



# CHEAP SUMMER FUN

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*Your survival guide for having a great  
summer on a budget*

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wants you to make it  
through this CRAZY  
economic time  
*in one piece.*

Before you know it, you will be sweating profusely. No, it's not tax time. We are on the cusp of summertime. Will unprecedented financial times cramp your summer fun? The answer is no when you follow these easy tips.

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### **Rediscover your city**

No matter how lame you think that your surroundings are, there are still great things to discover about your own stomping grounds. Grab your local lifestyle magazine, and plan a fun weekend in your own hometown. No airfare, no gas guzzling trips, no getting lost.

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### **Throw a mega pitch-in party**

Nothing makes you feel richer than time with good friends. Parties don't have to be elaborate shindigs. Get a large group of friends together and split up the costs. It's always fun because your different friends will bring different things, and you will get to try things that you wouldn't have made yourself.

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### **Exercise**

Exercise is very important to your financial health. There is nothing better than just getting outside and working out. Run, walk, jog, bike, rollerblade, rollerjog (okay we made that up). A regular workout routine adds discipline to your life, and discipline is good for you finances. You don't need a fancy personal trainer, you just need the outdoors.

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### **Use your vacation days wisely**

Do you have a week's worth of vacation? Why not recharge with 7 three-day weekends. This will keep your mind fresh for a longer period of time. Can you imagine a four-day work-week? Make it happen this summer.

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### **Be on the look out for dining deals**

This could be the summer of economic recovery, and restaurants could lead the way. Your favorite dining spots need your business more than ever, and they are going to start offering some fantastic dining deals. Make sure to check out the various “happy hour” deals that can get you full for cheap.

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### **Two words: Garage Sale**

How will you fund some of these fun summer activities? Sell the stuff you don't use, need, or want. Open up your closet, and start selling things you don't use. This will organize your life, and put money in your pocket in the meantime. Don't have a garage? Sell your junk on Craig's List or eBay.

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### **Use the library**

You know that big building you pass and say, “what's that place?” It's the library, and it is full of fun free stuff. You can check out videos, music, and books. Why not check out book, go on a picnic in the park, and read yourself to a nice summer nap. What's cheaper than free books? Nothing.

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### **Take a summer class or workshop**

Green Candy is all about investing in yourself. Develop your skills and talents by taking a summer class. Do you want speak a second language? Take a class, and these skills will make you a more marketable entity. You should always be learning, and you should constantly be trying to improve yourself.



Green Candy is the go-to resource for anyone who wants good, clear and useful financial advice without the unnecessary formalities of the suit and tie. Gone are the days of out of touch advice from people who don't even remember what it's like to be young and starting out.

**Green Candy is built by young people  
for young people.**