# CELEBRATE SUMMER

### A NEWSLETTER OF THE CHILD HEALTH AND DISABILITY PREVENTION PROGRAM

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## The Children's Health and Disability Prevention Program is Ending

The Children's Health and Disability Prevention Program is ending on **July 1, 2024**, due to the conclusion of the of grant. This will be the last issue. If you need information for free or low-cost immunizations, contact Shasta County Health Clinic at (530) 226-5591.



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For babies, breastmilk provides the best nutrition and has many health benefits!

# WELL FED = LESS LEAD

Eating healthy foods can protect your family from lead, which is a toxic heavy metal. Because young children put their hands (and other things!) in their mouths, they are at higher risk for getting lead in their tummies. Having a snack or meal every 2–3 hours that is low in fat, and high in **iron**, **calcium**, and **vitamin C** can make it harder for lead to move from the stomach to the blood.



Summer is not only a great time to enjoy outdoor activities, it is also a great time to schedule dental appointments so your children don't miss school! Start the school year with a healthy and bright smile. A reminder to kindergarten parents that Oral Health Assessments are required for all Kindergarten students. Prevent cavities in your child's teeth by maintaining a good dental schedule.

# Is it time for your child's second dental check-up?

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## RABA Bus offers free rides until Sept. 30

• Local routes in Redding and Anderson.

Summer 2024

- Intercity routes to and from Shasta Lake and Anderson, plus the Beach Bus to Whiskeytown Lake.
- The commuter route to Burney.
- On-demand response service for persons with disabilities unable to access RABA routes.
- For general information, visit **rabaride.com** or call (530) 241-2877.



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