

Marshall Community Credit Union Celebrates National Credit Union Youth Month!



Every child dreams about their future. Some of those dreams may require money to come true. How do you help your children achieve their dreams? One way is to help them learn how to save their money.

Financial literacy is a crucial life skill for young people, but it's one that too few are learning. In fact, a 2017 national survey found that almost 60% of Americans have less than \$1,000 in savings, and almost 40% have none. That's why in April, Marshall Community Credit Union's slogan is "for a future full of awesome, learn the science of savings!"

MCCU is celebrating National Credit Union Youth Month, which is a program that helps teach and encourage kids to develop good financial habits. The theme for this year is "The Science of Saving," showcasing fun, sci-fi inspired characters. Science has proved that if you start with small goals, saving your money can become a regular habit. This year's Youth Month inspires children to begin saving money they earn so they can attain their dreams of a happy future.

So stop by and get in on the action at MCCU! All month long, youth members who make a deposit into their MCCU savings or CU In School account receive automatic entry into some awesome drawings, including the science-themed giveaways, where 2 lucky winners will win an Ultimate Slime Kit or a 3D Doodler Robotic Pen, and the *Millionaire for a Day contest where one grand prize winner will win a \$1,000,000.00 deposit along with limo service from school to the restaurant of their choice for dinner! And finally, deposits made into a youth account during the month of April will earn entries for the National Youth Savings Challenge, a nationwide savings challenge, where up to 10 credit union members will be awarded a \$100 cash prize!

Or, stop into either MCCU location and enter for a chance to win one of six Battle Creek Bombers MVP Experiences! The Bombers MVP Experience includes a Bomber goodie bag, behind-the-scenes tour, on-field visit, ballpark meal, option to throw the first pitch and to shag balls/play catch with players during player warm-ups, play batboy/girl during the game and of course, get the best seats in the house! No purchase is necessary, simply fill out an entry form available at the Youth Month table located in the lobby at each MCCU location.

Lastly, plan on joining MCCU at Bogar Theatre on Saturday, May 12th for Kids Day! We'll be watching the new release of *Paddington 2* starting at 10:00am. Free tickets will be available at MCCU beginning April 23rd. Tickets include free admission, small pop, small popcorn and MCCU swag bag for kids. Limited ticket supply available, so don't wait!



Marshall Community Credit Union is a federally insured full-service financial institution with offices located at 839 West Green Street in Marshall and 1157 East Michigan Avenue in Battle Creek. For more information on products, services or membership, please contact 269.78.9885 or visit marshallcommunitycu.com.

*Millionaire for a Day funds are deposited on hold into the winning members MCCU S1 savings account for one business day. Winner keeps the earned interest. Current S1 interest rates apply.