ext 26, announced the Hunter School is accepting enrollments for the ESY Summer Program, which runs from July 7 – August 15, 2008. The Hunter School specializes educating students with ADD, ADHD, Asperger's Syndrome and related behavioral and emotional issues.

MISSION MOUNTAIN SCHOOL RESPONDS
(May 1, 2008) Colleen Harrington, Assistant School Head for Mission Mountain School, Condon, MT, 406-754-2580, submitted a letter to Congressman Miller regarding the hearings held on HR 5876, with the purpose of addressing inaccuracies in the testimony. The response can be found online.

ANTHONY GERACI SAYS 'THANK YOU'
(May 1, 2008) Anthony Geraci, 281-253-3264, Founder of San Cristobal Ranch Academy, Fulshear Ranch Academy, Transitions of Galveston Island, and former COO of Solacium, submitted a Letter of Thanks to the industry for 10 wonderful, supportive years of service.

NEW CLINICIAN AT LOGAN RIVER ACADEMY
(May 2, 2008) Larry Carter, Executive Director at Logan River Academy, Logan, UT, 435-755-8400, announced Shannon Kegerries has joined the team as a clinician. Shannon has a Masters of Counseling from Pittsburg State University and worked with families in a Truancy Diversion Program for at risk teens.

WHITE MOUNTAIN KAYAK & CLIMBING CAMPS
(May 5, 2008) Ben Mirkin, Director of Summer Programs, The White Mountain School, Bethlehem, NH, 603-444-2928 X72, announced both their Kayak Camp and Climbing Camp for 12-16 year olds will be July 12 – July 19, 2008.

SUMMER PROGRAMS AT EXPLORATIONS
(May 5, 2008) Penny James, Owner and Director of Explorations, Trout Creek, MT, 406-827-3863, announced this summer they will again conduct several programs in their Montana Big Sky Summer Adventure, including both a girls' and a boys' summer Wilderness Adventure Course starting June 23, and a 30-day Boys High Adventure Challenge starting July 5.

HALVERSON ADMISSIONS DIRECTOR AT 2N
(May 5, 2008) Brad Reedy, Director of Second Nature Wilderness Program, Duchesne, Utah, 866-205-2500, announced Leah Halverson has been appointed to—and accepted—the Admissions Director position at Second Nature Therapeutic Programs. Halverson has been with Second Nature for eleven years, four as part of the admissions team.

BECKET STUDENTS BECOME DJ FOR A DAY
(May 6, 2008) Julie Gaffey of Becket Family of Services, Orford, NH, 603-359-5951, announced two residents from Becket House at Pike recently had the chance to play "DJ for a Day" at WLTN radio station (96.7) in Littleton, NH. The goal of the trip was to give the boys a taste of what life is like to run a radio station.

NEWS AT OPI
(May 7, 2008) Anne LaRivere, Director of Admissions for OPI (Optimum Performance Institute), Woodland Hills, CA, 888-558-0617, announced Lisa Bove, LCSW, MDiv, a medical social worker at Kaiser Permanente Hospital, joined the team of therapists at the Optimum Performance Institute. Lisa worked as an individual, family and group psychotherapist and received her Masters Degree at USC. Anne also announced OPI hosted Film Maker Aaron Rockett, who visited OPI to discuss his newest documentary "The Fixer: Afghanistan Behind the Scenes".

NEW COMPOSITION OF STICC BOARD
(May 7, 2008) John D. Reuben, President and Founder, SAVING TEENS® In Crisis Collaborative (STICC), Sudbury, MA, 877-249-1336, announced Tamara Ancona, Sharon Levy, Grant Liebersberger and Scott Sells will join Leslie Goldberg, Adam Goldberg and Lon Woodbury as members of the STICC Board of Advisors.

COASTAL MOUNTAIN GOLF TOURNAMENT
(May 7, 2008) Kelley White, Executive Program Director for the Coastal Mountain Youth Academy, San Juan Capistrano, CA, 949-498-7042, a day school for struggling teens, announced their first Annual Caddyshack Golf Tournament will be June 9, 2008, at the San Juan Hills Golf Club.

NEW LEAF APPRECIATES FRIENDS OF FAMILIES
(May 7, 2008) Robbi O'Kelley, MSW, LCSW, of New Leaf Academy of Oregon, Bend, OR, 877-820-5050, submitted a letter regarding services at Friends of Families Foundation's loan process.

TURNABOUT/STILLWATER PARTNERS WITH HOMEWARD BOUND
(May 8, 2008) Peter Henrie, South Jordan, UT, 866-359-4600, announced Turnabout/ Stillwater Academy has partnered with Homeward Bound, to assist families with aftercare services and the transition process of students returning home. Each family is given a Turnabout therapist and a Homeward Bound transition specialist, who work together to create an individualized plan for the student. In addition, families have access to the Family Bridge, an internet based program used for communication between the family and support team.

OK CORRAL GATHERING SET FOR JULY 18
(May 9, 2008) Greg Kersten, Founder of Equine

office for a visit while in north Idaho on a transport. Custom Youth Services provides Christian transportation for at-risk youth.



OLIVERIAN SUMMER PROGRAM BEGINS
(May 15, 2008) Mike Doherty, Admissions Director of the Oliverian School, Haverhill, NH , 603-989-5368, announced the Oliverian School Summer Session begins on Sunday, June 22, 2008.

NATSAP PRESENTS TALKING POINTS
(May 15, 2008) Alicia Arteaga of NATSAP (National Association of Therapeutic Schools and Programs), Prescott, AZ, 928-443-9505, submitted NATSAP's immediate call to action for all NATSAP members, to respond to HR 5876 ("Miller Bill"), which has just successfully emerged from mark-up and approval by the House Education and Labor Committee. The talking points have been posted online.

STICC THANKS ASPEN
(May 15, 2008) John D. Reuben, President and Founder, SAVING TEENS® In Crisis Collaborative (STICC), Sudbury, MA, 877-249-1336, would like to extend special thanks to Aspen Education Group. Aspen reached out to their alumni, parents, and professional service providers and contacts to support the SAVING TEENS® methodology and mission to bring troubled teens and their families through a comprehensive, multi-phase, individualized recovery and education plan.

SCHWARTZ AT PENINSULA VILLAGE
(May 16, 2008) Kelly Roberts, Coordinator and Community and Alumni Relations at Peninsula Village, Louisville, TN, 865-380-4452, announced Michelle Schwartz, LPC, LADAC, has joined Peninsula Village as the new Manager of Residential Services for the Girls Program. Michelle has 20 years experience working with patients with co-occurring disorders.

RUDMAN JOINS BRAINWORKS
(May 16, 2008) Saul Rudman, Client Relations for Brainworks, Monterey, CA, 831-657-0650, announced he is now working for Brainworks CA, which specializes in visual communications and who pioneered Emotional Response Communications.

KARREN OPENS ELEMENTS WILDERNESS
(May 16, 2008) John Karren, Founder of Elements Wilderness Program, Huntington, UT, 801-505-8481, announced the opening of Elements Wilderness Program, a small wilderness program operated in the Manti-La Sal National Forest, southeast of Salt Lake City. For more information visit their new website.

GRAY WOLF RANCH CELEBRATES 10 YEARS
(May 19, 2008) Woody Bernas, Program Director for Gray Wolf Ranch, Port Townsend, WA, 800-571-5505, has extended an invitation to join them for the 10 Year Anniversary on May 24-25, 2008.

NEW BUILDINGS AT LITTLE KESWICK SCHOOL
(May 19, 2008) Terry Columbus, Admissions for Little Keswick School, Keswick, VA, 434-295-0457, invited everybody to join them June 12, 2008 at 2:30 PM for the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for their new Academic and Residential Building.

NEW INITIATIVES AT OPI
(May 19, 2008) Anne LaRiviere, Director of Admissions at Optimum Performance Institute, Santa Barbara, CA, 888-558-0167, announced Optimum Performance Institute is initiating specialized programming related to addictions to on-line gaming and computers, with an in-service presentation for staff and therapist by Dr. Jack Kuo, MD, who heads a computer addiction program at Promises, in Malibu, CA. In addition, OPI will offer students who are working towards becoming a certified addiction specialist, an internship through Pierce College's Addiction Studies Program, under the supervision of Martin Cisneros, CAC, RAS, OPI's Director of Chemical Dependency Services and Jeff Kestenbaum, LCSW, Director of Counseling Services.

GRAY WOLF RANCH CELEBRATES 10 YEARS
(May 19, 2008) Woody Bernas, Program Director for Gray Wolf Ranch, Port Townsend, WA, 800-571-5505 announced Gray Wolf Ranch recently celebrated its 10 year Anniversary on May 24, 2008.

TURNABOUT/STILLWATER GRADUATES 19
(May 19, 2008) Marilyn Prettyman, Principle at Stillwater Academy, South Jordan, UT, 866-359-4600, announced 19 students graduated from Stillwater Academy in May 2008 with their high school diplomas.

MASON ASSOCIATES OPEN NYC OFFICE
(May 20, 2008) Ben Mason of Mason Associates, Charlotte, VT, 802-425-7600, announced Mason Associates has opened a new office in New York, NY.

HORSE POWER LEARNING CENTER OPENING
(May 20, 2008) Georgia Benyk of Horse Power by