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for Willow Springs Center, Reno, NV, 800-448-9454, announced Dr. Philip Malinas is the new Chief Medical Officer to head up the Residential Treatment team for Willow Springs. He is Board Certified in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.

ASHLEY AUCHTERLONIE AT SOLACIUM

(August 1, 2007) Ashley Auchterlonie, Director of Marketing for Alldredge Academy and Greenbrier Academy, Davis, WV, 281-414-3026, announced she will be joining Anthony Geraci and the Solacium Group as the new Marketing Director.

SOBER COLLEGE LACROSSE PROGRAM

(August 2, 2007) Annika Richards, Public Education Director at Sober College, Woodland Hills, CA, 818-795-8687, announced Sober College students are scheduled to play in the lacrosse summer league games held at Loyola Marymount University.

SUCCESS AT BENCHMARK

(August 5, 2007) Jayne Selby-Longnecker, the Executive Director and CEO of Benchmark Young Adult School, Redlands, CA 714-963-4148, announced the scholastic year of 2006-2007 produced successful, academic results for Benchmark students. Six students placed on the Dean's List in college, two students, featured as "Outstanding High School Students" were awarded financial scholarships and eighteen students graduated from Redlands Adult School with a High School Diploma. An average of 40 students enrolls in college courses each semester.

BURCHETT JOINS THREE SPRINGS

(August 6, 2007) Debra Dombrowski the Communications Manager for Three Springs, Inc., Huntsville, AL 256-880-3339, announced Kim Burchett joins the staff as a substance abuse counselor at Three Springs Duck River, an Outdoor Therapeutic Program for boys located in Nunnally, TN. Burchett is a Licensed Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counselor (LADAC) certified by the State of Tennessee, a Tennessee-qualified Clinical Supervisor and is a Nationally Certified Addiction Counselor II (NACACII), with 17 years experience in the field of addiction treatment.

NEW DEVELOPMENTS AT DRAGONFLY

(August 6, 2007) Mona Treadway, Owner and Admissions Director at Dragonfly Transitions, Klamath Falls OR, 541-850-0841, announced she has completed work on her MSW through Portland State University, and the program new staff include Tanya Bergen - Night Staff Mentor; Chanah Berman - Transitions Mentor; Asher Lyman - Transitions Mentor; Todd Merrill-Transitions Mentor & Wilderness Counselor and Shannon Mason - Recovery Group.

HINMAN CLINICAL DIRECTOR AT SUNRISE

(August 6, 2007) Annette Chandler, Solacium, Missouri City, TX, 281-313-1908 announced Sunrise Residential Treatment Center is pleased to welcome Jack Hinman, Psy.D., as the new Clinical Director. Most recently, he served as Dialectical Behavior Therapy Program Director for Island View Residential Treatment Center. Previously, he was the Clinical Psychologist/Field Supervisor for SUWS Adolescent and Youth Programs in Gooding, Idaho.

TV JOURNALIST LOOKING FOR TEENS

(August 7, 2007) Edie Magnus, 917-991-6727, a television journalist is researching a documentary about teens and depression. She is looking for teens or young adults who have battled depression - and who have overcome feelings of rage or violence, or thoughts of suicide. All conversations will be treated with absolute confidentiality and the utmost sensitivity.

BAUS LEAVES ROGERS MEMORIAL

(August 8, 2007) Beth Baus, National Outreach Representative, Rogers Memorial Hospital, Milwaukee, WI, 800-767-4411 announced she will be leaving Rogers Memorial Hospital, August 10, 2007 to attend a graduate program in psychiatric nursing at Vanderbilt University. She has been with RMH for 6+ years.

DRAGONFLY CONTINUES TO GROW

(August 8, 2007) Mona Treadway, Owner and Admissions Director of Dragonfly Transitions, Klamath Falls, OR, 541-850-0841 announced the addition of Phase 2 house at Dragonfly Transitions. The Phase 2 house provides students an opportunity for increased independence and the ability to demonstrate consistency and reliability. Most Phase 2 students are employed and are able to financially support their basic living needs. If not employed, they attend one of the local colleges, full time.

YELLOWSTONE HOSTS CONFERENCE

(August 9, 2007) Andrea Kenney, the Director of Public Relations, Media & Grants for Yellowstone Boys & Girls Ranch, Billings, MT, 406-655-2125 has announced Yellowstone Boys and Girls Ranch and The Region III Mental Health Center have partnered to bring Hugh F. Johnston MD, a clinical associate professor of psychiatry, to speak at a conference, titled "Bipolar Disorder from Cradle to Grave", in Billings, MT on September 20 and 21, 2007. Also presenting is Amy Rock, MSSW, LCSW, on "Behavior Therapy Treatment for Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder." Her clinical practice has focused on young clients who suffer with anxiety disorders especially Obsessive Compulsive Disorder with the use of behavior techniques.