



OCTOBER IS FIRE SAFETY MONTH

Did you know fire extinguishers should be serviced and tagged once a year? Extinguishers have a chemical powder inside that can become hard-packed over time. Without annual servicing your extinguisher may not work when you need it. The powder inside should be replaced every 7 years, to ensure its effectiveness. If you have not had your extinguisher

serviced, we encourage you to do so. Child care homes should have a minimum of 1 extinguisher with a rating of 2A-10-BC or more. It is recommended that providers take a training course to learn to use a fire extinguisher. Contact your local fire department, by calling the non-emergency number, to ask about courses in your area.

Tools & Resources from National CACFP

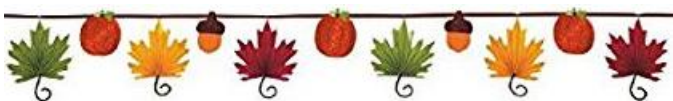
[October Parent Connections Link](#)
[Community Helper Child Activities Link](#)
[Monthly Motivation Poster Link](#)

Visit www.CACFP.org for more resources

New 2020 Calendar From CACFP



Wildwood Program Representatives will bring your new 2020 Record Keeping Calendar to home visits from September - December. Again in 2020, this includes online training courses, activities for children and resources for parent and providers.



Simple Halloween Craft Ideas



Popsicle stick Spider Webs Paper Plate Cats

Make Halloween fun without all the sugar by promoting a Healthy Halloween for your crew.

Fun Halloween Snack Ideas



We have a new private Facebook group "Wildwood CACFP Provider Group"

This private (non-public) group is intended for communication with you, our providers, as well as communication between providers to ask questions or network with others in the field. You can request entry into this group and if you are on the Wildwood Food Program, we will accept your request. Check it out!

Standard Precautions

*Including Prevention and Control of
Infectious Diseases and
Immunizations*



In addition to the FREE training offered for our partner providers, Wildwood also has Standard Precautions and other courses available for a small fee in our webstore. Go to www.wildwonline.org and click on the STORE to see the current offerings.



CLAIMS

CORNER

We want you to receive the most money you can each month. Claims Corner has useful reminders and hints to help you do just that.

- Online claims submitted through Minute Menu KidKare are time-stamped one hour earlier than local time due to Minute Menu's location in the Central Time Zone. Be sure to submit your claim by 11:00 PM on the 5th of the month.
- If a move is in your future, there are several steps to take to ensure you continue to receive your food program reimbursement. Contact your licensing agent, your Wildwood program monitor, and the Wildwood office to ensure a smooth transition to your new home.
- Wyoming providers, please send all child enrollment and other forms to the Colorado office listed at the bottom of this newsletter for processing.

*The last day we can receive original August claims for processing is October 25, 2019.

*The last day we can receive original September claims for processing is November 22, 2019.

Welcome 2 New Staff Members to Wildwood

Nic Medina covering Sheridan, Natrona, Johnson, Converse and Carbon counties in Wyoming
Victoria Trujillo covering counties in Eastern Colorado.

Upcoming Wildwood Sponsored Training Events

Tuesday, Sept 17 – Get the Goods on Grains 6:00-8:00PM

Pinnacle Bank 2000 Main Street
Torrington, WY with Bridget White

Thurs, Sept 19 – Get the Goods on Grains 6:30-8:30PM

Northglenn Christian Church 1800 105th Place E
Northglenn, CO with Maureen Lyons

Wed, Oct 2 – Get the Goods on Grains 6:00-8:00PM

Albany Co. Extension Office 3520 S 3rd
Laramie, WY with Bridget White

Wed, Oct 9 – Please Pass the Peas 6:00-8:00PM

S Metro Fire Rescue 9195 E Mineral Ave
Centennial, CO with Jane Olbricht

SATURDAY, October 26 - 2 WORKSHOPS 9:00AM-1:00PM

Get the Goods on Grains & Please Pass the Peas
Sheridan Co Ext. Office 3401 Coffeen Ave
Sheridan, WY with Savannah and Nic Medina

Tues, Nov 5 – Please Pass the Peas 6:00-8:00PM

Campbell Co Ext. Office 412 S Gillette Ave
Gillette, WY with Bridget White

Wed, Nov 6 – Get the Goods on Grains 6:00-8:00PM

Weston Co Ext. Office 104 W Main
Newcastle, WY with Bridget White

Visit www.wildwoodonline.org and check the NEWS area for Upcoming Events.

Colorado 2019 training deadline is coming up

The links below go directly to the required training courses.

[Civil Rights Online Training 2019](#)

[Online Nutrition Training 2019](#)

[Online Program Training 2019](#)

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