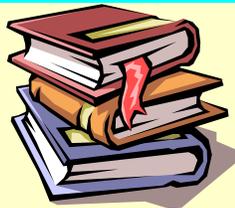


# Relatives as Parents Newsletter

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Serving Nez Perce, Idaho, Clearwater,  
Latah and Lewis Counties



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## Summer Reading in Full Swing in July at your Local Library: "DREAM BIG" is this year's theme

There is a lot going on this summer at your local library! I found out about all the interesting things that the libraries in region 2 are doing this summer!

For instance, the Weippe public library is going to have an entomologist (a bug expert) come in and talk to kids about insects. They are also going to have an artist come in July 25<sup>th</sup> and teach art lessons to kids.

Many local libraries are doing crafts through the month of July. Nezperce library are making Dream catchers (with paper plates! Neat idea!). Weippe library are going to be making Owl masks, and bugs out of marshmallows and licorice!

Lewiston is having a singer Mariam Kent perform for their program July 11<sup>th</sup>. Also at the Lewiston Library they are studying about Nighttime bugs, (July 18<sup>th</sup>) Moon and Stars (July 25<sup>th</sup>) and Night Visitors (August 1<sup>st</sup>).

Check out what your local library is doing this summer and drop the kids off!



## **Kincare Proclamation Day is July 20<sup>th</sup>!!** **Come Celebrate at MAD DOG BBQ!!**

### Upcoming Events

Kincare DAY July 20th!!  
Celebrate with us at **MADDOG BBQ!!**  
Gift bags for \$1  
Proceeds go for Kids registration fees!! Music, food, Fun!!

State-wide recognition of relatives in Idaho that are raising their relatives is July 20<sup>th</sup>!! Watch for state-wide news reports by the governor honoring the relatives that are stepping up to raise relatives' children!!

Kincare project is planning a celebration at Mad dog BBQ in Beautiful Downtown Lewiston for this day! There will be music and BBQ. If you present the coupon

attached in this newsletter, you will receive a **free BBQ sandwich from MAD DOG BBQ at 812 Main St Lewiston!**

Donations will be accepted at this event that will go towards funds for registration fees for kids programs, such as activities sponsored by Lewiston Parks and Rec, individual kids lessons, and school registration fees!!

## Emergency Feeding Outreach in Kamiah Serving the entire Upper Clearwater Valley



The food bank in Kamiah called Emergency Feeding Outreach is open Monday through Friday from 9am to noon. It is located at the Community Presbyterian Church at the corner of 7<sup>th</sup> and Hill St in Kamiah.

**You must pre-register each time you use this service at the Community Action office in Kamiah at 615 4th St in Kamiah.**

If you need emergency food assistance you can call 208-935-7877 between 1 and 4pm on the

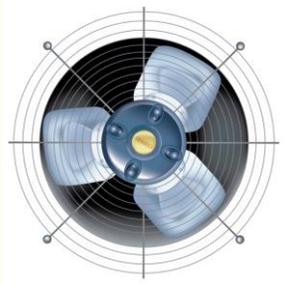
weekends.

This KCFB partners with Community Action Partnership, both in Lewiston and Kamiah.

**\*Please note this is for emergency assistance for those without food, not a supplemental feeding organization!!**

For more information or help, call Cindy Webb at 208-935-7877.

## Community Action Weatherization Assistance available!! AC anyone???



This program is designed to reduce heating and cooling costs for low-income families, particularly the elderly.

Community Action Partnership is located at 124 New 6<sup>th</sup> St in Lewiston. You can call to ask about weatherization help at 208-746-5456.

This program is for income-eligible

families within Idaho's ten northernmost counties - Boundary, Bonner, Kootenai, Shoshone, Benewah, Latah, Nez Perce, Clearwater, Lewis and Idaho Counties as well as Asotin County, Washington.



## **Idaho Health plan coverage (CHIP)**

To qualify for the CHIP program, A child must be

- Under 19 years of age
- Uninsured
- A U.S. citizens or legal resident

-His/ Her family must be within the family income guidelines (Income from step-parent,

grandparents, custodians, and legal guardians does not count. *Only Parents' income counts!*)

**Dial 2-1-1 or 1-800-926-2588 for more information about CHIP or any other social service related issues.**



## Movies on the Wall!

Don't forget about movies on the wall this summer in Pioneer Park @ 203 5<sup>th</sup> St  
Schedule for movies on the wall for July!!

The Adventures of Tintin- July 6<sup>th</sup>

Breakheart Pass- July 13<sup>th</sup>

Puss n Boots- July 20<sup>th</sup>

Muppet Treasure Island- July 27<sup>th</sup>

Angels in the Outfield- August 3<sup>rd</sup>

Hugo- August 10<sup>th</sup>



\*Movies start at Dusk

## Second-Hand and Third Hand Smoking- Warnings from the Americans for nonsmokers rights

The Americans for nonsmokers' rights reports that "there is no safe level of exposure to second-hand smoke, and that on average children are exposed to more second-hand smoke than adults."

This could cause problems in children such as asthma, bronchitis, pneumonia, middle

ear infections, and other diseases."

Second and third hand smoke can affect a child's ability to learn.

Third-hand smoke is the residue that is left after smoking has occurred and builds up on furnishings and surfaces. Tobacco smoke is made up of types of gases and matters, such as carcinogens, arsenic, lead, and cyanide. Stay smoke-free if you can!!



## Old Fashioned 4<sup>th</sup> of July at Pioneer Park!!!

Free Admission for Lewiston Pioneer Park Celebration at Pioneer Park Wednesday, July 4<sup>th</sup> from 12pm-4pm. Fire truck rides and stage coach rides for the kids!! Local food and entertainment!

**Food!! Games!! Entertainment!! Fun for all!!**

# SUMMER FOOD PROGRAM!! FREE HEALTHY MEALS FOR KIDS FIVE DAYS A WEEK!!

Call the Idaho Careline at 2-11 to find out information about the open sites for free meals for kids.

You can also call the Child Nutrition office at the State Department of Education 1-208-332-6820.

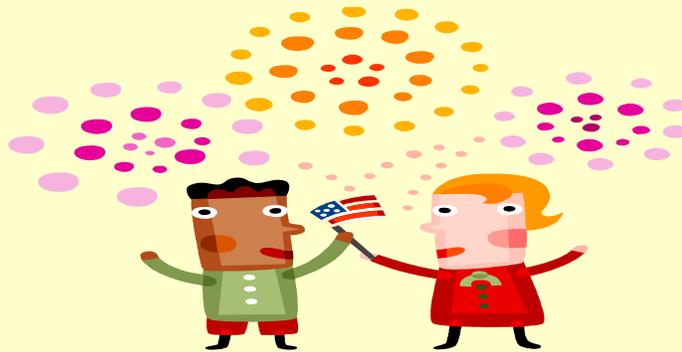
You can receive the summer meal plan for your child in the summer even if you have help from WIC, food

stamps, or other programs.

## HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY 4<sup>th</sup> of July!!

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