



THE DAILY SMILE

Welcome to the Fall/Winter 2010 edition of **The Daily Smile**. Important health information is only a click away!! When you log-on to www.massasoitdental.com you will have the most recent and up-to-date services and dental information at your fingertips. Welcome back to your local and internet wide seasonal newsletter from Massasoit Dental Associates, **The Daily Smile**...

What's New?

Dr. Ariel Bales-Kogan, our orthodontist, has moved his schedule to Thursdays. Please refer to your appointment cards and adjust accordingly. Orthodontic consults are no charge, call the office for an evaluation for braces today!

We are delighted to announce two new additions to our team. Please welcome Jocelyn and Meghan to our staff. Jocelyn is the newest addition to our outstanding dental hygiene department and Meghan joins Dr. Black and Dr. Blatz as an assistant. They are both intelligent, personable and hardworking.

Follow us on FACEBOOK

So exciting! Friend us on **Facebook!** Let us know how things are going, ask us general dental or dental hygiene questions, post pictures or just be a fan! Show us the Smiles of Champions!

Fluoride treatments are a recommended benefit for all ages. Your dental hygienist or dentist may offer this service in order to be proactive in the absence of decay or as a regular treatment due to active decay or to prevent sensitivity in patients with periodontal disease. Ask about your fluoride treatment now!

Trick or Treat

What time is it when you have to go to the dentist? Tooth hurty! Imagine not being able to eat, sleep or play because of unbearable pain from untreated dental disease. There are millions of children in this country that experience this every day. Trick or Treat for **America's Tooth Fairy** is a program that benefits the National Children's Oral Health Foundation (NCOHF), an

organization that donates to nonprofit children's dental health centers to prevent the #1 chronic childhood disease: **pediatric dental disease**. Team Massasoit is looking for your support to ensure all children receive the chance for a healthy smile and brighter future. Donate at the front desk or in the hygiene room. 100% of contributions go to children's oral health programs.

Hungry Holidays Hamper

Here at The Daily Smile we want to help make your holidays a little more meaningful. So, we are inviting you to participate in another fundraising event - Our Hungry Holidays Challenge. Starting in October (just in time for Halloween) and continuing through the end of the year, you may drop off your non-perishables, gift certificates, hats, mittens, etc. to our waiting room/front desk area. Get ready to clean out those cupboards or shop for a cause. Have fun donating to our Hungry Holidays Hamper. These items will be distributed to local Brockton area shelters and food pantries, as well as global need. Help give a *smile* today!

Friendly Reminders

Commonwealth Care patients insurance coverage is limited to cleanings, exams, x-rays, emergency visits and extractions as of July 1, 2010.

Referral coupons are still valid through the end of the year. Receive a \$50.00 credit on your account for referring a new patient(s), who will receive 50% off a new patient exam, cleaning and x-rays.

Consider your appointment card your confirmation. Phone calls and postcards are a courtesy. We look forward to seeing you as we have reserved this time especially for you - please be respectful of others. Thank you!

Family and friends always welcome. Thank you for your referrals.