

Appalachian Life Quality Initiative

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**Scott County
Dental Clinic**

**Ronald King, DMD
423-663-8200**



--The Scott County Dental Clinic welcomes Dr. Ronald King whose first day in the Huntsville, TN clinic was on February 4, 2008. Working with Dr. King will be (l-r) Jessica Byrd, Janet Gibson, Angie Fancher, and not pictured, Ashley Rushing. Dr. King has extensive knowledge in working with children and the TennCare system. If you know of a child needing dental care, please give the parent the number listed to the left.

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CHAMP/DATA Programs: Dr. Tony Hemmelgarn and Jimmie Foster -- FYI

The 2004 data collection show there were 88 children in our schools with severe dental problems (abscess, pain, etc. -- Classified as a #1)
In 2005, 16 of those children still had not received dental help.
For these 16 children, absenteeism INCREASED 6.5 days
For the 72 children who did receive dental care, absenteeism DECREASED approximately 1 day over data from previous year.
This is about a 7 ½ day absenteeism swing.

--The CHAMP program began in late 2004 to work with the dental screenings in the schools. The program has improved each year—especially this year with the help of the Student Health Coordinators in both the school systems. (Rick Harper, Oneida Schools; Stacie Wright, Scott County Schools). The focus of this program is to prevent our children from needlessly suffering from a medical problem—especially dental..



**George Johnson
CFO
423-286-9500**

--These are the guitars....can you play one? We are looking for someone to volunteer 30 minutes one day a week. You do not have to be Chet Adkins.....just have his desire to share with others.

--The B&G Club serves children from all over Scott County: (By zip code)
Helenwood: 51 – 16% Oneida: 139 – 45% Pioneer: 10 – 3% No zip code:
Huntsville: 46 – 15% Robbins: 13 – 4% Winfield: 37- 12% 15 – 5%



**CHILDREN'S
CENTER
Tammy Foster
423-569-8900**

The Children's Center and Scott County Women's Shelter will sponsor the Nancy Swain Watters Memorial Walk, Friday, April 18, 2008, beginning at Oneida City Hall and ending at Plateau Electric (4 miles). Registration forms will be in the newspapers, or call 569-8900. You may also register at 8:00-9:00 am on the day of the walk. A pizza party will celebrate the end of the Walk.

**IMAGINATION
LIBRARY
569-2677**

February Sponsor:
(Cost is \$2,000 per month
Would you like to be a sponsor?)



**MISSION OF
HOPE**



--Mattresses were given away on Monday, January 21 with 75 families participating. This is the second time we have been the recipient of such a load from the Mission of Hope. While some people may frown on used mattresses, these help a lot of people. As one lady staying at the Women's Shelter said, "It beats sleeping on the floor." Please open your heart and help others with your donations. ALQI 569-2677

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