

Hot off the 'Wire'

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July - September 2008

Contest Corner

WIN A DIGITAL CAMERA!

June 2 thru August 28th

Whatever you're doing - wherever you go -

DON'T forget to take your Dr. Harnett &

Dr. Bedard T-shirt!! Send us a picture of you

WEARING your orthodontic t-shirt while you are

on summer break and you could be the

winner of a digital camera!

We'll be looking for the most creative! Good Luck

and have a wonderful summer!



Before

After



Are you ready for some FOOTBALL??

Let's kick off Monday Night Football in style!! Join us on September 8, 2008 and wear a shirt with your favorite football team!



WINNERS!



Congratulations to Hannah Cervenak for winning our Mother's Day poem contest! Her mom won a \$100 Spa Finder gift certificate! Great job!!

Congratulations to Sedona Carey for winning our Father's Day poem contest! Her dad won a \$100 gift certificate to Cabela's! Way to go Sedona!

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PAY ONLINE!

We are now accepting payments online at our website:

www.bracesaz.com

Please remember, payments are due on a monthly basis and do not relate to the patient's appointment schedule.

Please Note!

We will be closed on the following days:

July 3 & 4, 2008 - 4th of July

September 1, 2008 - Labor Day



**CLOSED
LABOR DAY**



We're Upgrading!

In order to serve you better and more efficiently, we are upgrading our computer system! The conversion will take place August 11-15, 2008. During this conversion our patient hours will be limited, however we will be available as always to treat any emergencies. Thank you in advance for your patience and understanding during this time.

Patients in the News!

Brooke McLain, 13, received the Jemielle Ackourey Scholarship in April. This scholarship helps talented young people develop their skills in the arts. The award helps Brooke pursue her harp and piano studies. In conjunction with the scholarship selection process, Brooke was briefly highlighted on the May 29, 2008 Dr. Phil show. Brooke also funds her harp studies by performing at receptions and events. Recently, she was the featured performer at an area gala jewelry showing, an afternoon brokerage event and several weddings.

Wow! Awesome job, Brooke!



Allyson McClellan, 9, donated ten inches of her hair to "Locks of Love" on June 3, 2008. "Locks of Love" is an organization that takes the donated hair and makes wigs for children with cancer who have lost their hair during chemo! Allyson has been growing her hair out for the past 2 years and was very excited for this event! Thanks Allyson for your support!



Tori Jackson, 11, received 1st place in the high jump and mile at the district meet in April!

Way to go, Tori!!



Kyle Jackson, 13, won 1st place in the 1600 meter in the Peoria district meet and 3rd place in the Regionals! Awesome accomplishment!



Cody Lekan, 12, made the District Honors Jazz Band! After years of practice with his bass guitar and his bass guitar will have fun with a purpose this school year! Congratulations, Cody!



Great News!! There is a new prescription strength topical paste that we have available for our patients to purchase for \$20 in our office. Patients who have not been our best brushers and are starting to develop weak spots on their teeth would benefit the most. This paste helps to strengthen the enamel and replace calcium that was lost due to poor brushing. Please ask our staff about it. There are several flavors available.

\$2 TEAM RYAN \$2

Wristbands are on sale for \$2 each to help support one of our patients, Ryan Gean, 15. Ryan was recently diagnosed with Ewings Sarcoma, a rare form of cancer. Please ask for the bracelets at the front desk. Also, Wells Fargo is accepting donations for Ryan under the account "Team Ryan". Thank you for your support!!

We always welcome suggestions to improve our office. One of our parents thought it would be nice to have a place to hang her purse while in the restroom. Hope you like our new addition! Thanks Mom for your great idea!!

POPCORN Lovers



As you know, popcorn can be hazardous to anyone with braces. The hulls can get lodged under the gums and cause an infection. A tasty alternative to popcorn is "Pirate's Booty". This is a puffed rice/corn treat and comes in several different flavors. You can find "Pirate's Booty" at Trader Joe's, Sprouts, & Costco. Also, Fresh & Easy carries their brand under the name "Pirate's Treasure". Thanks to our patient Vicki for this great suggestion!!

SUMMER HOURS

During the months of June-September, our summer hours take effect.



Doctors will see patients Monday-Wednesday 7-4:10 and Thursday 8-2:30.

A member of the administrative team will be available on Fridays from 7-Noon for Emergencies.