# NEST MOTES

Winter 2016 BIRD'S EYE VIEW!



One...two...three...

Owlivia! What are you doing?

I am counting the snowflakes as they are falling! That would take forever!



I have an idea! How about we go count the money in our piggy banks and then take that money and put it in our **DFCU Financial** savings accounts!

That's a great idea! And then after how about we could go get some ice cream!

ICE CREAM IN THE WINTER!?



How about a cup of hot chocolate? There is a Starbirds Café we can fly into right next to the branch.

That sounds good, too! I'll take my hot chocolate with a scoop of ice cream!

They don't have ice cream silly. Let's just get you some hot chocolate with whip cream, but first let's see how much money we saved.



HELP OWLIVIA AND OWLIVER COUNT THEIR MONEY ON THE NEXT PAGE

## What's in the Piggy Bank?

You just added a lot of new coins to your piggy bank! Using the chart below, determine the amount of coins you now have in your bank. In the first column, determine the total number of coins using tally marks. In the second column, write the value of each type of coin.

Answers on back page.

Type of Coin	Tally Marks	Value of Coins
Pennies		
Nickels		
Dimes		
Quarters		
Total		

How much does ...:

One penny equal? \_\_\_ cent • One nickel equal? \_\_\_ cents • One dime equal? \_\_\_ cents • One quarter equal? \_\_\_ cents



#### You Will Need:

- Scrapbook paper
- 3 Pringles cans
- Scissors
- Glue
- Chalkboard paint (or black and white paint)
- Chalk

#### Here's How:

Wash and dry your Pringles cans.

Trim scrapbook paper to fit around your cans. Cover them with glue then secure your paper down.

Paint a rectangle on each can with chalkboard paint (or black paint)

Use your chalk (or white paint) to label each can: SAVE, SPEND, SHARE



How long do you think it will take you to save for it?

Who can we share money with?

Why is it important to share with others?









## COUPON

Whoooo wants to have a hoot with your own deck of \$100 bill playing cards? Deposit at least \$5 in your account to receive your set of cards! Coupon good while supplies last so make your deposit today!

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#### **HEY, WISE KIDS!**

## WHOOOO'S GOT A GREAT IDEA ABOUT HOW TO SPEND YOUR 2015 CASH BACK?

What are you planning on doing with your 2015 **Cash Back**?

We'd love to hear about what you did with your **Cash Back**. Save? Spend? Share?

Send us an email at: wise.kids@dfcufinancial.com

Include your first name, city you live in, and what you plan to do with your **Cash Back!**We'll share your answers in our April issue!
Whoooo's story will we share???!!

### ANSWERS TO "WHAT'S IN THE PIGGY BANK"

27 Pennies, 20 Nickels, 21 Dimes, 14 Quarters

One penny equals 1 cent • One nickel equals 5 cents
One dime equals 10 cents • One quarter equal 25 cents

### WISE PARENTS

Here are some of the lessons to think about teaching as your child grows older:

1. Teach your children values about money, then practice what you preach, making sure your family lives those values. Talk openly about money from an early age, helping them



understand what money can and cannot do for them.

- 2. Teach your children the joy of work and of a job well done. Let them learn the lesson in school and at play, then encourage chores around the house to put it into practice. Make sure they realize that working isn't just about making money; it's also about learning patience and honing communication skills, both of which will likely help them become more successful later in life.
- **3.** Let your children learn to manage money, to spend or save as they see fit. Allow them to make mistakes, living with and learning from their choices. It may pain you to see them use their birthday money on an expensive video game or doll, but in the long run, it's the best way for them to learn that immediate gratification only takes one so far.