

Canadian Day Care Advocacy Association  
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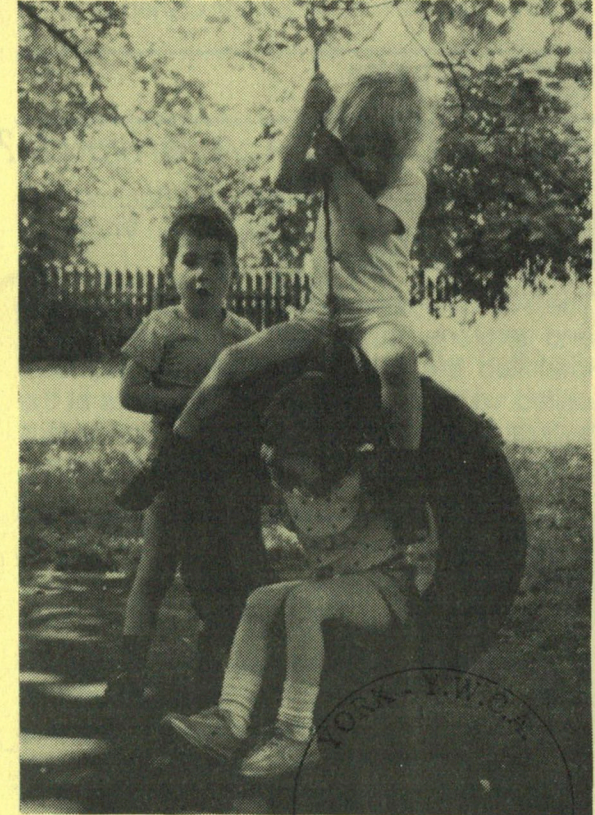
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Canada's Day Care  
Voice



The Canadian  
Day Care Advocacy  
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## WHAT

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### *is the C.D.C.A.A.?*

The Canadian Day Care Advocacy Association is an incorporated non-profit organization committed to accessible, affordable, high-quality day care services for Canadians.

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## WHERE

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### *did the C.D.C.A.A. originate?*

The Association arose from the Second National Day Care Conference held in Winnipeg in September, 1982.

The 700 delegates representing all provinces and territories and day care constituencies identified the urgent need for an effective, united voice to pursue Day Care issues at the federal level and promote a broad consensus of support within all regions of the country.

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## GOAL

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### *of the C.D.C.A.A.?*

The primary goal of the Association is an expanded and improved day care system that addresses the immediate and long-term needs of children, parents and day care providers. Emphasis is placed on high quality care, creating service opportunity and evolving toward a comprehensive public day care service.

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## PRINCIPLES

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### *of C.D.C.A.A.?*

The Canadian Day Care Advocacy Association defines its operating principles as:

- The **right** of every Canadian family to day care service they can be proud of
- The **essential role** of the Canadian

community (parents, providers, community groups, and national organizations;) in providing input, direction and participation

- The **active pursuit** of day care objectives in a spirit of open discussion, and accountable, democratic decision making.

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## ACTIVITIES

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### *during the next year*

The Association is already hard at work:

- preparing newsletters
- securing a firm funding base for the association
- developing a position paper on day care funding
- establishing and promoting networks and coalitions of individuals, organizations and agencies across the country.
- formulating a campaign strategy on day care for the forthcoming federal election
- implementing mechanisms for each province and territory to elect representatives to a Canada-wide steering committee
- creating the confidence and popular support required to move governments and acquire a healthy infusion of new monies for day care.

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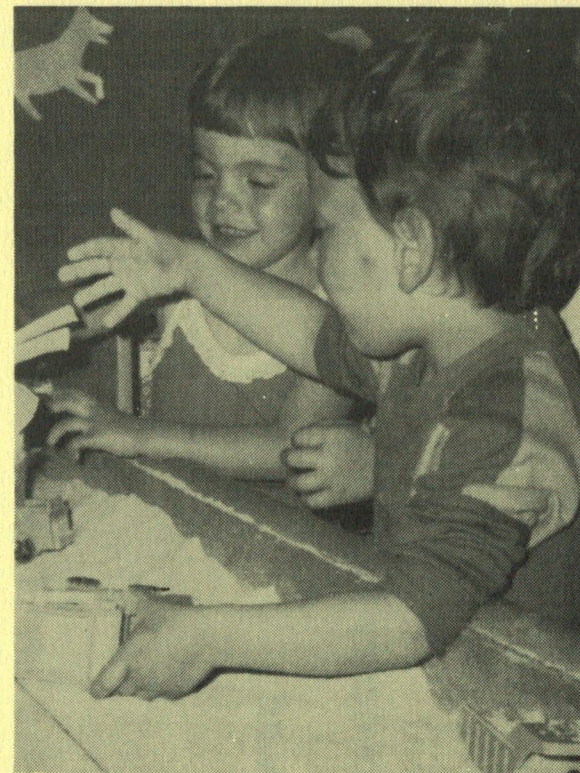
### *can you do to help?*

The C.D.C.A.A. believes we need a broad and unified **Membership** to attain our goals. It will be individuals, groups and large organizations working together who will obtain more and better day care services. Join with us.

Annual dues structure:

Individual \$3; Day Care Centre \$12;  
Local Group \$20

We are approaching larger organizations to become sustaining members.



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Please send more information in English \_\_\_\_\_

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