Child and Youth Program

Parent Newsletter

Happy New Year

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CYP Operating Hours: 0600-1800





Upcoming Events

1st: (New Year's Day) Happy Holiday CYP Closed

9th: Law Enforcement Appreciation Day

13th: National Rubber Ducky Day Bring your Favorite Rubber Duck

15th: National Hat Day

17th: Birthday Celebration Day

20th: ML King Day (Happy Holiday) CYP Closed



22th: National Park Day/ Wear Polka Dots

29th: National Puzzle Day/Puzzle w/Parents @ 3:00 p.m.

31st: Preschool Fitness Day





It's the New Year! What resolutions have you made for yourself and your family? Are you looking for a way to gain insight into lingering issues or in search of ways to be your best "you" with improved communication and stress management techniques?

Many aspects of family life can be affected when there is a family member with special needs. Now is the time to make an invaluable resolution- a commitment to yourself and your family by exploring what the Community Counseling Program can offer!

The Community Counseling Program is available to provide individual, marital, and family counseling for Marines and their families. CCP's licensed and experienced counselors can assist with the challenges that can affect you and your family's emotional well-being. Counseling can help improve marriages, build parenting skills, reduce sibling rivalry and strengthen overall family togetherness. Services are confidential, within the limits of the law, and counseling records are not kept permanently or part of your medical record. The Community Counselors can assist on a range of topics including but not limited to:

- Relationships and marital issues
- Family conflicts
- Stress management
- Parenting strategies
- Parent and teen communication
- SeparationDivorce
- Grief and loss
- Life changes and transitions
- Care management

For more information or to schedule an appointment please call, 808-496-7780, walk-ins are also welcome.

Services are available between 0730-1630 in the C.A.A.R.E Center, Bldg. 216



Aloha and Happy New Year Kupulau families ! We hope you had a fun and safe New Year's Eve with family and friends.

Thanks to the many of you who participated in the holiday cookie decorating and that dressed your child(ren) in their favorite holiday pajamas.

Did you know that puzzles are great for helping to develop fine motor skills, which are needed for writing and drawing? Please join us for National Puzzle Day, on 29 Jan for some fun with puzzles. The children always enjoy your participation.

As a reminder, the program has a Military Family Life Consultant (MFLC) who is here to provide additional support to you and your family. Feel free to introduce yourself if you see Miss Ly in the classroom or the front desk can help set up a time to meet as well.



Laulima CDC

Happy New Year, Laulima families! We hope you all had a wonderful time ringing in the New Year. May you all have a safe, happy, and prosperous 2025!

Thank you to the families who took the time to participate in our events in December. We look forward to having you all join us for future special events!

In case you didn't hear, Lilly's last day at the program was DEC 13th. Thank you for your understanding and patience as we look for another Office Automation Clerk (OAC) to fill Lilly's vacancy. We wish her well with her future endeavors.

Congratulations to our staff who are celebrating years of service this month!

Kelly (1)Simone (1)Daisy (1)Pandita (2)

Kulia SAC



Happy New Year to all our families. We hope everyone had a safe and fun time celebrating the New Year. We wish everyone a year of joy, fun and prosperity.

The children had a great Winter Camp and enjoyed all the fun and exciting activities we had planned throughout December.

During the month of December we welcomed Justine Seei as our new Assistant Director and Kaylee Smith as our new Office Automation Clerk.

We also bid a sad farewell to Ms. Raylene. She is moving forward in her career path and we are so happy for her.



Riddle of the Month

Q: How does a snowman get around in January?

A: "frosty-cab"!

Q: What has a thousand needles but can't sew?

A: porcupine.



Meat Lasagna

Ingredients

1/2 pound Lean Ground Beef

1/2 pound Italian Sausage , casting removed

2 jars (26 oz, each) Spaghetti sauced divided

2 Eggs

- 2 Containers (15oz, each) Ricotta Cheese
- 9 Lasagna noodles, uncooked

1 Package (8oz) Shredded Mozzarella cheese

1 Teaspoon Garlic Powder

1 Teaspoon Italian Seasoning

1/2 Teaspoon Salt

1/4 Teaspoon Ground Black Pepper

1/4 cup Grated Parmesan Cheese

Instruction

- 1. Preheat oven 350F. Brown ground beef and sausage in large skillet on medium heat, stirring occasionally. Drain fat. Stir 4 cups spaghetti sauce into meat mixture. Reserve remaining spaghetti sauce for serving
- 2. Beat eggs in large bowl. Add ricotta cheese, 1 1/2 cups of the mozzarella cheese, garlic powder, Italian seasoning, parsley, salt and pepper; mix well.
- 3. Spread about 1 cup of the meat sauce onto the bottom of 13x9-inch baking dish; top with 3 noodles. Spread half of the cheese mixture over the noodles. Repeat meat sauce, noodles and cheese layer once. Top with remaining noodles and meat sauce, making sure to cover noodles with sauce. Sprinkle with remaining 1/2 cup mozzarella cheese. Cover with foil.
- 4. Bake 45 minutes. Remove foil. Bake 15 minutes longer or until noodles are tender. Let stand 15 minutes before cutting. Serve with reserved spaghetti sauce.





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JANUARY School Age Care Program

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Breakfast Ages 1-2 1-2 3-5 3-5 3-5 3-5 3-5 3-5 3-5 3-5 3-5 3-5	Smack 3-5 6+ Ages ½ cp 10 1cp Mik ½ co: eq. ½ co: eq. 1 co: eq. Grain ½ cp ½ co: eq. ½ co: eq. ½ co: eq. Fruit ble ½ cp ½ cp ½ cp Meat 1 co: 1.5 co: 2 co: arms and activities on the basis of race, color, national origin, gender, age, and goorn 326—w Whitten Building 14 ^m and Independence Ave. SW. Washington DC	1 French Toast Sticks, Mixed Fruit Milk Sunflower Butter & Jelly on <u>Whole Grain Tortilla</u> &Water Goldfish Crackers, Water Week 1	2 Sausages Patty Biscuits & Milk Ham & Cheese <u>Tea Roll</u> , & Water Cheese Nips & Water	2 English Muffins w/Cheese, Pineapple, & Milk Bagel w/Cream Cheese, Grape Juice Vanilla Wafers & Water
6 <u>Multi-Grain Cheerios,</u> Peaches, & Milk Pretzels, Cheese Sticks, & Water Chicken N Biskit Crackers <u>&</u> Water Week 2	7 Rasin Bread w/Cream Cheese, Bananas, & Milk Egg Salad Sandwich on <u>Whole Grain Bread</u> , & Apple Juice Ritz Crackers & Water	8 Oatmeal, Mandarin Oranges, & Milk Cheese Nips, Mixed Fruit, & Water Vanilla Wafer & Water	9 Scrambled Eggs & Cheese, Pears <u>, Whole Grain Toast, </u> Milk Banana Muffins & Milk <u>Wheat Thins</u> , Water	10 Waffles, Strawberries & Milk Carrot Stick w/Ranch. <u>Whole Grain Ritz</u> <u>Crackers</u> & Water <u>Graham Crackers</u> & Water
13 <u>Kix Cereal, Apples Slices, & Milk</u> Swirl Bread w/Cheese, Apple Juice Wheat Thins & Water Week 3	14 <u>English Muffin</u> w/Jelly, Pineapple, & Milk Teddy Grahams, Mixed Fruit, & Water Goldfish Crackers & Water	15 Yogurt, Granola, Blueberries, & Milk Turkey & Cheese on <u>Whole Grain Tortilla &</u> Water Assorted Crackers & Water	16 Lardboiled Egg <u>Whole Grain Toast</u> w/Jelly, Orange Slice, & milk Bread w/Marinara Cheese Stick & Water Vanilla Wafers &Water	17 <u>Nhole Grain Cinnamon Toast,</u> Banana, & Water Chicken N Biskit Crackers, Watermelon, & Water Cheese Nips & Water
20 MLK Day Holiday	21 French Toast Stick, Mandarin Oranges, & Milk Sunflowers Butter & Jelly on <u>Whole Grain</u> <u>Tortilla,</u> & Milk Saltine Cracker & Water Week 4	22 Oatmeal, Apple slices, & Milk Egg Salad Sandwich on Whole Grain Bread, & Apple Juice Goldfish Crackers & Water	23 Waffles, Blueberries, & Milk Graham Crackers, Yogurt, & Water Pretzels & Water	24 Sausage Patty Biscuit, Melon, & Milk Carrot Stick w/Ranch, Whole Grain Ritz Crackers, & Water Cheese Nips & Water
27 <u>Kix Cereal,</u> Pears, & Milk Taco Chips, Shredded Cheese, Salsa, & Water Teddy Grahams & Water Week 5	28 Bagel w/Cream Cheese, Pineapple Chunks, Milk Egg Salad, Sandwich, on <u>Whole Grain Bread,</u> & Apple Juice <u>Whole Grain Ritz Cracker & Water</u>	29 erambled Eggs w/Cheese Mandarin Oranges <u>Whole Grain Tortilla,</u> & Milk Blueberry Muffin & Grape Juice Cheese Nips & Water	30 <u>Multi Grain Cheerios</u> Strawberries, & Milk Breadsticks w/Marinara Cheese Stick, & Water Graham Cracker & Water	31 <u>Whole Grain Toast</u> w/Sunflower Butter Banana, & Milk Swirl Bread w/Cream Cheese, & Grape Juice Saltine Crackers & Water

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Child Development Center

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6 <u>Cheerios,</u> Peaches, & Milk Macaroni & Cheese w/Ham, Green Beans, Mixed Fruits, & Milk Cottage Cheese, Pineapple& Water <u>Wheat Thins</u> & Water Week 2	7 Yogurt & Granola, Bananas, & Milk Beef/Cheese & Rigatoni, Broccoli, Peaches, <u>Whole</u> <u>Grain Bread</u> , & Milk Saltine Crackers, Melon Slices & Water Ritz Crackers & Water	 Scrambled Eggs & Cheese, Pears, <u>Whole Grain Intella</u>, & Milk Tuna Salad Sandwich on <u>Whole Grain Bread</u>, Cheese, Cucumber, Lettuce, Apple Slice, & Milk Goldfish Crackers, Mixed Fruit, & Water Vanilla Wafer & Water 	9 <u>Oatmeal,</u> Mandarin Orange, & Milk Taco Salad Beef, Lettuce & Tomato, Pineapple, Tortilla Chips, & Milk Banana Mu	10 Waffles, Strawberries & Milk Carrot Stick w/Ranch. <u>Whole Grain Ritz</u> <u>Crackers</u> & Water <u>Graham Crackers</u> & Water
13 Rice Cereal, Diced Pear, & Milk <u>Terivaki Burger on Whole Grain Bun</u> , French Fries, Mandarin Oranges, & Milk Assorted Crackers, Yogurt& Water Wheat Thins & Water Week 3	 English Muffin w/Cheese, Mandarin Orange, & Milk Kalua Pork, & Cabbage <u>Brown Rice</u>, & Pineapple, & Milk <u>Graham Crackers</u>, Cantaloupe, & Water Goldfish Crackers & Water 	15 Crean of Wheat, Peaches, & Milk Mirkey & Cheese Sandwich on Whole Grain Bread, Lettuce, & Tomato, Apple Slices & Milk Cucumber Slices w/Ranch Dressing, Wheat Thins& Water Assorted Crackers & Water	16 Sweet Bread Toast, Banana, Milk Shephard's Pie, Mashed Potatoes, <u>Whole Grain Bread,</u> Broccoli, Pears, & Milk Raisin Bread Cream Cheese, & Apple Juice/Milk	 French Toast, Applesauce, & Milk Ege Salad Sandwich on Whole Grain Bread Lettuce & Tomato, Oranges slices, & Milk Chic 'n' Biscuit Clackers, Melon Slices, & water Cheese Nips & Water
20 MLK Day Holiday	21 <u>Oatmeal.</u> Mixed Fruit, & Milk Corned Beef Sandwich on <u>Whole Grain Bread.</u> Lettuce, Tomato, Banana, & Milk Cottage Cheese, Peaches, & Water Goldfish Cracker& Water Week 4	22 Rice Chex, Mandarin Oranges, & Milk Chicken Strips, <u>Brown & Rice</u> Broccoli, Apple Slices, & Milk Goldfish Crackers, Pears & Water Vanilla Wafers & Water	23 Wafflers, Melon Slices, & Milk Meat Loaf, Mashed Potatoes, <u>Whole Grain</u> <u>Bread</u> , & Mixed Fruit <u>Graham Crackers,</u> Yogurt, & Water Cheese Nips & Water	24 Raisin Bread, Cream Cheese, Banana, & Milk Ham & Cheese Wrap w/Whole Grain Tortilla, Lettuce& Tomato, Oranges slice, & Milk Carrot Slicks w/Ranch dressing, Wheat thins & Water Chicken N Biscuit Crackers, & Water
27 <u>Kix Cereal, Mixed Fruit, & Milk</u> Chili w/ <u>Brown Rice.</u> Corn, Oranges Slices, & Milk <u>Graham Cracker</u> , Peaches, & Water Teddy Graham Cracker & Water	28 Bagel w/Cream Cheese, Pineapple Chunks, Milk Chicken Patty <u>Sandwich on Whole Grain Bun,</u> Lettuce & Tomato, Applesauce, & Milk Saltine Crackers, Applesauce, & Water Cheese Nips & Water	29 Sausage Patties Biscuits & Peaches, & Milk Sunbutter & Jellv Sandwich on Whole Grain Bread. Carrot Sticks, Banana & Milk Taco Chips/Soft Tortilla, Cottage Cheese, Salsa, & Water Bitz Crackers & Water	30 <u>Oatmeal,</u> Pear, & Milk Chicken Nuggets, French Fries, Mixed Fruit, <u>Whole</u> <u>Grain Bread,</u> & Milk Cheese It, Pineapple, & Water Graham Crackers & Water	31 <u>Whole Grain-Cinnamon Toast,</u> Orange Slices, & Milk Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Tossed Salad, Melon, Bread Sticks, & Milk Goldfish Crackers, Pears slices, & Milk Vanilla Wafers & Water

Ritz Crackers & Water

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