**Did you know? Thanksgiving edition.**

When you are sitting around eating a turkey dinner with your family for Thanksgiving, impress them with your trivia know-how. Here are a few fun facts about this special day:

- A wild turkey can run at speeds up to 20 miles per hour. They can also break into flight with speeds between 50-55 mph in a matter of seconds.
- The first Thanksgiving celebration can be traced back to the Plymouth Pilgrims in the fall of 1621.
- The first Thanksgiving feast was held to thank God for sparing the lives of the survivors of the Mayflower, who landed at Plymouth Rock on Dec. 11, 1620.
- Benjamin Franklin named the male turkey a “Tom” turkey after Thomas Jefferson when Jefferson wouldn’t let it be the national bird.
- Harry Truman was the first president to pardon a turkey from Thanksgiving. Now it is a tradition for the president to pardon a turkey every Thanksgiving.
- The first Thanksgiving celebration lasted for three days and included games and food.

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**How are credit unions and banks different?**

Did you know a credit union and a bank are different? They are! It’s true they both take care of your money, but joining a credit union is like joining a club. Once you are a member of the club, you get to enjoy the benefits just for being a part of it.

A credit union is owned by its members—that means you! Each member gives $5 to the credit union for their share of ownership. Everyone owns the same amount, no one owns more of it than anyone else. This money helps the credit union to make loans and pay employees.

A bank pays a group of people to make all of its decisions. In a credit union, elected member volunteers make the decisions. This way, every decision made is fair and benefits all members.
Money Word Search

See if you can find the money words in the word find. There is a word bank at the bottom with nine of the hidden words, but there is one bonus word that you will have to search for. Good luck!

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