



We need your creative help!

Name our Infant Rooms Contest

Santa Rosa Rise and Shine Child Care Center is Now Open on Humboldt Street! We have three unique spaces that WE NEED YOUR HELP NAMING!

All entries will be eligible for a \$25 Amazon Gift Card. Drawing will be held 02/28/23. Only one winner.

Winning names will each receive a \$50 Amazon Gift Card. Names will be announced in our April 2023 Newsletter (The Daily Babble, Santa Rosa Rise and Shine's Crib Notes). Three winners.



Santa Rosa Rise and Shine
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Congratulations to Miss Cary!

The California Early Childhood Mentor Program selected Miss Cary

to become a Mentor to assist newly appointed Directors, Site Supervisors, Assistant Directors and even experienced Directors who are facing new challenges at their facility.

The selection process was a long and tedious process.



She was required to do a self-evaluation of the administrative process of both programs, which had 25 categories and up to 10-15 sub-categories each.

Along with the self-evaluation she had to provide documentation to substantiate her scores.

She was then required to participate in a three-hour interview process by two mentors.

Those mentors then had to go before a panel of six evaluators to present their report.

This whole process took approximately two months to complete.

This is a great personal achievement and professional honor to represent Sonoma County as a California Director Mentor.





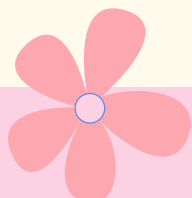
We won't say goodbye!

Instead, we'll say, "See you later!!"

It is with much love and gratefulness that Santa Rosa Rise and Shine will help Miss Anna spread her wings and leave the nest to pursue personal development!

We will greatly miss her daily presence but we support her decision with much gratitude and for all of the care and support she provided the babies in our program.

We will see her around as she will always be connected.



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Updates



Dates to remember:

February 1 ~ Tuition due

February 28 ~ Drawing for Amazon Gift Card from submissions for Helping Us Name our New Rooms at our Humboldt Center. New names will be announced in our April Daily Babble edition.

March ~ We will be updating your INS (4-page form). Please do not reprint!

March 20-24 ~ Spring Break



We are pleased to welcome new members to our team.

Miss Eliana

Miss Sierra

Miss Amy

Miss Taylor



For more information about each of them please visit our website '[about our staff](#)' page.



Santa Rosa Rise and Shine Child Care Center

We are updating our brand!

Almost 5-years ago we revised our business model from a family daycare home to an infant center. With those revisions came a new name. We had a very small window to complete the rebranding process.



We were thrilled with our name selection and the logo our community helped us create. It completely illustrates who we are.

However, with the limited time it was difficult to decide on our website domain. We had settled on SRkidsRise as a memorial to the difficulties and challenges of that time. But now, it's time to focus on the future!

We are excited to announce our new website domain and email.

Website: santarosariseandshine.com

Email: contactus@santarosariseandshine.com

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Year-end



How-to Access Your 2022 Statement



Procare provides Year-End Statements that can be accessed by parents for child care reimbursements or tax purposes.

You can pull your year-end tax statements in your parent portal.



Statements include:



- Name & Address of our program
- Time Period of the statement
- Tax ID
- Names of the Parents on the Account
- Previous Balance from any time before the start date
- All transactions through the period specified
- Ending balance at the end of the period specified

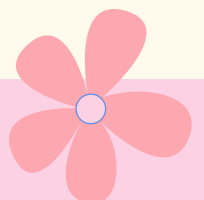




- Please understand that transition times, especially during drop-off and pick-up, we must remind you that best practice is do it as quickly as possible. Many of our babies are at various stages of stranger anxiety. It eases the environment for all babies and

staff when we are able to create a safe place for those that have a harder time. We will always communicate via the ProCare app if there are any issues. If you have any questions don't hesitate to speak with Mr. Josiah or Miss Cary about your concerns.

- We have been in the process of a couple of grants.
 - Montgomery Village was awarded a yard grant (March 2022) that has yet to be funded. However, progress seems to be heading our way. Unfortunately, prices have increased since the award which means some items may no longer be included. We remain hopeful that we will be able to complete most of that project.
 - Our Humboldt center has submitted for a grant (January 2023). We are hopeful our project will be selected. We are hoping to update lighting and divide the larger playroom into two spaces. This will allow us to separate age groups for a more conducive setting. Our plan is to have a space for 'under 12 months', '12-18 months' and the side room will be '18-24 months'.
- Please remember that although we are no longer under strict COVID guidelines, Santa Rosa Rise and Shine still practices many of those guidelines.
 - No items back and forth from home except what arrives on first day of attendance and returns on the last day (bottles are an exception).
 - Please include a wet bag or extra plastic bag for soiled clothing.





If you're a football fan...



A lot of excitement this weekend!

Together with one voice...



**GO
NINERS!**

