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February Commkit

Efficiency – Energy Efficient Valentines Day

**Spreading Love and Saving Energy**

Valentine’s Day is quickly approaching, and you might still be looking for an idea for date night. We can help you out with a plan that will not only make the evening special but also save you energy at the same time.

**Make Dinner at Home.** Skip the crowd this year, and make dinner in your own kitchen! You can surprise for your significant other or make it together. Make it energy efficient by using microwaves, slow cookers, toaster ovens, rice cookers or grills. These small appliances will save you time and money and bring you closer together. Look for recipe ideas online at tnmagazine.com.

**Turn Off Your Electronics.** While this should be done on every date, this occasion can be extra special by turning off your phone and television. That way you can spend uninterrupted time with your Valentine and save energy at the same time.

**Cozy Up.** What better way to end the evening by turning down the thermostat and grabbing a blanket to cuddle up together. Lowering the thermostat can save you money on your energy bill during cooler months.

Whichever way you choose to celebrate, [CO-OP NAME] wishes you a Happy Valentine’s Day!