The Opening Of Beacon Transitions: Nearly all parents and professionals recognize that the needs of students with social skill or executive functioning deficits do not stop when students turn 18. That is why the team at Beacon Transitions is so very excited to announce the opening of their multi-tiered transitional living program for students ages 18-26 with social skill and executive functioning needs. The opening of Beacon Transitions Program, will helps fill the need for programs for young adults on the autism spectrum. 828-388-5478

Allynwood Academy Team Competes In 10-Miler: Team Allynwood came in third place at the 10 mile race in honor of Veterans Day and to support our service men and women returning from service overseas. 607-637-8265

Update From Alpine Academy: Alpine Academy is thrilled to announce that we have been added to the "approved out-of-state non-public schools" list for the great State of Illinois. We look forward to working with and helping more students and families from the Land of Lincoln. 800-244-1113

PureLife Aspiro - Filling The Gap: Pure Life Aspiro in Costa Rica provides opportunities for those in need of a therapeutic adventure experience, but do not need a crisis intervention. "We see a real need to provide a different type of wilderness option for individuals with gap or transition needs in their therapeutic process" says Josh Watson, Director of Marketing and Admissions at Aspiro. "At times, therapeutic transitional experiences are needed but solutions are limited. Pure Life Aspiro offers a unique wilderness option for individuals who have made progress and are ready to move forward in developing their executive function skills, social skills, and independent living skills." Pure Life has been specifically designed for the client who is ready for the next step in their therapeutic growth, or might be slipping in their current environment and would benefit from a dynamic transitional experience. 801-349-2740 ext. 1

Service Opportunity in San Diego: Evolving Women invited all IECA women attendees to participate in a service opportunity while at the conference in San Diego. Dress for Success San Diego is a non-profit organization focused exclusively on helping low income women acquire jobs, build careers and improve the quality of life for their families. For more information on this or more upcoming events, contact Staci at 435-215-3400.

Copper Canyon Academy Expands Science Program: Copper Canyon is pleased to announce the expansion of its lab sciences program with the creation of a "state of the art" experiential science lab in the Willow House dorm. 877-617-1222

John Brekke Of Wilderness Treatment Center Passes: It was with shock that I heard of John's passing. He was one of the first professionals I had contact with when I started with an emotional growth/therapeutic Boarding School in the middle 1980s, and over the years I've published several articles by and about him in my newsletter. Our interaction continued up to some contacts this last year as he celebrated the 30th year of Wilderness Treatment Center in Marion Montana two months ago. His sage advice and he himself will be missed. 208-267-5550

Newport Academy Opens In Connecticut: Newport Academy in Connecticut treats 10 males and 8 females in gender specific treatment environments. The program is currently accepting applications for admission. 866-382-6651

Jacobson Joins Center For Change: We are delighted to announce the addition of Kari Jacobson to the Business Development Team at Center for Change. Kari has extensive experience in admissions and business development for both the adolescent and young adult populations, and she has a passion for helping people in need. Kari will be representing the Center in Utah and surrounding states, as well as working with Educational Consultants across the country. 888-224-8250

Northwoods Celebrates 20 Year Anniversary: Greetings from Northwoods where we are proud to announce our 20 Year Anniversary. Northwoods started in the home of Dave and Meg Yeats in 1993 and has grown into a team of professionals who are dedicated to healing families and getting our young men back on the right track with greater self knowledge, awareness and direction. 208-659-3455

Gala Marks ANASAZI Foundation's 25th Anniversary: Nonprofit behavioral healthcare provider ANASAZI: Foundation celebrated 25 years of service during its Silver Anniversary weekend in November, 2013. Scheduled events included a November 15 gala hosted by 7-foot-4-inch NBA great Mark Eaton, with performances by Ryan Innes and Amy Whitcomb of NBC's The Voice, and a November 16 concert headlined by Nashville recording artists Due West. ANASAZI's Scholarship Gala is held annually to generate scholarship funds for financially challenged families with a son or daughter struggling with depression, suicidal ideation, substance abuse, or other behavioral and emotional concerns. 480-892-7403

Woodbury Reports Focuses On Social Media: Most of you are familiar with the most recent development in the Internet called the Social Media, which has dominated the Internet for the last couple of years. Woodbury Reports announced that although the anchor of information will continue to be the website Strugglingteens.com, a more prominent focus presses on to further spread information to the rest of the world. With this announcement, Lon Woodbury, founder, announces that he will continue to focus on ScoopIt, LinkedIn, Facebook, Twitter, Pinterest, the radio show on LA Talk Radio, Google +, and Amazon.com. For more information, contact Lon at 208-267-5550.

