

— CAPITOL FEDERAL PRESENTS —

# BLUE BUCKS ADVENTURES

SUMMER 2011



# TIME TO HIT THE OUTDOORS!

Whew! Summer is definitely in full swing, and boy, is it hot outside! With everyone out of school for the summer, the swimming pools are getting busy, and I bet some of you have already been on vacation with your family. For our summer fun, my Blue Bucks friends and I like to pack up the tents and go camping. There's nothing quite like enjoying a summer evening outdoors with friends. I also love going to Camp! Do you guys go, too? Check out all the outdoor fun featured in this issue of *Blue Bucks Adventures*.

Speaking of outside, savers from all over sent us great artwork showing the activities they were most looking forward to during the summer. As always, we spent lots of time admiring the drawings we received. The Blue Bucks Kids Club has some talented artists. Be sure to take a look at the calendar in this issue to see some of their work. While you're at it, grab some crayons or markers and create a masterpiece you can send our way. Who knows, your picture could end up on the next Blue Bucks calendar and on my Facebook page (so be sure to ask your parents if they can friend me)! Send your artwork to: Capitol Federal/Blue Bucks, 700 S. Kansas Ave., Topeka, KS 66603.

As you make the most of your summer break, don't lose sight of your savings goals. It can be easy to get distracted by all the activities during the summer and forget to save. Hopefully you've had time to do a few more chores and maybe earn a little money. If so, try to give some extra thought to saving instead of spending it all at once. You'll be glad you did.

The gang and I want you to enjoy the rest of your summer and also wish you good luck as schools starts up again. Until then... Stay cool, set your savings goals and keep saving!

Talk to you next time!

Do you have anything you want to tell Milo? Let him know and he'll send you a cool Blue Bucks prize. Send your thoughts to: Capitol Federal/Blue Bucks, 700 S. Kansas Ave., Topeka, KS 66603, or e-mail him at [bluebucks@capfed.com](mailto:bluebucks@capfed.com).



## STAND UP AND SAVE!

Wanting to have a little fun this summer, all while making some fun spending money? Have your parents help you plan a sale. Whether it's a lemonade, flower, or vegetable stand – or even a dog wash, these 'jobs' can be fun and good for your savings!

- Lemonade stand
- Dog wash
- Vegetable stand
- Flower sale
- Car/bike wash
- Baked goods sale
- Garage/yard sale
- Craft sale
- Book sale



# CAMPING FUN

Does summer mean camping to you? Or going to Camp with your church or other group? Draw us a picture of what YOU do when you're camping or at camp. **When you are finished, send it to us. You'll be entered to win a Blue Bucks prize, and your drawing may be on the next BB calendar and on Milo's Facebook page!**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**MAIL THIS PAGE BY SEPTEMBER 16, 2011 TO:**  
Capitol Federal, Marketing/Blue Bucks, 700 S. Kansas Avenue, 66603  
or drop off at your local Capitol Federal branch.

Yes, you have my permission to publish my child's first name and last initial, town and caption in an upcoming Blue Bucks newsletter and on Milo's Facebook page.

# ARE WE THERE YET

On your way to a weekend camping trip or other outdoor family getaway? If so, you may need something to pass the time in the car on your way there. Compete with your family to see who gets 4 in a row quickest, or see if your parents will give you \$.25 for everyone you get so you can buy something when you get to your destination!

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PERSONALIZED LICENSE PLATE	A CONVERTIBLE CAR	A BLUE HOUSE	A DOG RIDING IN A CAR
A FAST FOOD RESTAURANT	A BUMPER STICKER	STUFFED ANIMAL IN BACK WINDOW	A SEMI TRUCK
BILLBOARD WITH THE WORD 'SAVE'	RAILROAD TRACKS	YIELD ROAD SIGN	A BICYCLIST
A GAS STATION	A COW	LICENSE PLATE WITH LETTER 'Z' IN IT	GET SOMEONE TO WAVE AT YOU



# CAMP FRIENDLY ICE CREAM



This is a great project for the entire family to enjoy and it's one of the best camping activities you'll ever find. You'll need two clean metal cans, (coffee cans with lids work perfectly). They both have to have lids, and one needs to be larger than the other.

**INGREDIENTS:** 1 cup ice cold milk  
1 cup sugar  
1 teaspoon vanilla extract  
1 Tablespoon chocolate syrup or other  
flavoring  
Ice  
Salt

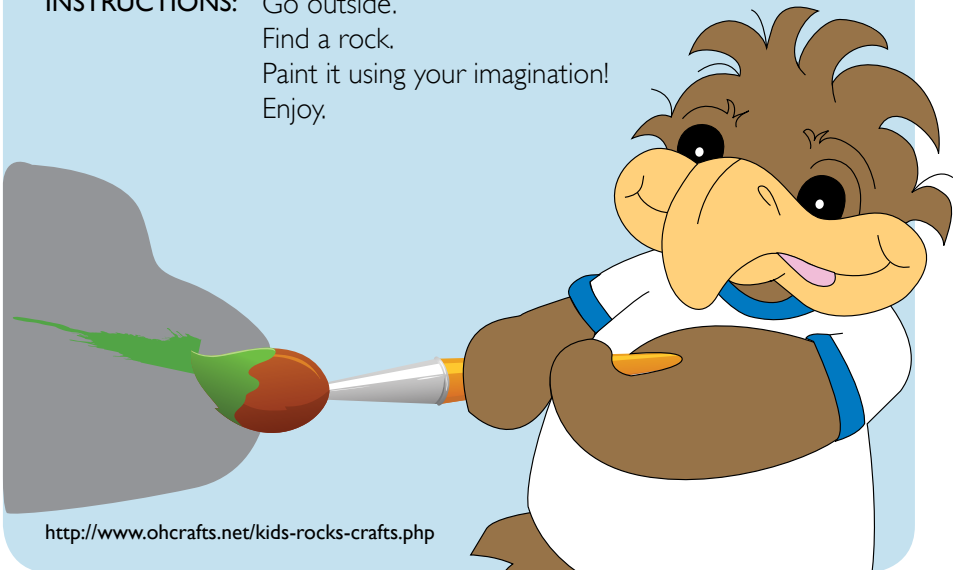
**INSTRUCTIONS:** Now, mix together the milk, sugar, vanilla, and flavoring, and place it in the smaller can. Put the lid on and make sure it fits tightly. Put the smaller can inside the larger can and surround it with ice and salt. Put the lid on the larger can and seal it tightly. Now, just let the kids roll the can around on the picnic table or the ground for about 1/2 hour or so. You'll end up with homemade ice cream and the kids will beg to take part in these camping activities.

## ... I GOT A ROCK!



When you are exploring the outdoors this summer, try and discover some cool rocks. YES, rocks! With a little paint and creativity, rocks can make great pets, games or even gifts as paper weights for mom and dad!

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Go outside.  
Find a rock.  
Paint it using your imagination!  
Enjoy.



# YOU INSPIRE US!

Nothing is better than getting mail that makes you smile, and that is what happens when we get drawings from Blue Bucks members! Not only that, but your drawings inspire our ideas for what you guys like to do. Keep on sending them in each quarter or just draw something on your own and send it in. Everyone that sends us a drawing, will receive a Blue Bucks gift in return!

## THANK YOU ABBIE FOR YOUR INSPIRATION TO TALK ABOUT CAMPING!



I look forward to ~~go~~ camping, riding my bike, kicking a soccer ball, swinging, and having fun in the sun.

Abbie R., 10  
Shawnee, KS



**CHECK OUT  
SOME OF  
THE OTHER  
GREAT  
DRAWINGS  
WE  
RECEIVED  
SHOWING  
US WHAT  
BLUE  
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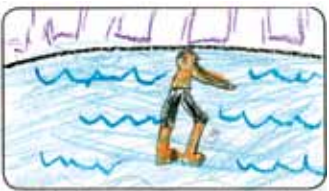
I want to go to the beach and swim

Christina P, 9  
Overland Park, KS



Recycle

Caylan R, 7  
Overland Park, KS



I like swimming. My sister does too. do you like to swim? I think you do.

Timon E, 5  
Bucyrus, KS



I've been looking forward to have a garden

Peter P, 8  
Overland Park, KS



I like swimming alot. And thats part of why I like hot wheather!

Anna E, 7  
Bucyrus, KS



PLAYING ON BOARD

Brooklyn I, 5  
Spring Hill, KS



Hello, My name is Gladys. My favorite outdoor activity is walking my dog. The reason I love walking my dog, it is good for the dog. And we had a picnic too to pick up after the dog.

Gladys H, 11  
Holton, KS



Kate Lin playing basketball

Katelin F, 5  
Paola, KS

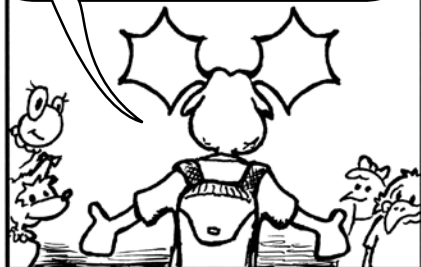


My favorite outdoor activity is interacting with my dog. Her name is Millie. I also have a cat. My name is Rusty. He's boring!

Olivia H, 8  
Holton, KS

# BLUE BUCKS ADVENTURES PRESENTS SUMMER CAMPOUT

ARE YOU ALL READY FOR OUR CAMPOUT?  
AFTER SAVING MY MONEY IN MY BLUE BUCKS  
ACCOUNT ALL WINTER, I HAD ENOUGH TO  
BUY SOME COOL CAMPING SUPPLIES.



WE HAVE HERE A BACKPACK  
WITH A SLEEPING BAG, CANTEEN,  
FIRST AID KIT, SUN BLOCK,  
BEEF JERKY, BOTTLED WATER,  
COMPASS, COMIC BOOKS, AND,  
UM....



AH, YES! I ALMOST FORGOT.  
I'LL BE RIGHT BACK, GANG!



SOON.

I..FOUND IT...OMPH!



OK, I'M READY TO  
GO CAMPING!

FANTASTIC.



GO TO [CAPFED.COM/BLUEBUCKS](http://CAPFED.COM/BLUEBUCKS)  
TO READ ABOUT THE CAMPOUT!

# THE HUNT IS ON!

Grab some binoculars and bug spray cause we are sending you out on an adventure! Try out this fun little scavenger hunt next time you go camping or just next time you are in your back yard, to see how many items you can find.

Have a scavenger hunt by looking for these items:

- An ant hill
- The ultimate walking stick
- A flower in pristine condition
- A perfectly round stone
- A piece of litter (be a good Samaritan)
- A birds nest
- A unique looking leaf
- A 4-leaf clover
- A bird other than a robin or sparrow





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