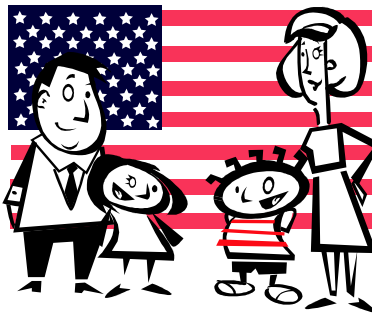




# AALC NEWSLETTER

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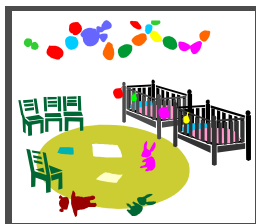
**AALC CLOSED MONDAY, JULY 5, IN  
OBSERVANCE OF INDEPENDENCE DAY!**

**ENJOY YOUR FAMILIES!**



## CHANGES IN SICK POLICY

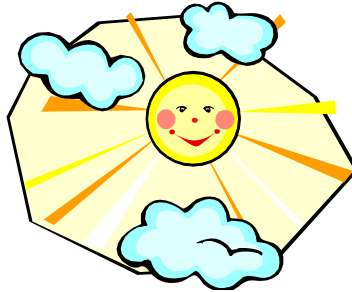
The Director has been working in collaboration with a local physician to bring about some changes in our current sick policy. Attached to this newsletter is a copy of the new policy and a letter of explanation about said changes. Keep in mind we have to stay in compliance with licensing regulations when developing our policies. The changes should help in the winter months when there are so many germs floating through the air! Let us know what you think.



## ACCREDITATION

Accreditation is still on track. We are just waiting on the remaining teachers' CDA certification. Once those are received, we will be ready. When we submit, we will receive a visit within a few months and be accredited at that point! We are so proud and excited about this accomplishment. Please remember to thank your child's teacher for all their hard work and dedication. This has been a long, hard 3-year process and will definitely be worth it in the end when we are accredited and know that

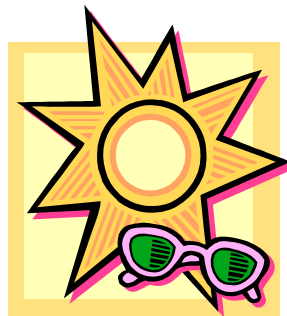
the outcomes for our children are much better than those that come from centers that are just licensed.



## FUN IN THE SUN

Remember to make sure your child has sunscreen here to use every day. When we go outside, which we do every day, we apply and reapply several times. For most of the classes they also do water play a few days a week, so it's very important that you send some. For the toddlers through school age children they also need extra clothing, bathing suits and towels.

The school age class and the four & five year old classroom have field trips to the pool and movies this month. School age also has trips to other places throughout July. Make sure you pay the activity fees and ask what time we are leaving for each field trip so you don't miss the bus.



# SUN AND WATER SAFETY CLASS

Mindy Mahurin from the Crawford County Health Department visited AALC on June 30th and July 1<sup>st</sup>. She gave talks and showed short videos to the children about the importance of being careful when out in the sun to protect yourself and about water safety. She talked to the 2's, 3's and school age on June 30 and came back on July 1 to speak to the 4 & 5 year old class. She brought sunglasses on her second day here and gave them to the children. The children really enjoyed the classes and were thrilled with the sunglasses!



## REMINDERS

- Don't forget UPC Best Choice Labels & Box Tops for Education
- Please call by 9 if your child will be late/absent
- Breakfast is 7:15-8:00

- Keep us updated as your child receives immunizations
- Payments for week due by Tuesday or you will receive a \$5 late fee and your child will not be allowed to attend until paid in full
- Please don't give your door access code to anyone. This is for the safety and security of the children and staff