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The Singing Saplings' Arbor Day Extravaganza

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Some musical pranks played by the saplings included playing bongo drums with their branches, creating lively rhythms for dancing, and using their branches like flutes to create enchanting melodies.
2. The hikers joined in the parade and the magical concert because they were enchanted by the playful and joyful atmosphere created by the singing saplings. They wanted to be part of the magical experience and celebrate Arbor Day in a unique way.
3. The hikers likely learned the importance of embracing unexpected moments and finding joy in nature's surprises. They also learned that even the most ordinary day can become magical with the right perspective.
4. Answers may vary, but some may say they would have felt delighted and would have eagerly participated in the celebrations, while others might have been initially surprised but eventually embraced the magical events with enthusiasm.

