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<p>Life Quality Initiative (ALQI) DIRECTORS:</p> <p>Steve Phillips, Chairman</p> <p>Dwight Murphy, Vice Chairman</p> <p>Lori Jones, Secretary</p> <p>Jack E. Lay, Treasurer</p>	 <p>Dental Clinic-- CHAMP</p>	<p>--Kathy West has completed the dental screenings for one of our schools and there were no #1's (indicating abscess or infection requiring immediate attention). This is the first time in 6 years we have had NO #1's in any of our 11 schools we screen. Congratulations parents! You are getting the kids to the dentist! Thank you teachers for your assistance!</p>
<p>Mike Baker, Director</p>	 <p>Boys & Girls Club 423-286-9500 Rhonda Wright CPO</p>	<p>-It is SIGN UP TIME for the youth basketball teams. Last year we had 550 kids sign up with 50 of them being cheerleaders! What a great season it was! Don't let your kids miss out on this excellent physical activity and team learning experience. There is no charge!!! Call 286-9500 TODAY!</p> <p>--Watch for the announcement for the Hall of Fame: Date and Speaker to be announced soon. Be sure and plan to attend this annual event and help support the Boys & Girls Club.</p> <p>--The daily attendance of the Club is averaging 50-60 per day above this time last year.</p> <p>--The facility is open at 8:00 am and if you have a walking program being interrupted by bad weather—try the gym. Walking the gym is free, but donations to the Club are appreciated.</p>
<p>Rick Keeton, Director</p>	<p>IMAGINATION LIBRARY</p> 	<p><i>First Trust and Savings Bank - sponsor for September, 2010</i></p> <p>--While you may not be thinking of Christmas, the Mission of Hope is already hard at work gathering toys. Each child in our county schools will be able to personally pick two toys for him/herself and even something to take home to a younger sibling. MOH works behind the scene and also brings clothing and food to those in dire need.</p>
<p>ADMIN. Terrie Cross, Executive Director</p>	<p>Children's Center of the Cumberlands</p>	<p>-- 17 Nursing Students at Tennessee Technology Center recently toured the Children's Center where they learned of all the services offered to children and families. Please call and schedule a tour for your group at 423-569-8900.</p>
<p>Mary Watson, Administrative Assistant</p> <p>Kathy West, CHAMP</p>	<p>SALVATION ARMY and MORGAN-SCOTT</p>	<p>--The Salvation Army is looking for someone to manage the Bell Ringing program which runs from Thanksgiving to New Years. If you feel you want to do this, call Clara Terry 569-8347</p> <p>--Our thanks to Helenwood Baptist Church and New Haven Baptist Church for supporting our voucher program that assists families with past due utility bills.</p> <p>--You haven't read about it in the papers or seen in on TV or heard it on the radio – but Ella Smith, Director of Morgan-Scott Project has been as busy this summer as she could possibly be. While she and the visiting mission teams have completed several projects, Ella took on 2 major jobs—one of which she continues to work on. What does she do? She finds the neediest people in our county and then takes care of the problem. It may be getting water connected to a home; cleaning out a trailer that only had a path through it and completely replacing kitchens and living rooms with furniture and appliances; painting inside and out; laying linoleum; providing garden plants and supplies; and the list goes on! <i>Partially because of health problems, an annual income of \$10,000, and poor education, one home was in a deplorable condition and a 12 year old girl was about to be removed from the home. Ella stepped in with her volunteers and made her magic happen. Now the mother is receiving counseling so that the same habits do not return.</i> Thanks Ella, for a job well done. Glad to see you didn't take retirement seriously!</p>
<p>Programs</p> <p>Dental Clinic CHAMP</p> <p>Children's Center Telemedicine STAND</p> <p>Boys & Girls Club</p> <p>Imagination Library</p> <p>Salvation Army Women's Shelter RAM</p> <p>Mission of Hope</p> <p>Data Collection</p> <p>Second Harvest</p> <p>Academic Fund</p> <p>Morgan-Scott</p> <p>Free Shoe Fence</p> <p>Operation Sharing – Tennessee</p> <p>Disney – Give a Day</p> <p>Terrie Cross Editor</p> <p>alqi@highland.net</p> <p>www.alqi.org</p>	<p>OPERATION SHARING TENNESSEE (OST)</p> <p>423-286-3300 Robert Smith Manager</p> <p>Rsmith@chrisapp.org</p>	<p>-OST is at the beginning of its fiscal year and Bob Smith has cleared the entire inventory of the warehouse and is presently re-signing members. Bob would like to answer a commonly asked question: What is the cost? There is no charge for anything OST distributes. There are no weekly, monthly, or annual fees. Donations are made by corporations, manufacturers, and others. OST's job is to get it out to where it is needed—free of charge. Donated items are given to about 230 organizations monthly by appointment only.</p> <p>--When new inventory is received you may check the website where the listing of products is updated each Thursday. Go to: http://www.alqi.org/ and click on the bottom blue tab on the left that says "OST Inventory".</p> <p>--If you are a member and received a survey, please complete and return it to us. (Thanks!)</p>
	<p>ALQI</p>	<p>--In August we had 4 grants approved by the Church of the Latter Day Saints, Knoxville TN. We were able to pick up a truck load of food and deliver to: Winfield School, Oneida Schools Resource Center, Boys & Girls Club, and ALQI/Salvation Army. We are finding more and more people asking for assistance with food when they come in for utility vouchers. We have a small supply of food available in the ALQI offices.</p>