

2014-2015 Upcoming Events and Meetings

Our New Meeting Place is at St. Luke's Lutheran Church

3030 Bellevue Way NE, Bellevue, WA 98004 • Pierson Hall

6:00 pm to 8:30 pm on 2nd Monday of most Months

Come early 6:00 pm to 6:30 pm for networking and a pot luck.

Bring a dish to share • Training begins at 6:30 pm.

With membership we offer **FREE STARS** trainings for you and one assistant.
Provider Support • Networking and Sharing Business Ideas.

For detail information go to our website: ekcfcca.org or call Michelle LaMarche (427) 747-4026

SEPTEMBER 8th - 1 STAR ★ - Creation Station by Joy Knight

Joy will teach us how to use recycled items to create make-and-take games and activities. Learn more about science and enhancing children's math skills. Board Meeting September 2nd.

OCTOBER 13th-2 STARS ★★-Planning for Learning in a Mixed Age Setting.

How can you meet the learning needs of every child in your care, when children are all different ages and are at different stages of development? Let's talk about ways to make the same learning activities useful to every age from babies to preschoolers and how to schedule learning according to children's daily rhythms. *Core Competency Area: Curriculum and Learning Environment* - Board Meeting October 6th.

NOVEMBER 10th - Details will be announced at a later date. Check the website www.ekcfcca.org - Board Meeting November 3rd

DECEMBER 1st - Our Holiday Catered Celebration

Come join us for dinner and gift exchange at St. Luke's Lutheran Church. We are arranging for a special CARTERED meal and will let you know in November the cost for each person. Of course we will play our annual gift trading game that's always such great fun. We hope you will celebrate with us. Please no children. Planning Meeting December 2nd

JANUARY 10th - CPR-First Aid and HIV Training. Come and take this class with Kenny Norris. He is a 28 year veteran firefighter that is retired. Pre-register for CPR class the cost is \$35.00, the day of the class cost is \$45.00. Time **10:00 am to 2:00 pm** bring a snack. Bring your fire extinguisher to get charged for an additional \$14.00 for each extinguisher. Location will be St. Luke's Lutheran Church in the Pierson Hall. Board Meeting Jan. 5th

FEBRUARY 9th - ★★Toys, Crafts, Chemicals & More: What's Safer for Kids?

Hands-on practice identifying safer toys, art materials, household products, plastics and more. Receive free starter materials, free follow-up help, and money to make approved eco-healthy changes at your childcare. Learn how to become endorsed as an eco-healthy childcare. Board Meeting February 2nd

MARCH 14th - 5 STARS ★★★★★ - East King Fifth Annual Conference

Free to Members and 1 Assistant. \$35.00 for non members. Mark your calendar for Saturday March 15th. Details will be posted on the [website www.ekcfcca.org](http://www.ekcfcca.org). Board Meeting March 2nd and 9th

APRIL 13th - Provider Appreciation -- Celebrate Providers

We will have a Provider Appreciation Party and dinner will be provided along with games.
Board Meeting April 6th

May 30th - 5 STARS ★★★★★ - Tour of Homes, Picnic and Prizes

This event is open only to members. We will be visiting 7 homes in the area. If you would like to host your home, please contact Wendy Avery (206) 206-0999 or email: wkavery@comcast.net Board Meeting May 18th and May 26th