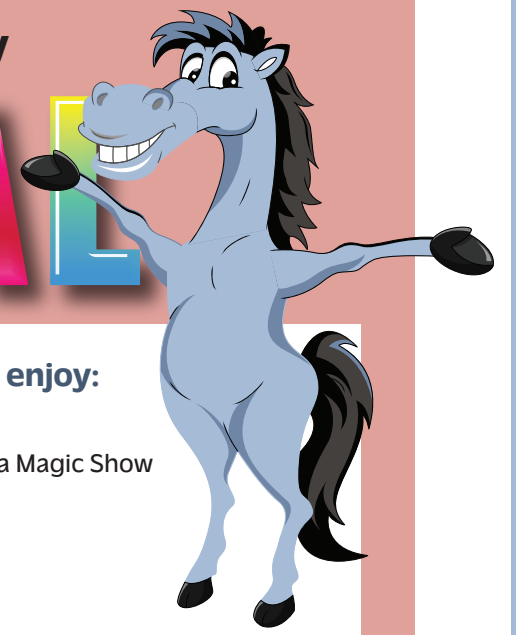


SAVE THE DATE!



Big Buck's Member Appreciation Day

CARNIVAL



JOIN US FOR
BIG BUCK'S CARNIVAL!

Friday, June 12th
11:00 am to 2:00 pm
Arvada Branch, 6221 Sheridan Blvd.

- Bring your Lil' Partners and enjoy:**
- Hot Dogs, Chips and Snow Cones
 - Face Painting, Balloon Animals and a Magic Show
 - Carnival Games and Prizes
 - Pictures with Big Buck!
 - Plus, a chance to **WIN Gift Cards!**



LET'S MAKE SUMMER FUN HAPPEN. WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

*No purchase or banking relationship of any kind is necessary. Purchase or banking relationship does not increase odds of winning.













Spring Scavenger Hunt

Get ready to celebrate the beauty of spring with a fun and exciting scavenger hunt!

As nature awakens, flowers bloom and the world turns green, it's the perfect time to head outdoors and explore.

Grab your list, use your senses, and see how many signs of spring you can discover.

Let the adventure begin!

<input type="checkbox"/> Bird's Nest 	<input type="checkbox"/> Mushroom 	<input type="checkbox"/> Pine Cone 	<input type="checkbox"/> Squirrel 
<input type="checkbox"/> Flower Bud 	<input type="checkbox"/> Feather 	<input type="checkbox"/> Bee 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow Leaf 
<input type="checkbox"/> Acorn 	<input type="checkbox"/> Smooth Rock 	<input type="checkbox"/> Clover 	<input type="checkbox"/> Ladybug 

COLOR A RAINBOW VALLEY TO WIN \$25!

Enter your child in the Lil' Partners Quarterly Coloring Contest.
The winning Lil' Partners will each receive \$25!



Deadline for entries is
May 15, 2026

One child from each age group below will win a \$25 Visa® gift card.
2 yrs. and under | 3-4 yrs. | 5-6 yrs. | 7-8 yrs. | 9-10 yrs. | 11-12 yrs.

Drop off entries by May 15, 2026 at any Partner Colorado branch, or mail entries to: Partner Colorado Credit Union, 6221 Sheridan Blvd., Arvada, CO 80003, ATTN: Marketing Department. Winners will be chosen on May 22, 2026. Artwork will be enjoyed at our branch and will not be returned.

ENTRY FORM:

Name: _____

Age: _____ Parent's Phone: _____

Lil' Partners COLORING CONTEST RULES: The contest is open to all eligible members of Partner Colorado Credit Union twelve (12) years of age or younger. Entries must be submitted by May 15, 2026 (no later than 5:30 pm MDT). Limit one (1) entry per child. Entries must be submitted with a completed entry form. By signing the entry form, you're giving Partner Colorado permission to use, publish, post or display the coloring for any purpose, including but not limited to advertising, promotional and publicity purposes, in all forms of media. The winners will be determined by a vote. Winners do not need to be present to win.

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GOOD THINGS ARE IN BLOOM

At Partner Colorado Credit Union!

As the days grow longer and the world bursts into color, we're excited to bring you activities and events to celebrate the season.

In this edition, you'll discover the science behind rainbows, embark on a Spring Scavenger Hunt, and get ready for the much-anticipated Big Buck's Carnival! Plus, learn how to "Grow Your Savings Garden," show off your creativity in our Coloring Contest and nominate your favorite teacher to win a classroom makeover! There's something for everyone this spring—let's make it a season to remember!

Visit any Partner Colorado location and make a deposit into your child's account, and we'll give them a **rainbow pop fidget bracelet** and a **sunshine drawstring backpack**!

*One per child while supplies last.



Can you find all 6 rainbows in this edition?

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CHASING COLORS

The Magic and Science of Rainbows

Have you ever looked up after a summer rainstorm and seen a giant, glowing bridge of colors stretching across the sky? That's a rainbow! While legends say they lead to a leprechaun's pot of gold, the real "magic" is actually some pretty cool science happening right above your head.

How Does a Rainbow Form?

A rainbow is a beautiful "trick" of the light. To see one, you need two ingredients: **sunlight** and **water droplets** (like rain or mist). Usually, rainbows appear in the early morning or late afternoon. To spot one, stand with your back to the sun; the rainbow will always be in the part of the sky directly opposite the sun.

The Science of the Rainbow Colors

Sunlight might look white, but it is actually a "team" of seven different colors traveling together. Scientists call this **visible light**. The colors are created when sunlight bends and separates as it passes through the raindrops. We remember the order of these colors using the name ROYGBIV: Red, Orange, Yellow, Green, Blue, Indigo and Violet.

Double the Fun: The Double Rainbow

If you're lucky, you might see a double rainbow. The brighter bottom one is the primary rainbow. Sometimes, light bounces twice inside the raindrops before coming out. This creates a dimmer secondary rainbow outside the main one. If you look closely, you'll notice something amazing: The colors in the second rainbow are in reverse order, with violet on the top and red on the bottom!

Can You Find the End?

Leprechauns might spend their lives searching for that pot of gold, but here is a secret: You can never actually reach the end of a rainbow. Because a rainbow is an optical illusion based on where you are standing and where the sun is, it moves as you move! In fact, if you were flying in an airplane high above the ground, you wouldn't see an arch—you would see that a rainbow is actually a full circle.

Source: <https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/rainbow/400160>



Try making a rainbow at home by spraying a garden hose into the sunlight!



ANSWERS: 1. Blossom 2. Gold 3. Daffodil 4. Rainbow 5. Tulip 6. Umbrella

COLOR A RAINBOW VALLEY TO WIN \$25!

Color the image below and you could be one (1) of six (6) Lil' Partners to win a \$25 prize!
Deadline for entries is May 15, 2026.



NOMINATE YOUR FAVORITE TEACHER

Partner Colorado proudly supports Colorado teachers who are making a difference for our kids and communities. Help us show our appreciation for local educators by nominating your favorite K-12 teacher to win a \$500 classroom makeover!



Two winning teachers can use their \$500 prize to help pay for school supplies or whatever else they need for the classroom.

How to Nominate Your Favorite Teacher:

- Tell us in 250 words or less why your favorite teacher deserves to win.
- Provide your name, phone number and email address, and how you know the teacher.
- Provide the teacher's name, grade level, email address and number of years as a teacher.
- Provide the name, address and phone number of their school.

Spread the Word

Share this newsletter with anyone you think would be interested in nominating an outstanding K-12 Colorado teacher. Nominate your favorite teacher by May 10, 2026! Visit www.partnercoloradocu.org.

*Individuals who were the winners of the last eligible contest conducted in the previous year are not eligible to win. Partner Colorado employees and volunteers are not eligible to participate. All entries must be completed and submitted by 11:59 pm on May 10, 2026.

Why did the rainbow go to school?

To learn its colors.



What's at the end of a rainbow?

The letter W.

What's a rainbow's favorite drink?

Anything with an umbrella in it.

Grow Your Savings Garden

Spring is finally here! While the flowers are blooming outside, it's the perfect time to cultivate something even more rewarding inside: your financial future.

Did you know you can learn about saving money by growing your own garden? Try planting fast-growing herbs like basil or mint in recycled containers, such as old yogurt cups or jars. Give each plant a special label with a savings goal, like "Movie Night" or "New Bike."

As you water your plants and ensure they get enough sunlight, think of that care as your monthly savings contributions. Just as a tiny sprout eventually becomes a lush plant, your small deposits at Partner Colorado Credit Union will gather interest and grow over time.

Watching your garden flourish teaches you that reaching your goals takes **patience** and **planning**. Plus, you'll have fresh herbs to enjoy when you reach your goal!

Spring Has Sprung—So Has Your Savings!

