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February 14, 2023

Sonita NewBury-Schau  
Kazoo School  
1401 Cherry Street  
Kalamazoo, MI 49008

RE: License #: DC390093883  
**Kazoo School**  
**1401 Cherry Street**  
**Kalamazoo, MI 49008**

Dear Ms. NewBury-Schau:

Attached is your renewal inspection report. You can find a copy of this renewal inspection report and any associated corrective action plans on our [website](#) under [Statewide Search for Licensed Child Care Centers and Homes](#). A description of when renewal inspection reports are completed can be found under [Overview of Licensing Reports](#).

During the renewal inspection on 2/14/2023, I found 3 violation(s) listed below and explained in the attached report:

- R 400.8110(6) Applicant; licensee; licensee designee; requirements.
- R 400.8134(4) Hand washing.
- R 400.8340(3) Food services and nutrition; provided by parents.

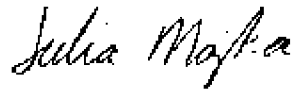
You gave us an acceptable written corrective action plan. We will send you a regular license in the mail.

<b>During calendar year 2022:</b>	<b>Total</b>
Number of serious injuries that occurred in facility.	<b>0</b>
Number of deaths that occurred in the facility.	<b>0</b>
Number of substantiated cases of abuse and/or neglect of a child that occurred at the facility.	<b>0</b>

Please contact me with any questions. In the event that I am not available and you need to speak to someone immediately, please contact the local office at (517) 284-9730.

Per MCL 722.113g, this report and any related corrective action plans must be filed in your Licensing Notebook.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Julia Majka". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Julia Majka, Licensing Consultant  
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**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS  
CHILD CARE LICENSING BUREAU  
RENEWAL INSPECTION REPORT**

**I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

<b>License #:</b>	DC390093883
<b>Licensee Name:</b>	Kazoo School
<b>Licensee Address:</b>	1401 Cherry Street Kalamazoo, MI 49008
<b>Licensee Telephone #:</b>	(269) 345-3239
<b>Licensee/Designee:</b>	Sonita NewBury-Schau, Designee
<b>Name of Facility:</b>	Kazoo School
<b>Facility Address:</b>	1401 Cherry Street Kalamazoo, MI 49008
<b>Facility Telephone #:</b>	(269) 345-3239
<b>Original Issuance Date:</b>	08/18/2000
<b>Capacity:</b>	50
<b>Age Range:</b>	Ages 2 years 6 months Thru 12 years
<b>Program Components:</b>	PRESCHOOL SCHOOL AGE

**II. METHODS OF INSPECTION**

Date of On-Site Inspection(s): 02/14/2023  
 Date of Environmental Health Inspection: N/A  
 Date of Fire Safety Inspection:  
 Date of Lead Hazard Risk Assessment, if applicable:  
 Date of Documentation of Playground Compliance, if applicable:

		No. of Records Reviewed
No. of children enrolled in care	72	15
No. of staff employed	14	9
No. of volunteers	0	0
No. of children present at time of inspection	21	
No. of staff present at time of inspection	6	
No. of volunteers present at time of inspection	0	
No. of children interviewed/observed	21	
Persons Interviewed:	Licensee/Licensee Designee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Program Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Caregiving staff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Approved Child Use Space: The rooms approved for child use space on the first floor include 1119, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1116, and 1117. On the 2nd floor the gym, and rooms 1201, 1202, and 1209 are approved for childcare children 2nd grade and above. The modular is also approved.

Approved Program Director: Sonita NewBury-Schau, Kelly Zajac, and Brynn Wade

Approved Central Administrator: None

Approved Variances: None

Key Indicator Inspection: No

**III. DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS**

This renewal inspection involved a review of all applicable child care center administrative rules and statutes. Verification of compliance included direct observations of the physical environment and the program, discussions with staff, and a review of the center’s records, including staff records and children’s records. Staff records include background checks and training information. Children’s records include child information cards, physical examination dates, and immunizations.

During the inspection, the center was found to be in compliance with all applicable rules and statutes except for the following violations:

**R 400.8110            Applicant; licensee; licensee designee; requirements.**

(6) The licensee or licensee designee shall maintain accurate records detailing daily arrival and departure times for each child care staff member, child care aide, and volunteer.

Attendance is not being maintained for child care staff members.

**R 400.8134            Hand washing.**

(4) Guidelines for hand washing must be posted in food preparation areas, in toilet rooms, and by all hand washing sinks.

Guidelines for hand washing are not posted in one bathroom in the modular building.

**R 400.8340            Food services and nutrition; provided by parents.**

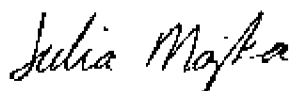
(3) Breast milk, formula, milk, other beverages, and food furnished in a same-day supply must be covered and labeled with the child's first and last name and the date.

Multiple lunch boxes with food furnished in a same-day supply do not have first and last name or date.

A corrective action plan was requested and approved on 02/14/2023. It is expected that the corrective action plan be implemented within the specified time frames as outlined in the approved plan. A follow-up evaluation may be made to verify compliance. Should the corrections not be implemented in the specified time, it may be necessary to reevaluate the status of your license.

**IV. RECOMMENDATION**

I recommend issuance of a regular license to this child care center.



2/14/2023

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Julia Majka  
Licensing Consultant

Date