# Clinic gives kids reason to smile

#### By Forrest Adams

Mercedes Gonzalez-Lanpher smiles a lot at the dentist, probably more than most of us, but the 5-year-old Chaska preschooler has good teeth, no cavities.

Her dental hygienist and dentist both gave thumbs up to Mercedes' oral hygiene last Friday at a "Give Kids a Smile" clinic hosted in Chanhassen.

The clinics are an annual centerpiece to National Children's Dental Health Month and provide dental care to kids whose parents wouldn't otherwise be able to afford it. Nine "Give Kids a Smile" clinics were hosted throughout Chanhassen, Chaska and Eden Prairie.

For the children and their parents, including Mercedes' mother, Kimmer, the free work is a blessing.

'This is the second year we've come to it," said Kimmer, a single mother who does not receive benefits through her employer. "We are very pleased this is offered. Even though we don't have insurance (health or dental), we're treated just the same as people who do.'

Not surprisingly, there is no

**BUSINESS NEWS** 

"Bachman's has just an-

nounced plans to introduce an

entirely new gift and home re-

tail area within its stores," ac-

cording to a news release. "On

March 20, 2010, Bachman's

Lyndale Avenue flagship store

and its Plymouth and Eden

Prairie locations will unveil

the new concept. Created in

partnership with renowned

author, vintage collector, flea

market aficionado and editor

of the new magazine 'Flea

Market Style,' Ki Nassauer,

the new Bachman's Gift and

Home area will feature vintage

finds, repurposed artifacts and

For more information, visit

Jeff Johnson recently

opened a mediation business,

Johnson Mediation, in Chan-

hassen. "Johnson is a state-

qualified rule 114 neutral

mediator, a parenting time ex-

peditor, parenting consultant,

parenting coach and an early

neutral evaluator with a bach-

eior's degree in psychology,

a divorce "and understands

the multi-faceted emotional

strain that couples and fami-

lies face.

Johnson has been through

For more information and

Pride Institute in Eden

Prairie has announced that

Bill Elwell received his li-

censed professional counselor

(LPC) certification from the

state of Minnesota. According

to a news release, "with this

LPC certification, Elwell will

be able to practice psychother-

apy independently at PRIDE,

the nation's first and leading

provider of inpatient and out-

patient programs designated

exclusively for members of

the lesbian, gay, bisexual,

transgender and questioning

tally ill/chemical dependency

counselor at First Step-Walker,

a counseling intern with Next

Step, he completed individual

and group counseling practi-

cum at St. Cloud State Univer-

sity and has taught at three

area high schools. He earned

his bachelor of science degree

in secondary education from

Bemidii State University. In

addition, he has earned two

master's degrees, a master

of education from St. Mary's

University of Minnesota and

a master of counseling psy-

chology from St. Cloud State

For more information,

please visit www.pridemedi-

Elwell has served as a men-

communities.'

a free one-hour consultation,

call 952-401-7599 or visit www.

Johnson-Mediation.com.

Elwell receives

counseling

certification

according to a news release.

artisan-made décor.

www.bachmans.com.

office opens in

Chanhassen

Mediation

Bachman's to

unveil Gift and

Home concept

## **Give Kids**

Local Dental offices participating in Give Kids a

- Smile Day included: ■ Chanhassen Family
- Great Plains Dental,
- Chanhassen ■ Metro Dentalcare,
- Valley Dental Care, Chaska
- Bruce Merry, DDS, Eden
- Prairie Dental Group, Eden
- Robert E. Derr, DDS, Eden
- Sidky Family Dentistry,
- Eden Prairie

Source: Minnesota Dental Association

tal care that's offered free of

But it's not free to the dentist. At one Chanhassen clinic participating in the program, more than \$20,000 of free dental work

cleanings and exams, 82 sealants, 46 fillings and 39 fluoride treatments.

'We filled up quickly," said Dr. Mike Leonard. "These are kids who have fallen through the cracks somehow. Their parents might be between jobs. They may be new to the country. They may not be able to afford dental care."

The program was open to all kids, from 2 to 18 years old. Referrals for the clinics came through schools, Love INC of Eastern Carver County, the United Way and word of mouth. United Way partnered with the Minnesota Dental Association to direct patients into the clinics. "Give Kids a Smile" is ob-

served every year on the first Friday in February.

Readers can contact Forrest Adams at fadams@swpub.



PHOTO BY FORREST ADAMS

Deb Johnson, a dental hygienist, examines Mercedes Gonzalez-Lanpher, 5, of Chaska, last Friday during the "Give Kids a Smile" clinic.

### **Public Notices**

CERTIFICATE OF ASSUMED Current Information of file:

1. Assumed Name: Heartwarmings 2. Date of Original Filing: 11/05/

3. Current Expiration Date: 11/05/

4. Business Address: 10308 Nottingham Trl, Eden Prairie,

5. Nameholder(s) and Address(es): Louella M Anderson, 10308

Nottingham Trl, Eden Prairie, MN 55347 Information you wish to change: Assumed Name: Princes Louella's Cookies 2. Date of Original Filing:

3. Current Expiration Date: 10 Year Extension
4. Business Address (must be a

full street address):

5. Nameholder(s) and Address(es): I certify that I am authorized to execute this renewal and I further certify that by signing this document, I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in section 609.48 as if I had signed this document under oath.

6. Signature of Nameholder: Louella M Anderson Date: 10/17/2009 7. Name and telephone number of

a contact person: Louella Anderson, (763) 370-0470 (Published in the Eden Prairie News on Thursday, February 4 and 11, 2010; No. 3916)

File Number:

STATE OF MINNESOTA SECRETARY OF STATE CERTIFICATE OF ASSUMED NAME Minnesota Statutes Chapter 333

Date Filed: September 9, 2009 The filing of an assumed name does not provide a user with exclusive rights to that name. The filing is required as a consumer protection, in order to enable consumers to be able to identify the true owner of a business.

1. State the exact assumed name under which the business is or will be conducted: BlueMarbleGym.com

2. State the address of the principal place of business. A complete street address or rural route and rural route box number is required; the address cannot be a P.O. Box: 6479 Hummingbird Lane, Eden Prairie, MN 55346

3. List the name and complete street address of all persons conducting business under the above Assumed Name, OR if an entity, provide the legal corporate, LLC, or Limited Partnership name and registered office address Attach additional sheet(s) if necessary: OmaNess, LLC – 6479 Hummingbird Lane, Eden Prairie, MN 55346

4. I certify that I am authorized to sign this certificate and I further certify that I understand that by signing this certificate, I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in Minnesota Statutes section 609.48 as if I had signed this certificate under oath.

Signature: Scott Burtness – Partner, OmaNess, LLC Scott Burtness - Contact Person 310-909-4255

Date: 09/02/2009 (Published in the Eden Prairie News on Thursday, February 4 and 11, 2010; No. 3917)

DOCUMENT 001115 ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Sealed bids in duplicate will be

received by

Eden Prairie Public Schools for the 2010 Pavement Rehabilitation Project until 2:00pm on March 11, 2010 at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bidders are invited to attend. Bids received after this time will be returned unopened.

Bids shall be upon form provided by the Owner. Envelopes containing bids must be sealed, marked "2010 Pavement Rehabilitation" with the name and address of the bidder, the name of the Project, and the date and hour of the opening. Bids shall be delivered

Ms. Bev Matheson Purchasing Coordinator Eden Prairie Public Schools 8100 School Road Eden Prairie, MN 55344

The complete form shall be without alterations, additions, or erasures. All bids shall be on a lump sum basis. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities in the bids.

Documents are on file and available inspection at Larson Engineering, Inc., 3524 Labore Road, White Bear Lake, MN 55110, MEDA Minority Contractors Plan Room, and the Builders Exchanges of

Minneapolis and St. Paul. Bidding Documents may be obtained at the office of Larson Engineering, Inc., attention Ann Skeie, upon payment of \$100.00 for each set. The deposit will be refunded if all documents are

ten days of the bid opening date. Each bidder shall include the bid security with the Bid Form as described in the Instructions to Bidders.

returned in good condition within

A mandatory pre-bid conference will be held at the Administrative Services Center, 8100 School Road on February 25, 2010 at 2:00 pm.

Eden Prairie Schools John Estell School Board Clerk

(Published in the Eden Prairie News on Thursday, February 11 and 18,

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS IMPROVEMENT CONTRACT 10-5762 BID REQUEST FOR 2010 STREET

SWEEPING BIDS CLOSE: 10:00 Thursday, February 25, 2010 Eden Prairie City Hall 8080 Mitchell Road

Eden Prairie, MN 55344 Telephone: 952-949-8330 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received. opened and read aloud at 10:00 a.m. Thursday, February 25, 2010, in the presence of the City Engineer or the designated representative at the City Hall, 8080 Mitchell Road, Eden Prairie, Minnesota for street sweeping approximately 210 miles of City streets. Bidders desiring a

copy of the Specifications and

Proposal Form may obtain them

from the office of the City Engineer. Each bid must be accompanied by a bid bond or certified check for at least five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid, made payable to the City of Eden Prairie, as liquidated damages if the Bidder, upon the letting of the Contract to him, shall fail to enter into the Contract so let. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the date and time set for opening of the bids.

Payment to the Bidder will be by check within 30 days after completion of the work.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive minor irregularities and informalities therein and further reserves the right to award the Contract in the best interest of the

All proposals must be addressed to: City of Eden Prairie, Engineering Division, 8080 Mitchell Road, Eden Prairie, MN 55344, and shall be endorsed thereon:

Bid for 2010 Street Sweeping (I.C. 10-5762) Bids Due: 10:00 a.m., Thursday,

February 25, 2010 Addendum No.(s) included

By Order of the City Council (Published in the Eden Prairie News on Thursday, February 11, 2010; No.

REQUEST FOR BIDS Bid Request for 2010 Rotunda Metal Roof Replacement at the City of Eden Prairie Water Treatment

Bids close: 10:00 Tuesday, March 2, 2010 Eden Prairie City Center 8080 Mitchell Road

Eden Prairie, MN 55344 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that sealed bids will be received. opened and read aloud at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, March 2, 2010 in the presence of the Utility Operations Manager or his designated representative at the City Center, 8080 Mitchell Road, Eden Prairie. Minnesota, for replacement of the Rotunda metal roof at the Water Treatment Plant, Work will include removal of the existing Rotunda metal roofing system installation of a metal roofing system.

Proposal Forms, Plans Specifications and information on Bid Security and Performance and Payment Bonds for use by contractors in submitting a bid may be obtained from Environmental Process, Inc., 715 Florida Avenue South, Suite 111, Golden Valley. Minnesota 55426-1700. A refundable deposit of \$100.00 per set is required. The deposit will be returned to all Contractors who return complete sets in good condition. Contract documents will be available February 11, 2010.

Each bid must be accompanied by a bid bond or certified check in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid, made payable to the City of Eden Prairie, as a guarantee that the Bidder will, if awarded the Contract, enter into a Contract in accordance with Cont. Documents and submitted bid.

A pre-bid conference will be conducted at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 16, 2010 at the City of Eden - Water Treatment Plant, 14100 Technology Drive, Eden Prairie, MN, 55344. NOTE: The City of Eden Prairie will be using "Best Value Alternative Bidding." Bidders are advised that points towards "best value" will be awarded for attendance of the pre-bid conference and will be used in the selection process of a contractor

for the project. The Best Value

criteria will be included in the Project Documents and discussed at the pre-bid conference. The City of Eden Prairie

Alternative Bidding point selection

reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive minor irregularities and informalities therein and further reserves the right to award the contract in the best interest of the City.

All sealed bids must be addressed to: Utilities Division, City of Eden Prairie, 8080 Mitchell Road, Eden Prairie, MN 55344, and shall be endorsed thereon: Bid for 2010 Rotunda Metal Roof

Replacement Bids Due: 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, March 2, 2010 Addendum

included (Published in the Eden Prairie News on Thursday, February 11 and 18, 2010; No. 3921)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PLANNING COMMISSION Monday, February 22, 2010 7:00 PM City Center - 8080 Mitchell Road

Eden Prairie, MN 55344 <u>Project:</u> Alteration Permit – Hennepin Village Site B

9735 **Location:** Prairie Road

Applicant: Pemtom Land NOTICE: Residents of Eden Prairie are invited to attend a public

hearing relating to a request from Pemtom Land Company for a Land Alteration Permit. The meeting is televised live on cable channel 16 and rebroadcast on Mondays at 7:00 pm and Saturdays at 1:00 pm. QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS:

If you wish to see plans before the meeting, please stop by City Hall between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. If you wish to speak with someone about the proposed project, please contact Mary Krause at 952-949-8315. Written comments submitted to the Engineering Division by 12:00 p.m. on the Friday prior to the meeting date will be distributed in the Planning Commission packet. (Published in the Eden Prairie News

on Thursday, February 11, 2010; No.

PLANNING COMMISSION Monday February 22, 2010- 7:00 PM City Center - 8080 Mitchell Road

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Eden Prairie, MN 55344 <u>Variance:</u> 2009-14 9735 Location:

Applicant: Pemtom NOTICE: Residents of Eden Prairie are invited to attend a public hearing about a variance being requested at the above location. The meeting is televised live on cable channel 16 and rebroadcast on Mondays at 7:00 p.m. and Saturdays at 1:00 p.m. The applicant is requesting the following actions by

A variance from Section 11.55 Subd. 4 (D) that requires replacement trees to be planted within 18 months from the date of

the City:

issuance of a land alteration permit. QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS: If you wish to see plans before the meeting, please stop by City Hall between 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. If you want to talk to someone about the proposed project, please contact, Michael Franzen at 952-949-8487. Copies of any written comments submitted to the Community Development Department by 12:00 p.m. on the Friday prior to the meeting date will be distributed in the Commission packets (Published in the Eden Prairie News

on Thursday, February 11, 2010; No.

CITY OF EDEN PRAIRIE HENNEPIN COUNTY, MINNESOTA WAL-MART SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 4-2010 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY

OF EDEN PRAIRIE, MINNESOTA, AMENDING THE ZONING OF CERTAIN LAND WITHIN ONE DISTRICT, AND ADOPTING BY REFERENCE CITY CODE CHAPTER 1 AND SECTION 11.99, WHICH, AMONG

OTHER THINGS, CONTAIN PENALTY PROVISIONS THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EDEN PRAIRIE, MINNESOTA, ORDAINS:

Summary: This ordinance allows amendment of the zoning of land located at 12195 Singletree Lane within the Commercial Regional Service Zoning District. Exhibit A, included with this Ordinance, gives the full legal description of this

Effective Date: This Ordinance shall take effect upon publication. Phil Young, Mayor ATTEST: Kathleen Porta, City

(A full copy of the text of this Ordinance is available from City

(Published in the Eden Prairie News

on Thursday, February 11, 2010; No.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING 2010 CITY OF EDEN PRAIRIE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM

Notice is hereby given that the City of Eden Prairie, pursuant to Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, is holding a public hearing on March 9, at 7:00 p.m. in the Eden Prairie City Council Chambers, 8080 Mitchell Road, Eden Prairie, Minnesota, for the purpose

The public hearing is on the housing and community development needs of the city and the City's proposed use of the 2010 Community Development Block Grant Program planning allocation of \$260,000.00. See the list below for information on the proposed use of 2010 funds.

The Eden Prairie City Council will act on the proposed allocation of funds at its March 9, 2010 meeting. The City of Eden Prairie is

proposing to undertake the following activities with 2010 CDBG funds on or about July 1, 2010. ACTIVITIES PROP Emergency BUDGET Housing Assistance YMCA Child \$ 25,000.00 Care Program (Subsidy) \$ 12,000.00 Household & Outside Maintenance for Elderly (HOME) \$ 8,000.00

Homeline Tenant's Advocacy \$ 5,000.00 Housing

Rehabilitation Deferred Loan \$131,400.00 Program Affordable Housing

Fair Housing \$ 2,600.00 Initiative Program Administration \$ 26,000.00 Total \$260,000.00

It is anticipated that the Housing Rehabilitation Program and the CDBG Loan Program for Affordable Rental Units will generate program income during 2010. Any program income received will be used to cover expenses generated in an existing CDBG Program or activity and not just expenses related to the activity generating the income, as authorized by the City Council.

For additional information on the proposed activities, level of funding, program objectives and performance, contact the City of Eden Prairie at 952-949-8439 . This material can be provided

to you in different forms on request, such as large print, if you call 952-949-8300 (voice) or 952-949-8399 The public hearing is being held

pursuant of MS 471.59 (Published in the Eden Prairie News on Thursday, February 11, 2010; No.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PLANNING COMMISSION Monday, February 22, 2010-7:00 PM

City Center - 8080 Mitchell Road Eden Prairie, MN 55344 Variance: 2009-13 V<u>ariance:</u> 6385 Beach Location:

Road Sabis Applicant: Educational System, Inc

NOTICE: Residents of Eden Prairie are invited to attend a public hearing about a variance being requested at the above location. The meeting is televised live on cable channel 16 and rebroadcast on Mondays at 7:00 p.m. and Saturdays at 1:00 p.m. The applicant is requesting the following actions by

the City:
To permit a wetland buffer strip width less than 10 feet and structure setback of less than 15 feet.

QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS If you wish to see plans before the meeting, please stop by City Hall between 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. If you want to talk to someone about the proposed project, please contact, Leslie Stovring at 952-949-8327 Copies of any written comments submitted to the Community Development Department by 12:00 p.m. on the Friday prior to the meeting date will be distributed in the Commission packets.

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The Public Notice

deadline for the Eden **Prairie News** is at 4 p.m. Thursday, for the following week's issue.

> Faxes are not accepted.

### **Pride Institute** announces promotions

University.

apsi.com.

Pride Institute has promoted Jeff Styer to chief rant.com. operating officer, a newly established position at the

# a Smile

Dentistry, Chanhassen

Chanhassen

Prairie ■ Merry Dental Care Center,

Eden Prairie

Prairie

shortage of demand for dencharge to the patients.

was provided, including 46

nation's first provider of inpatient and outpatient programs exclusively for the lesbian, gay, bisexual,

communities, according to a news release Styer will be responsible for leading the business office and admissions team. He previously led both departments during his tenure at the institute. In addition to overseeing these departments, Styer will be handling vendor con-

tracting and directing IT and

transgender and questioning

phone activities. Styer has been with PRIDE since 2006. The institute also promoted Justin Scharr to admissions supervisor. Scharr came to Pride about three months ago as an admissions counselor with a background including experience in addiction and mental health issues. 'Through various sales, marketing and advertising roles, he has exhibited high-quality customer service, dedication and a strong understanding of the admissions role and leadership qualities required to assist incoming PRIDE patients in a timely and respectful manner," according

to a news release. For more information, visit

#### Park Nicollet physicians get flu

A news release from the Minnesota Academy of Family Physicians congratulated Park Nicollet Clinic - Prairie Center in Eden Prairie for achieving a 100-percent vaccination rate

the middle of November. "The flu vaccination challenge was developed in an effort to advocate for universal vaccination of healthcare workers against seasonal influenza through a 'lead by example' program," the release

# Wildfire offers

Day, Wildfire will be offering a Three Course Dinner Menu for two priced at \$70 for two people, not including beverages, tax and gratuity from Friday, Feb. 12, through Sun-

day, Feb. 14. rie restaurant has planned a Tuesday, Feb. 23. Executive Chef Tom Gladbach creates a completely gluten free menu, including an assortment of gluten free pizzas, seared ahi of beef. Amy Leger, owner of thesavvyceliac.com and mother of a celiac daughter since 2000, will serve as guest speaker. Cost is \$45 per person, plus tax and gratuity. Receplowed by dinner at 7 p.m. For more information or to make a reservation, contact Cara St. John at 952-914-9100

Wildfire is celebrating Restaurant Week Feb. 28 to March 5 with a three-course, prix-fixe dinner menu that includes a starter, main course and dessert for \$30 per person. This does not include beverages, tax and gratuity.

# www.pridemediapsi.com.

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special events In honor of Valentine's

In addition the Eden Prai-Gluten Free Wine Dinner for tuna and carved tenderloin tion begins at 6:30 p.m. fol-

Wildfire is at 3020 Eden Prai-

rie Center. For more informa-

tion or to make reservations,

call Wildfire at 952-914-9100 or

visit www.wildfirererestau-

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