

Realities for Children and Habitat for Humanity. For more information on PRN, contact Charles Elias at 888-762-5973.

RECOVERY BY BENCHMARK

(March 2, 2009) Benchmark Young Adult School, Redlands, CA, has enhanced its 12 step curriculum by adding a new recovery component, Recovery by Benchmark, a treatment program for students who have been identified with drug and alcohol addiction. The recovery program is for a minimum of 12 weeks. For more information, contact Richard Brimhall, Dean of Admissions, at 800-474-4848.

SUMMER SOJOURN AT FRANKLIN ACADEMY

(March 2, 2009) Summer Sojourn at Franklin Academy, East Haddam, CT is for students ages 13-19 who have nonverbal learning differences, including Asperger's Syndrome. It is comprised of two 2-week sessions: Session 1: July 1- July 14, 2009, and Session 2: July 16-July 29, 2009. For more information, contact Cynthia Pope, Director of Admissions, at 860-873-2700.

VIVE! OFFERS AFFORDABLE SOLUTIONS

(March 2, 2009) Beth Laughlin, VP of Marketing and Customer Relations at VIVE! Boulder, CO, announced VIVE! will offer adolescents or young adults and their families cost effective solutions for enrollment into their programs. For more information, call 800-261-0127.

DARRINGTON ACADEMY CLOSING

(March 2, 2009) Darrington Academy, a private school for troubled teens in Blue Ridge, GA, closed its doors due to the current state of the economy said owner and headmaster Richard Darrington. Darrington Academy has been under joint investigation by the Fannin County Department of Family and Children Services, the Fannin County Sheriff's Department and state regulatory officials over certain activities at the school.

ATG AFTERCARE SERVICES

(March 2, 2009) James Morton, Jr., CEO of Achievement Transition Group, Inc, Missoula, MT, announced that Second-Step of ATG, Inc, will be providing Aftercare Support Services for Eckerd Academy at Brookville, Eckerd Academy of the Blue Ridge and Eckerd Academy at Deer Lodge for students and their families. Second-Step is also working with Wisdom Ranch to provide Transition Support and Aftercare Services for graduate students and families. Contact Sandy Schmiedeknecht, Director of Admissions and Marketing, at 304-642-9047 for more information.

BOZAK VISITS AGAPE BOARDING SCHOOL

(March 3, 2009) Agape Boarding School in Stockton, MO, had a great visit with CEP Steve Bozak, who was the first consultant to visit the boarding school since it moved to Missouri in 1996. While touring the campus on ATV's, Steve braved the unusually cold weather and had a chance to meet the staff and many of Agape's 120 students. For more information on Agape, contact Scott Smith, Marketing Director at 417-276-7215.

AULDERN HOSTS A 'NIGHT IN RIO'

(March 3, 2009) Auldern Academy's Assistant Head of School,

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