



THANK YOU!!!

Now that we are approaching the month of "Thanks" I found it appropriate to take the time to thank some important people at The Kid's Corral.

After careful consideration on the 'best' daycare I could find, I enrolled my son into The Kid's Corral in July 2011. Since this time, my son has achieved so many things and has reached some of his milestones early. I wanted to take the time to recognize the employees in the infant room- Ms. Rosa, Ms. Angie, and Ms. Michelle for making a difference in my son's life. While I agree it's obviously their job to care for my son, I also understand they didn't have to choose The Kid's Corral as their place of employment. I also commend The Kid's Corral for choosing them to work in the infant room. It's important to me knowing they chose to care for infants and they spend quality time with each child teaching them and helping them through the important developmental stages of their early life. They have always taken time to listen to my requests, ensure they are following any feeding or napping routines that I have at home, and most important they show special care for handling my son (Achsen) due to the arm injury he sustained at birth. Everyday I'm so proud of my son and his accomplishments. While many of these are normal achievements, I want to thank these ladies for helping him reach these milestones because I'm not able to be a stay at home mom and help him do these things myself.

Since my son is in daycare all day and away from me, they are most responsible for these achievements. From building strength in his neck to hold his head up, sitting in the Bumbo chair, sitting in the activity center, rolling around on the floor, to most recently sitting up alone with no support on the mats. I was shocked to see all this progress from day to day and most of the time they took place earlier than I expected! I hope the management staff at The Kid's Corral is aware of the impact they make in the lives of these infants. The first 12 months of their life is very important in setting the stage for the future. The efforts and dedication of these 3 employees do not go unnoticed. I truly do appreciate them and everything they do, not only for my son, but for the other children as well. I see the way they treat each child with care and love and that makes it easy for me to leave my son every day in their care. My son has 6 more months left in the infant room and although I'm sure the staff in the next classroom he transitions to will be great, I will truly miss these 3 ladies. Please know they are very special and important and I pray they will receive some kind of recognition for their work. I'm confident I made the right choice for my son and there is nothing better than having a piece of mind all day while I'm at work knowing he is being cared for in the right way by someone other than myself.

I would also like to say 'Thank You' to Amanda, Ashley, Harriet, Suzanne, and Minette for always being so nice and cheerful when I come and go each day! I'm sure there are many other staff members I will soon meet but these are the people I know and come into contact with most often. People such as these are hard to find and I thank them for everything they do.

May each of you be blessed this Thanksgiving season!

Sincerely,

Shea Akers
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