

Hi Kids,

Yay for summertime! The sunny weather is great for gardening, camping, swimming or tubing (safely) in a nearby lake, hiking, and other cool outdoor activities with family and friends!

In this edition, I want to share with you some neat facts on local New Mexico State Parks for your whole family to enjoy! I also want to check in and provide you with financial tips on how to meet your mid-year savings goals. Thank you for being a Baxter's Bunch member at Del Norte Credit Union!



New Mexico State Park

According to Kiddle, New Mexico is a BIG state with LOTS of amazing places to explore! It has a special system of state parks and reserves. These parks are like nature's playgrounds, providing beautiful lands and fun activities for everyone. Today, New Mexico has 35 fantastic state parks!

Cerrillos Hills State Park in Santa Fe County is great for day trips, where you can explore 1,100 years of mining history.

Heron Lake State Park in Rio Arriba County provides access to a 5,900-acre lake.

Clayton Lake State Park has a 170-acre lake and a huge collection of dinosaur footprints!

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FUN FACTS



Rio Grande Nature Center State Park in Bernalillo County allows you to explore a riverside forest (bosque) along the Rio Grande

LEARN MORE AND HAVE A GUARDIAN/PARENT DIRECT YOU TO THIS WEBSITE:

https://kids.kiddle.co/List_of_New_Mexico_state_parks

BAXTER'S FINANCIAL LITERACY TIP

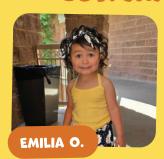
Great job on being 7 months in, or mid-year, through your savings goal! How are you doing? Baxter the Bear wants to remind all of you to practice good financial habits and continue to save for those fun activities, like a memorable trip with your family!

Saving Goal Tracker

Baxter encourages you to use this great exercise to save for your own goal



..... BAXTER THE BEAR CONGRATULATES



Baxter wants to see a picture of you participating in your favorite summer outside activity! Enter your photo and possibly win some money to deposit into your Baxter's Bunch account.

our 2025 Spring Flair Contest Winners!



Ask your parents or guardians before sending your photo for the contest.

Send yours to baxter@dncu.org by

September 1, 2025.

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COYOTE CREEK **EAGLE NEST LAKE EL VADO LAKE FENTON LAKE** HYDE MEMORIAL LEASBURG DAMI MORPHY LAKE NAVAJO LAKE PANCHO VILLA

PERCHA DAM **ROCKHOUND** SANTA ROSA LAKE STORRIE LAKE SUGARITE CANYON **SUMNER LAKE** VILLANUEVA

Parent's Corner

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PETE THE CAT GOES CAMPING

By Kimberly and James Dean Ages 3-6

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