



Ready for June?

Happy June! We're looking forward to the real possibility of our Stage 3 Reopening next month, but we also know we're not quite there, yet! Still, these warm and sunny days make us want to get out and about with our kiddos. Here's the perfect planner for re-exploring our city:

[Calgary Playground Review](#)

LEADERSHIP UPDATE

This month, we're excited to share a truly helpful tool developed by Gavin McCormack: **YOUR A-Z GUIDE OF EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE FOR CHILDREN (AND ADULTS).**

In it: Twenty-six of the best activities for parents, caregivers and educators to help children feel emotionally grounded.



Featured Centre: **SUNRIDGE**

After a short break in service through June, July and August, our SUNRIDGE Child Care Centre will be ready to serve you again in September. That'll be just in time if you're heading back to the office.





TEAM FOCUS

The Making a Difference initiative acknowledges team members for excellence in activities, interactions and endeavours.

MAKING A DIFFERENCE THIS MONTH...

Top (L-R): **Parminder** at Bright Lights, for being loved by all the kids; **Yan (Joanna)** at Pump-Kin Patch for bringing in her best every day; Bottom (L-R): **Aimee** at our Main Office for being accountable with a positive, can-do attitude; **Jennie**, our Family Day Homes Director, for her unparalleled performance & professionalism. Congratulations to all of you!



IN THE KITCHEN... with Chef Caroline

Summer days are finally here! One easy snack that I really like during summer is salsa. Please visit our [Blog](#) for two salsa recipes:

- 1) tomato salsa and
- 2) mango salsa.

Great on nachos; maybe even better in tacos!



NEW Parent Resources

Play Your Way This Summer

Explore and play all season long with a variety of free resources from PBS KIDS. Spark curiosity and creativity with hands-on activities, tips and games supporting literacy, math, science and life skills. More at

[PBS KIDS for Parents](#)



FROM THE KIDS' ZONE

Who said a shower curtain hung from monkey bars couldn't be art! Certainly not Glenda, our Director at Bright Lights Child Care Centre!



Tabassom and Amy at Pump-Kin Patch advise that their Room 6 (preschool) children have been planting seeds and have also taken the time recently to observe baby geese hatching on the window sill. [More](#)

