

Equine Learning Center Inc., Desert Hills, AZ, 623-217-4786, announced they will be holding a Grand Opening at their Yin Yang Ranch, Saturday June 21 at 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM, with live demonstrations of the activities they offer.

BETTON HOUSE HOSTS WORKSHOP

(May 20, 2008) Michael A. and Roxanne Losicco, Directors-in-Residence, Betton House, Scranton, PA, 887-723-8866, announced that Jeff Brain, MA, Director of Counseling at Betton House, conducted a parent workshop in May for the parents of currently enrolled students. The focus was “Examining Communication Dynamics,” and included materials and discussion to help parents support and build stronger adult-adult relationships with their emerging adult children. Parents examined their communication patterns to see how they support or hinder their child’s efforts to relate to them as an adult.

NEW DORMS UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT FFS

(May 20, 2008) Rita Argiros, Vice President for Administrative Affairs, The Family Foundation School, Hancock, NY, 845-887-5213, announced that construction has begun for a new girls’ dormitory on the school’s 150-acre campus. The school currently houses girls in eight trailers, five of which will be replaced with the new structure. The school’s current enrollment of 250 students includes 90 girls who will enjoy more spacious, comfortable quarters when the structure is completed in June 2009.

FULL NATSAP STATUS TO BETTON HOUSE

(May 20, 2008) Roxanne Losicco, Director-in-Residence, Betton House, Scranton, PA, 887-723-8866, announced that the program has received full membership status in NATSAP. Betton House, a sober dorm serving students in five Scranton-area colleges, has been operating since the fall of 2005 and has graduated more than 60 students from its 12-Step based program.

FFS STUDENTS ATTEND AA CONFERENCE

(May 20, 2008) Emmanuel Argiros, President, The Family Foundation School, Hancock, NY, 845-887-5213, announced that nine boys from the school were selected to attend the 21st International Alcoholics Anonymous Men’s Conference, “Fellowship for a Lifetime,” held this year in Scranton, PA on April 18-20. The students took advantage of the location and stayed at Betton House in Scranton for the weekend event. All of them had struggled with alcohol before enrolling in the school and have been active in the 12-Step program which is an integral part of the school’s therapeutic milieu.

OPENINGS AT VIVE!

(May 21, 2008) Amanda Thomas, MS, MFTI, Referral

Relations for Vive Inc., Boulder, CO, 303-449-2516, announced VIVE has several staff positions available for Parent Coach Therapists and Mentor Therapists, in the following areas: New York City, Dallas/Ft. Worth, Boulder, Denver, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Chicago, Atlanta, and Boston.

NWGT VISITORS TO WRI

(May 23, 2008) Ken Huey, PhD, CEO of CALO (Change Academy Lake of the Ozarks), Jonathan Mack, LPCC and Joel Smith from Sandhill Child Development Center in Los Lunas, NM, Christina Wilson of Academy at Sisters, Bend, OR, Mark Barrentine, LCSW, Executive Director of Evangel House, Saint Martinville, LA, and Tommy Faulk, Pastor at First Assembly in Lafayette, LA, stopped by the Woodbury Reports office for a visit after the 3rd Annual Northwest Get Together.

