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school's 50+ female students, and can accommodate up to 90 girls. **Next Step For Success®** announced Associate Coach, **Vicki Jones**, completed a 24-hour training over 4 months that resulted in a Mentor Coach Certification through **InviteChange®**. **Passages to Recovery** Outdoor Addiction Treatment Program achieved **Joint Commission Accreditation**.

PARTNERSHIPS:

The **Emerge College Success Program** and **Simple Projects** announce a new collaboration offering the components of a young adult transitional program and college based support services for students who have experienced emotional, behavioral and/or learning challenges.

PEOPLE:

Cat Jennings, founder of **Stone Mountain School** and Executive Director of **New Leaf Academy** in North Carolina, is leaving Aspen with the closure of **New Leaf** to pursue other endeavors. **Rosemary Tippet** retired from the Board of **NATSAP** after almost 11 years. A couple changes have occurred in staffing at **West Ridge Academy**. **Jared Hamner**, formerly Admissions Director, transitioned into the Director of **Midwestern Operations** and **Guy Hardcastle** accepted the position of Director of Admissions. **Lauren Clark** is a new Admissions Counselor at **Oakley School**. **Venture Academy** announced **Sean Elliott** will oversee the Ontario campus as the Agency Director. **Rebecca Bowen** and **Joanne Bertrand** have joined the academic faculty of the **King George School**. **John Marquis** is the new Executive Director of **Academy at Swift River**. **Hope Renews** board elected **Tracey O'Connell Sperry** to be its new president and chairman of the board. **Bertram Educational Consultants** welcomed **Patrick Finn** to their consulting team. **Bromley Brook School** announced the return of Art Director **Robin Wimbiscus**. The **Spire School at Greenwich Education and Prep** named **Frank Bartolomeo**, PhD, as Executive Director. **Outback Therapeutic Expedition's** new Admissions Director is **Arwynn Harris Jensen**. **Shepherd's Hill Academy** announced the new Principal is **Steve Schyck**.



Kathy Kimmel resigned in May after 15 years as Admissions Director of the **Grove School**. **Lauren Seltzer**, who was a Marriage and Family Therapist for five years, will step into the Director of Admissions position, with help from **Kelly Webster**, Associate Director/ Community Relations and **Alice Durmmond-Hay**, Residential Administrator. Also in May, **Chelsea Dickinson** said goodbye to **Clark Financing** as she left to pursue other opportunities. There have been several staff developments at **Silverado Academy** as well. **Eric Fawson** recently moved back into his original role of Program Director. **Silverado** also hired **Duane Bailey** to work as a team coach and to facilitate Chemical Dependency/Addiction groups. **AJ Neilson** was promoted to the position of Activities Coordinator. **Brad Porter** moved into a new position of Program Parent Liaison. Brad will oversee the reception area, assist with new admissions, and facilitate student transports to and from the airport. **Dr. Crist**, one of **Silverado's** founders, retired and **Ryan Williams**, MD, stepped in as the consulting psychiatrist at **Silverado** and finally, **Tricia Lenzendorf** was promoted to Medical Coordinator and will work with Dr. Williams during his initial student evaluations and Medication Clinic.

