Are Learning (or miss learning) From the Internet," "Elements and Factors That Influence Government Regulation Development," and "Demonstration and Discussion: Neurofeedback Tools Currently Being Used In Programs." Registration cost for the "Northwest Get Together" is $30. Please RSVP by Aug. 31. For registration information, contact Laura Morton.

Sober College Opens Learning Center
(July 6, 2007) Annika Richards, Director of Public Education for Sober College, Los Angeles, CA, 818-795-8647, announced Sober College opened a "state of the art" Learning Center. The new 11,000 square foot building features networked computers and classrooms, and offices for clinical, admission and ancillary staff. There is also a social arena that includes 50's style diner booths, a study and lounge area with table games.

Yellowstone BGR Celebrates 50 Years
(July 6, 2007) Andrea Kenney, Director of Public Relations for Yellowstone Boys & Girls Ranch, Billings, MT, 406-655-2125, announced over six-hundred people gathered to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Yellowstone Boys and Girls Ranch, which began in 1957 as a place for juvenile delinquent boys as young as 10-years-old. The goal was to help them find a new direction and prevent them from becoming hardened criminals. Since the ranch began, over 5,000 children have called Yellowstone their home.

Eating Disorders Across The Lifespan
(July 6, 2007) Remuda Ranch, Wickenburg, AZ, 800-445-1900, announced they will offer a presentation titled "Eating Disorders Across The Lifespan: A Closer Look" by Dena Cabrera, PsyD, Friday, August 24, 2007, in Boise, ID from 11:30am to 1:30pm.

Henry Winkler At Starr Commonwealth's Founders Day
(July 9, 2007) Dana Jacob with Starr Commonwealth, Albion, MI, 800-837-5597 x 2312, announced Henry Winkler, the actor known as "The Fonz" from the sitcom "Happy Days," will appear at its 2007 Founder's Day event October 7, 2007, marking the anniversary of Floyd Starr, his family and 13 boys moving into Gladsome Cottage on October 3, 1913. Starr Commonwealth has expanded beyond its Albion campus to include sites in Battle Creek and Detroit, MI, as well as in Van Wert and Columbus, OH. The programs serve boys and girls through Montcalm Schools, families through foster care and day treatment and professionals through a variety of programs such as No Disposable Kids®.

Montcalm School For Girls Expanding
(July 11, 2007) Dana Jacob at Starr Commonwealth, Albion, MI, 800-837-5591, announced Montcalm School for Girls in Van Wert, OH, has plans underway to open a third cottage. This will allow opening of enrollment to 13 more girls.

Vive! Expands
July 11, 2007) Susan Holden Walsh, HoldenMcClure PR, for Vive! in Boulder, CO, 303-449-2526, announced Vive! moved the national headquarters to 207 Canyon Blvd., Ste. 202. The new space enhances Vive's ability to assist teens in transition with more private family meeting rooms, and will allow Vive! to host round table discussions and other referral and community building functions.

Mission Mountain Students Go To Nationals
(July 12, 2007) Colleen Harrington, Assistant School Head for Mission Mountain School, Condon, MT, 406-754-2580, announced four students participated and rode in a national horse show in Bozeman, MT. All four girls placed in each of their respective classes. The entire school attended the event to cheer them on as part of a multiple-day camping trip.

Phoenix Sun VP Talks to St. Paul's Students
(July 12, 2007) Donna Wittwer, MEd, Director of Admissions for St. Paul's Preparatory Academy, Phoenix, AZ, 602-956-9090, announced David Griffin, VP of Basketball Operations for the Phoenix Suns, spoke to students regarding his insights and wisdom about the qualities a person must develop to be successful in business.

New Dean At King George School
(July 12, 2007) Jay Ramsey, Director of Human Resources at King George School (KGS), Sutton, VT, 802-467-1200, announced Rebecca Vieth-Albrecht, MA, LPC, is the new Dean of the school. Rebecca comes to the KGS with fifteen years of experience directing residential and school programs. She obtained her Master's in Counseling Psychology from Webster University and has been in private practice for the last eight years. In addition to her clinical experience, Rebecca worked as a principal of a school in Missouri for the last four years.

KGS Approved For NonImmigrant Students
(July 12, 2007) Jay Ramsey, Director of Human Resources for King George School (KGS), Sutton, VT, 802-467-1200, announced KGS has approval of its petition to the Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP) to accept Nonimmigrant Students. The SEVP is part of US Immigration and Customs Enforcement, which is a division of the Department of Homeland Security.

Wittwer Leaves St. Paul's
(July 12, 2007) Donna Wittwer, (former) Director of Admissions for St. Paul's Preparatory Academy, Phoenix, AZ, 602-956-9090, announced she will be leaving St. Paul's Academy to take a position as a Behavioral Health Counselor for the Maricopa Unified School District. In addition, Donna will be opening an educational consulting practice under the name of Pinnacle Educational Consulting in Phoenix.

Montana PAARP Board Meets
(July 12, 2007) Lon Woodbury, MA, CEP, IECA, Founder of Woodbury Reports, Inc., Bonners Ferry, ID, 208-267-5550, announced the Montana Private Alternative Adolescent Residential or Outdoor Programs (PAARP) Board met in July 2007. This Board was formed by the Montana Legislature to propose Registration and Licensing regulations for private residential schools in Montana. Part of the agenda included approving the Board minutes for both April 23, 2007, and June 21, 2007, which are not yet available (July 12, 2007) to the public on the Montana state web site.

New Director Of Marketing At Alldredge
(July 13, 2007) Anthony Geraci, Executive Vice President and CMO, Alldredge Academy, Davis, WV, 281-313-1908, announced Ashley Auchterlonie as the new Director of Marketing. Ashley has extensive experience in the behavioral healthcare industry. Most recently, she served as Regional Marketing Manager for Psychiatric Solutions, Inc. in Austin, TX. Previously, Ashley was the Sales & Marketing Consultant for Appian Education in Seattle, WA, and National Sales Representative, Admissions Director and Clinical Case Manager for The Brown Schools in Austin, TX.

Auldern Graduates 12
(July 13, 2007) Debra Dombrowski, Communication Manager for Auldern Academy, Siler City, NC, 256-880-3339, announced Three Springs Auldern Academy recently graduated 12 seniors in a ceremony held on the campus. All graduates were accepted to institutions of higher learning.

Rocky Mountain NATSAP Calls For Papers
(July 13, 2007) The NATSAP 2007 Rocky Mountain Fall Regional Conference will be held September 13, 2007, in Kalispell/Whitefish, MT. The Call for Paper Submission deadline is July 20. Questions may be directed to Jan Moss, Executive Director of NATSAP, Prescott, AZ, 928-443-9505.

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