

UPCCA Newsletter

SUMMER, We Welcome You!

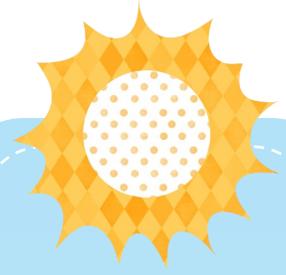
Winter, you were mild and charming, but we're ready for a little summer break anyway. High school and college graduates are on their way to explore the world, and school age children are out to absorb all they can before the next school year. Hope you have many adventures planned for this summer too. Have fun, be safe, enjoy your loved ones, and remember to look twice for motorcycles.

Thank You For a Wonderful Spring Meet & Greet At The Leonardo Museum!

We had a very vibrant and open discussion on current and future events happening within the early childhood community. A huge thank you to Ed Dieringer, Johnny Anderson, Patrick Marino, Jamie Bitton, Jody Zabriski, Brian Barney, and Brian Van Camp for their in-depth and informative topics they shared. We hope you will join us in November for the annual Fall Retreat.

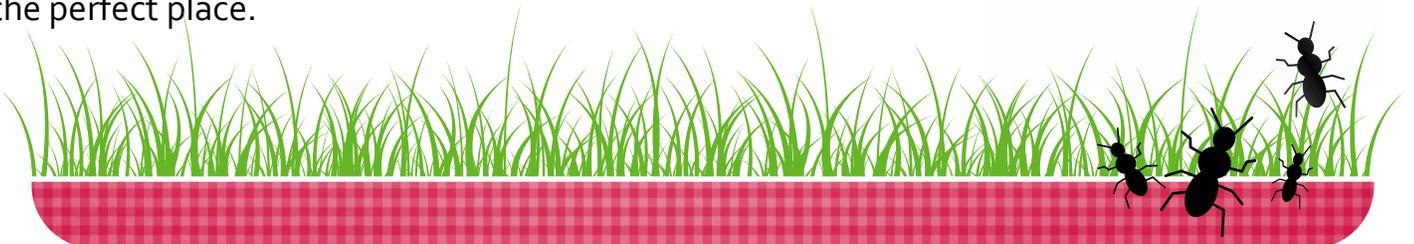
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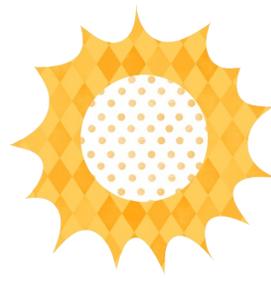
Some of you have been asking about when the next NAC course is going to be. At this time we are looking for a new venue. The previous location is under new ownership and is no longer available. Updates will be made immediately on our website (www.upcca.info) and through email as soon as we find the perfect place.



Important Dates

- June 26, 2018-2nd Quarter L&L, Understanding the High Quality System with, Jamie Bitton. Go to www.upcca.info to register.
- NAC Class with, Tami Thomas –TBA (updates will come via email list and the UPCCA website)
- Fall Retreat- November 9-10, 2018, location-TBA
- Licensing Meetings– July 12, September 13, November 8 (scheduled for the second Thursday of every other month)





Keep An Eye Out

Coming soon to the UPCCA website is a Log In and Password feature. UPCCA members will receive an email containing your log in information when the change is put in to place.

If you are not a UPCCA member yet, go to www.upcca.info to sign up to be able to receive full access to the website.

Utah's Education Interim Committee Setting the Early Childhood Education Agenda NOW for 2019!

Utah's Senate and House Early Childhood Education Committee is continuing to meet through the summer, receive reports from the Office of Childcare, and make decisions regarding the future of child care and early childhood education. That means, if your Senator or House Rep (on the list below) are making decisions about your business without your input.

How you can track what is going on and participate:

Read the OCC report provided to the Early Childhood Education Interim Committee on May 20, 2018 <https://jobs.utah.gov/occ/EarlyChildhoodServicesStudy.pdf>

Read the Minutes from that meeting: <https://le.utah.gov/MtgMinutes/publicMeetingMinutes.jsp?Com=INTEDU&meetingId=15836>

Subscribe to notices of future meetings by going to <https://le.utah.gov/asp/interim/Commit.asp?Year=2018&Com=INTEDU>

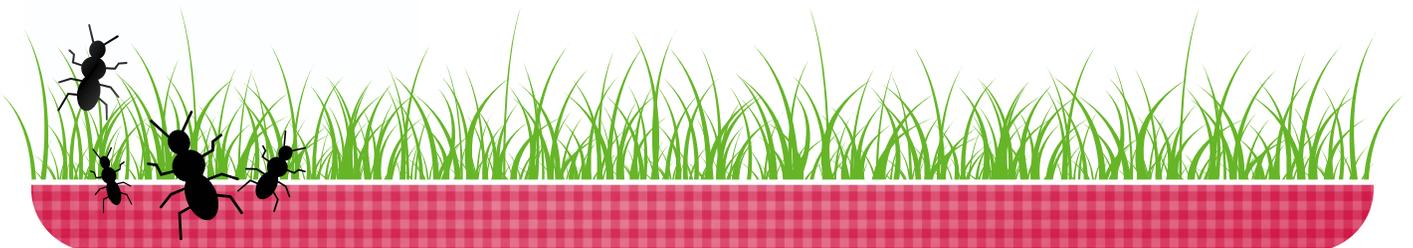
Select "Subscribe" in the top right corner. Enter your email. You will get an email to confirm you want to subscribe. Agree. You will get the agenda and minutes. If you can't attend, send your legislators comments by email.

The next meeting is June 20, 2018 at 1:15 in Room 445 of Capitol Building

Senator and House Reps attending these meetings:

Sen. Ann Millner, Senate Chair & Rep. Val L. Peterson, House Chair

Sen. Lyle W. Hillyard, Sen. Jani Iwamoto, Sen. Howard A. Stephenson, Sen. Evan J. Vickers, Rep. LaVar Christensen, Rep. Kim F. Coleman, Rep. Bruce R. Cutler, Rep. Francis D. Gibson, Rep. Eric K. Hutchings, Rep. Bradley G. Last, Rep. Daniel McCay, Rep. Carol Spackman Moss, Rep. Michael E. Noel, Rep. Derrin R. Owens, Rep. Marie H. Poulson, Rep. V. Lowry Snow



Summer Lunch & Learn

Understanding the New High Quality System
With, Jamie Bitton of Progressive Preschool, Vice
President of UPCCA.

Jamie serves on several committees in the state:

*Suspension expulsion

*Ccqs the quality system

*Infant toddler sub committee that has developed
into the family child care quality system.

Also closely follows the child care licensing com-
mittee and recently applied for a position on the
committee.

Date: June 26, 2018

\$25-UPCCA Member

\$35-Non UPCCA Member

To be located at: Godfathers Pizza-Taylorsville

4121 S 1785 W, Taylorsville, UT 84119

Time: 12:30-2:30pm

2 NAC Credit Hours



Go to www.upcca.info to register

If Life Gives You Limes,

Make Margherita's.

- Jimmy Buffet

Positions available for the Child Care Licensing Committee

"Any individuals willing to be part of the committee can send us the information or apply directly at <https://boards.utah.gov/Board/Details/152> . We will be looking to replace three members of the committee whose terms expire at the end of June. Applications have to be submitted to the Governor's website because he appoints the members of this committee."

