



## Season's Greetings from the Funky Falcon!

February 2011

### **Recent News:**

I hope you all had a wonderful Holiday and New Years. As we go into 2011 we have some very **fun** events coming up for our Funky Falcon Club members. We will be having a few more coloring contests, an Easter Eggstravaganza, and Popcorn Fridays!

If you haven't come in and picked up your **Funky Falcon Rewards card**, come see us today! Our Funky Falcon Prize table is growing with new prizes! Congratulations to the kids who have been in to deposit and picked up a prize!

A special congratulations goes out to our first coloring contest winner, **Shaina Christensen!!!!**



### **Upcoming Events:**

- **March Coloring contest:** Please pick up your coloring contest sheet in the lobby or drive-thru anytime after March 7th. Due Date March 25th.
- **Easter Eggstravaganza!** Come get your picture taken with the Easter bunny and decorate Easter Egg cookies! April 9th in our Foley office from 9am-12pm. Cost \$3.00
- **Popcorn Fridays:** This summer there will be popcorn in our Foley Lobby for our Funky Falcon customers. June 17th, July 22nd, and August 19th.

Hope to see you there!!!

### **Funky Falcon Referral Program**

Refer a friend and receive \$10 deposited to your Funky Falcon Account when their account is opened!



## COMPLETE THE FUNKY WORDFIND

### Winter

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Snow flake	Sledding	Snowman
Hat	Mittens	Scarf
Boots	Shovel	Icicle
Cold	Igloo	Ski

## Funky Falcon Facts

### Winter

During winter, Falcons can often be found in agricultural areas. Horned Larks and Western Meadowlarks become a significant source of prey.

### Nesting

Falcons generally do not breed until their second year. The breeding cycle of the Falcon coincides with the most productive period of the shrub season, when prey species are flourishing. Courtship lasts from late February to April, and they nest on cliffs in recessed or otherwise protected spots. They sometimes use an old hawk or raven nest, but do not nest in trees and do not build their own nests. Instead, they position the 3 to 5 eggs in debris scraped from the nest ledge. The female performs most of the incubation, which lasts about 31 days. During the time the female is incubating the eggs, and for the first week or so after the chicks hatch, the male provides food. When the young are over a week old, the female broods them less than half the time, and helps to bring food. The young leave the nest at about 38 days, and the parents continue to feed them for 30 to 35 days after they fledge.

## Money Management Tip#1:

**What is a Savings Bond?** There are two different types of bonds- Series **EE** and **I**. Series EE Bonds are a secure savings product that pay interest based on current market rates for up to 30 years. Paper Series EE Bonds are sold at 1/2 face value. For example, a \$50 bond costs \$25 to purchase. Series I Bonds are also a low-risk savings product similar to EE bonds, except they are sold at full face value. The biggest difference is the rate you receive on your bonds. Savings bonds must be held a minimum of one year; you can redeem them anytime after that time period. For more information on Savings Bonds and rates stop in and talk to the Funky Falcon Staff today!

Kick off Spring time with saving!

**COIN COUNTING ASSIGNMENT:** March 24th & 25th- Bring your money into the bank and help the Falcon National Bank staff run your money thru the coin and cash counter. Guess your coin total and receive a prize!

