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May 22, 2023

Jamie Ouellette
Swan Valley School District
8400 O'Hern
Saginaw, MI 48609

RE: License #: DC730020811
Swan Valley Learning Center
8400 O'Hern
Saginaw, MI 48609

Dear Ms. Ouellette:

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 5/9/2023, I found two violations. The violation is listed below and explained in the attached report:

- R 400.8170 (4) Outdoor play area.**
- R 400.8170 (7) Outdoor play area.**

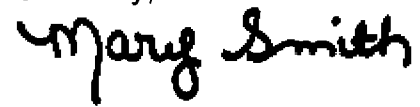
You gave us an acceptable written corrective action plan. We will send you a regular license in the mail.

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

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 "Mary Smith". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Mary Smith, Licensing Consultant
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enclosure

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
CHILD CARE LICENSING BUREAU
RENEWAL INSPECTION REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #:	DC730020811
Licensee Name:	Swan Valley School District
Licensee Address:	8360 O'Hern Saginaw, MI 48609
Licensee Telephone #:	(989) 921-4201
Licensee/Designee:	Jamie Ouellette, Designee
Name of Facility:	Swan Valley Learning Center
Facility Address:	8400 O'Hern Saginaw, MI 48609
Facility Telephone #:	(989) 921-2461
Original Issuance Date:	09/18/1989
Capacity:	108
Age Range:	Ages 3 years 0 months Thru 12 years
Program Components:	PRESCHOOL SCHOOL AGE

II. METHODS OF INSPECTION

Date of On-Site Inspection(s): 05/09/2023
 Date of Environmental Health Inspection: N/A
 Date of Fire Safety Inspection: EXEMPT (school)
 Date of Lead Hazard Risk Assessment, if applicable: 06/26/2020
 Date of Documentation of Playground Compliance, if applicable: N/A (playground has been removed)

	No. of Records Reviewed	
No. of children enrolled in care	140	25
No. of staff employed	12	8
No. of volunteers	0	0
No. of children present at time of inspection	63	
No. of staff present at time of inspection	11	
No. of volunteers present at time of inspection	0	
No. of children interviewed/observed	63	

Persons Interviewed: Licensee/Licensee Designee
 Program Director
 Caregiving staff

Approved Child Use Space: Room 1 (3 & 4 year olds), Room 2 (Age 3 through school-age), Room 3 (Age 3 through school-age) Room 4 (Age 3 through school-age), Room 5 (Age 3 through school-age), Room 6 (Age 3 through school-age), Main Gymnasium, Small Gymnasium, Multi-purpose Room, Auditorium, Library/Media Center and Room 206.

Approved Program Director: Jamie Ouellette
 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 onsite inspection I observed the caregivers providing direct supervision of children napping during rest time upon my arrival. I observed hand washing and snack time. I observed children engaged in arts and crafts activities. I observed large

circle time which included literacy activities. I observed the elementary students arriving on the school-bus and observed the caregivers doing head counts when the students got off the bus, when they got inside the building and when they arrived in their rooms. I observed children doing their homework in the after school/school-age room. I observed caregivers, parents, and children during pick up time.

During the inspection, the center was found to be in compliance with all applicable rules and statutes except for the following violations:	
R 400.8170	Outdoor play area.
	(14) Shock-absorbing surfacing materials are not required for equipment that requires a child to be standing or sitting on the ground during play.
The center operates with children in attendance for 3 or more hours a day and does not have an outdoor play area that is at least 1200 square feet, as they took down their playground equipment due to construction and plans to install a new playground. They did not have an outdoor play area they identified and were using at the time of the onsite inspection that was at least 1200 square feet as required.	
R 400.8170	Outdoor play area.
	(17) If children's wheeled vehicles and pull toys are used, then a suitable surface must be provided for their use.
At the time of the onsite inspection the center was not utilizing a safe location for the outdoor play area. The center was using the front of the building which is three feet away from the parking lot which is utilized by school buses and parents/students' vehicles throughout the day which makes it an unsafe location for the children to be playing outdoors.	

A corrective action plan was requested and approved on 05/09/2023. 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.

Mary Smith

05/22/2023

Mary Smith
Licensing Consultant

Date