



Early Learning and Childcare Facility Inspection Report

Type of Inspection:
Renewal Inspection

Pursuant to section 21 of the *Early Childhood Services Act*, operators of licensed early learning and childcare facilities must post their most recent inspection report in a clearly visible and prominent place in the facility.

Name of operator Ashley Crump	Licence Number 2024116	Inspection Date October 20, 2025	
Facility Name Busy Beavers Daycare		Telephone Number (506) 282-5561	
Address 23 Darren Street Beaver Dam NB E3B 8B6			
Name of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff Laura Casey		Position Title Inspector	
Order for Compliance	Regulation	Date to be corrected	Date corrected

General Comments

Licensing staff arrived to conduct the renewal inspection. Upon arrival, the children and Operator were preparing to go outdoors to play. The Operator assisted the children with getting their outdoor wear on, the first aid backpack was picked up and a headcount was observed before leaving the doorway.

Once outdoors, the children were observed playing with trucks, on the swing set, gathering fallen apples, baking pretend cupcakes at the wooden mud kitchen and using the wooden ball ramp. The Operator was actively engaged with the children in play and was heard reflecting with the children on past outdoor play activities. Before coming indoors for lunch, a one minute "let's get ready to go indoors" announcement was heard and the children gathered and walked to the door.

The indoor space was neat and play material such as wooden blocks, dinosaurs, books and a wooden play kitchen with accessories was organized, in good condition, and easily accessible. Current learning stories with photos of the children were posted throughout the space and a pumpkin patch wall hanging with felt cut outs was set up in the circle time space. A sensory bin with corn flakes and Halloween loose play pieces was set up in the corner. While sensory play provides a thorough sensory experience like crunch, smell, texture, visual, and at times taste, modelling exploration and sitting with the children is recommended.

Before lunch, a cleanup song was heard as the Operator encouraged the children to tidy up the play material. Diapers were changed, and proper handwashing was observed. During lunch time, four of the children sat together at a low table while one of the infants sat in a highchair. As the children finished eating, the curtains in the main space were drawn and nap cots were prepared. During nap time, a soft night light was turned on and the Operator was observed tucking the children in with their blankets.

During the inspection, files were verified and required licensing documentation was present. Monthly fire drills are being conducted, a cleaning schedule was noted, and daily information/attendance forms are being completed. Only positive child guidance was observed during disagreements between friends. Gentle redirection and reminders were heard as well as demonstrations on gentle hands and respecting personal space.

General Comments
Licensing staff recommends for renewal.

original signed by Laura Casey	October 21, 2025
_____ Signature of Early Learning and Childcare Licensing Staff	_____ Date

original signed by Ashley Crump	October 21, 2025
_____ Signature of Operator/Designate	_____ Date