

CREW'S NEWS

Spring 2024

Botanical Garden Trip!

Spring is here and the flowers are starting to bloom! Nick and Penny want to take a trip to the botanical garden with their school friends, Bev and Daniel. Nick and Penny asked their parents who agreed, but they wanted to give the kids an opportunity to plan out the trip themselves. The Crew starts planning out how much everything will cost. Luckily, the botanical gardens have half off the admission price for kids, which means one ticket would be \$10 each. They all have \$5 saved up, and they know that they will each need \$5 more to afford the tickets.

$$\$5 + \$5 =$$

Nick, Penny, Bev and Daniel decide to have a yard sale and sell some of their old toys to make the money they need for their trip to the botanical gardens. The Crew gathered up their toys and set up the yard sale at Nick and Penny's house. They even put up a sign at the front of the neighborhood. Nick, Penny, Bev, and Daniel spent all day selling toys to their neighbors and friends at the yard sale. At the end of the sale, they counted how much money they had made. They had made a total of \$80! They divided the money equally between them:

$$\$80 \div 4 =$$

Now, they each have \$20 dollars. The botanical garden trip only costs \$10 and they already have \$5. How much will they have left over to put into savings?

$$\$20 - \$5 =$$

Nick, Penny, Bev and Daniel have enough money for the botanical gardens trip and put the rest into their savings for future trips.

The next day, they head to the botanical gardens and explore all the different plants and flowers that have bloomed! At the gardens they see a giant hedge maze that they can walk through and even cross a bridge over a pond full of lily pads! Nick, Penny, Bev and Daniel had a wonderful time visiting the gardens. They couldn't have asked for a more fun day, and they really enjoyed the nice spring weather!

Grow Savings with Early Foundations

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Solve the Hedge Maze!

Help Nick, Penny, Bev and Daniel go through the hedge maze & bring it to any Gateway Metro Federal branch by April 30, 2024 to **get \$5 deposited into your savings account & pick a prize from our treasure chest!**



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Teller Number: _____ Branch: _____
Child's Name: _____
Child's Account Number: _____

