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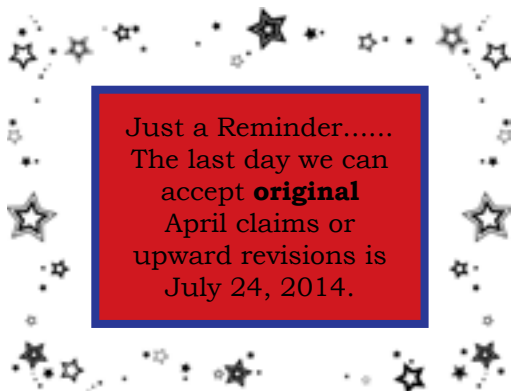
In our never ending quest to Go Green, the Colorado Department of Public Health & Environment (CDPHE) is finalizing approval of the Minute Menu Child Enrollment Form (CEF). Once approved, you will be able to print a worksheet for the parents to complete OR the parent can give you the information to enter while you are on the computer. Once the information has been entered, you will print the CEF out, have the parent sign it and mail it to us! We will put out specific directions once everything is final! There is also a possibility, that at some point this year, the parents can go to a website and update their child's CEF and use an electronic signature! What this will mean to you even if you are filing your monthly claim using scan forms or manual forms, your parents will still be able to use this technology.

Continuing our efforts to Go Green, we encourage everyone to use direct deposit. You will receive your money faster! We make the deposit into your account on the first of each month OR we mail your check on the first of the month. The direct deposit will be there instantly and will save you a trip to the bank.

We have mailed out the registration forms for our annual provider conference. This one is going to be fantastic. The new meal pattern is to be released this month and USDA and CDPHE are going to present the changes. It is important that if you have an opinion, that you comment to USDA during the 90 day listening period. Your comments are essential! USDA needs to know what you like and what you don't like. They are required by law to read every comment submitted. If you have misplaced your registration, contact your Field Monitor and she will get one to you. You may also go online to www.wildwoodonline.org/conference to register. This year you will receive 9 credit hours instead of the 8 we have offered in prior years. Register today for the Early Bird rate of \$55.00. We anticipate selling out again this year, so don't delay. I look forward to seeing you there!

Kati Wagner

SAVE THE DATE - AUGUST 23, 2014 Wildwood's 6th Annual Childcare Provider Conference Calvary Baptist Church - Monaco & Hampden



Just a Reminder.....
The last day we can
accept **original**
April claims or
upward revisions is
July 24, 2014.

Everyone at Wildwood would like to wish a very **Happy Birthday** to the following providers with July birthdays:

Lucy Arial, Cheryl Barker, Sharon Baysinger, Leann Berggren, Kristin Blackburn, Karen Brown, Becky Burghart, Ginger Carlson, Maria Castro, Tammy Chapman-Pavlik, Lisa Colin, Jodi Conley, Deborah Crowe, Cheryl Cunningham, Rebecca Dean, Melissa Dunn, Carrie Edwards, Regina Gavito, Robin Goldman, Carla Gradisar, Ann Green, Emily Gumenberg, Nancy Hall, Marlene Hanks, Rhonda Haun, Beverly Hughes, Jill Jacobo, Debra Jorgensen, Alicia Kenner, Jean Lynn, Petra Manzanares, Linda Martinez, Corrine Martinez, Nancy Miller, Carrie Niemet, Myra Nixon, Anna Orrino, Elizabeth Perez, Patricia Perkins, Cheryl Price, Elena Raybun, JoAnn Rogers, Juli Sheffer, Deborah Spialek, Julie Stickley, Wendy Stone, Debbi Tatum, Ana Torres Sanchez, Jamie Wakefield



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CLAIMS CORNER

If your license was due for renewal in June, Wildwood must have a copy of the license with the 2015 sticker attached before we can request funds to pay your claim. Please mail, email or fax a copy to the office. Watch for your continuation notice to arrive in the mail and act on it as soon as possible.

If your license changes to a Probationary License you must send us a copy of that license right away. Any change in your license requires a copy sent to our office for your file.

Don't forget to let us know that school age kids are out of school for summer break. Internet providers: please mark "school out" column.

Enrollment forms that expire 7-31-14 or anytime in August: please send an updated enrollment form to the office no later than July 25, 2014.

We will start to gather information on children starting kindergarten in Fall 2014. Internet providers: you can find the kinder form at wildwoodonline.org under news/forms. Kinders are generally born between 9-2008 and 9-2009 for this year. We'll need the kinder information by the time you send in your August claim. Calendars are a useful tool for your file but they don't always have the correct information. We prefer that you send a note on your Claim Information Form each month indicating days when school is closed or school age children are in your care when they are home sick from school. Internet providers: please check mark "school out" column or use child calendars.



Fun things to do in July: Make 100% fruit popsicles, take a trip to the park, go swimming, explore nature on a hike. Visit the Zoo, Children's Museum, Botanic Gardens and take a picnic with all your creditable meal items.

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It's now easier than ever to get all of your continuing education credits! Wildwood Resources is pleased to announce that our correspondence courses are now available as online training courses!

Check out our updated store www.wildwoodonline.org/store

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