any other, there is still a lot of summer fun you and your famliy can have. Here are some ideas, and

money saving tips.


The inside of many theaters may not be open, but the Marcus Majestic is hosting drive-in movies in their parking lot

Money saving tip: Pop some microwave popcorn before you go.

## FAMILY ROAD TRIP

Pack up the car, and hit the road. Go to your favorite spot or even somewhere you've never been.

Money saving tip: Pack snacks instead of going through the drive through

## DIY PROJECT: SQUIRT GUN PAINTING

Here's what you'll need

- Squirt gun (or spray bottle)
- Liquid watercolor
- Watercolor paper
- Easel (or thumbtacks)


## Directions:

1. Arrange the easel in the yard, then clip two sheets of watercolor paper to each side. Or, you could use a thumbtack to tack the watercolor paper to a tree.
2. Invite your kids to fill their squirt guns with liquid watercolors, then let them go to town painting!
3. Allow the paintings to dry in the grass, weighed down with a rock (if needed).

Source: https:/www frefliesandmudpies.com/squirt-gun-painting

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## SUMMIR CONHEST DE:4S

Sand Castle Contest
Get your bucket and shovel and turn your sandbox into a work of art. Find a picture online to get ideas, and challenge a parent or sibling to see who can make the best castle.

If you don't have a sandbox, you can make one out of a small plastic pool and some sand from the local hardware store.

Hint: After the contest is over rou can use the pool for the water balloon obstacle course, shown on the right. And, the sand can be re-used in potted plants, or even in winter when it snows.)

Mystery Box Lunch Challenge

Do you love to cook? Pair up with a parent or older sibling and put together a mystery box full of food items. Then challenge someone to race against the clock and make the best lunch for the day. Just make sure to get your parent's permission before you get started. (Parents: This a great way to use up those pantry items!)

## HIKE OR BIKE

Take a trip to one of our many county or state parks, and hit the trails.
Money saving tip: If you don't want to pay to get into a county or state park, you can find a trail near your house by going to www.waukeshacounty.gov/ landandparks/park-system/biking/.

## CAMPING

Pack up your tent, get some marshmallows and spend a weekend in the great outdoors
Money saving tip: Get the best of both worlds -set up your tent in the backyard and stay close to home.


## WATERBALLOON OBSTACLE COURSE

Take a water balloon fight to the next level. Set up an obstacle course in your back yard full of water balloons, with obstacles like water balloon tag, squat relay race, or capture the flag. For more ideas go to www.kaseytrenum.com/10-water-balloon-games-kids-teens-youth-groups/

Money saving tip: Taking the waterpark to your backyard lets you skip the fees - and the lines - of a waterpark vacation.

## PICNIC

Grab a blanket and some snacks and move your dining room outside.

Money saving tip: Try making most of your picnic yourself. Keep it simple with cheese and crackers, and your favorite fruits and veggies.

## FRIENDLY'S SUMMER WORD SCRAMBLE

Unscramble the words, and decode the secret message from Friendly the Eagle!
umsrme
sdan
ebcah
rfsbeie
omInaede
wrotaemlen
cpiinc
uns insen
caatvoni


Write each letter in the circles from above here:


Then unscramble the letters above into the message below:
H U $\qquad$


R

