

Wildwood – November 2017

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President's Message

BIG NEWS! Wildwood has just expanded into Wyoming. The one Sponsor who worked with all the Providers closed their doors September 30th and Wildwood began working with the Providers October 1st. We are very excited to welcome all the Wyoming Providers to Wildwood. We are very happy that Wildwood is able to help these Providers so that all of the children can continue to reap the benefits of the Child and Adult Care Food Program! With the addition of the new providers, we have redistributed the Colorado counties. Kristen will work with the providers in Arapahoe, Denver, Douglas and Jefferson counties, as well as all the Wyoming Providers. Sue will be working with all the other Colorado counties.

It has been a very crazy month with all the Minute Menu issues. We appreciate your patience while Minute Menu “fixes” the problems that have popped up. Hopefully all will be resolved quickly. I know that Minute Menu is working on this around the clock.

Please make sure you have completed one hour of Program Training, one hour of Nutrition Training and your Civil Rights Training prior to the end of the year. You have received these courses from your Field Rep for Program Training: “The New Meal Pattern: What’s New”; “CACFP Program Tips”. For Nutrition Training you have received: “Lactose Intolerance”; “The Fine Points of the New Meal Pattern”; “Food Safety: Preventing Foodborne Illness; Milk Allergy in Children”.

For those of you who have been working with Casey Garnier, Casey is no longer with Wildwood due to personal reasons. Mary Palmer is currently covering her caseload while we search for her replacement. If you know of anyone who would be interested in this position, please let us know. You can email me at kati@wildwoodcacfp.org or call 303-730-0460. We wish Casey all the best in her future endeavors!

Kati Wagner

The last day that we can accept original August claims or upward revisions is November 2017

Claims Corner

Claims are due in the office by the 5th of the month.

The New Meal Pattern began October 1, 2017. We will be happy to help in any way that we can to make the transition smooth. You might have noticed that if you claim on the internet and you didn't switch over to KidKare that was automatically done for you on 10-1-17.

New to Manual Claiming? Call us if you need help but so far you are all doing a super job with the new forms. Please do your daily totals for each meal. This helps you to track your capacity. Don't forget to write your notes on the worksheet or claim information form about any school closures or school age child being claimed for lunch if they are out of school for any reason. Please check mark boxes at the bottom of your menu pages that apply to your claim.

Internet Claimers: Don't forget that when you serve your whole grain rich item once a day (required) you need to slide the bar to indicate which meal/snack contained the whole grain bread/bread alternate.

Sweet grain based products are not creditable (cookies, Danish, granola bars, rice/bread pudding, etc.). You will see a warning notice on your error report (internet claimers) until 9-30-18.

Fun October Dates:

November 2 – Deviled Egg Day

November 3 – Sandwich Day

November 7 – US General Election Day

November 11 – Veteran's Day

November 13 – World Kindness Day

November 14 – Young Readers Day

November 16 – Have a Party with Your Bear Day

November 17 – Take a Hike Day

November 22 – Go for a Ride Day

November 28 – Red Planet Day

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