

Tooth Talk

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Halloween Candy Buy Back a Sweet Success

This year, we hosted our 2nd Annual Halloween Candy Buy Back in conjunction with Operation Gratitude in Van Nuys, California. The program allows us to collect candy from children and give them the opportunity to write letters and draw pictures for military soldiers.

Last year, we sent over 150 pounds of candy to the National Guard group, who distributed it to the service men and women stationed overseas.

This year, we collected and shipped 180 pounds of candy and received 40 letters and pictures to send to the soldiers!

Children who donated their candy received \$1 per pound of candy and a goody bag filled with a toothbrush, toothpaste, and coupons for local retailers.

We had several raffle drawings and games for the children to play as well. This year's winners were: Jacob B., Josh H., and Gabby H.

We would like to thank the following sponsors for their generous donations to this year's event:

Baskin Robbins
Blondie's Cookies
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Ella's Frozen Yogurt
Girl Scouts of Central Indiana
Incredible Pizza Company
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McDonald's
Monkey Joe's
Orange Leaf
Orchard Golf Center
Otte Golf and Family Fun Center
Rascal's Fun Zone
Royal Pin Leisure Centers
Steak 'n Shake
Wetzel's Pretzels



We collected 180 pounds of candy for the troops this year!

Make sure to mark your calendars for the 3rd Annual Jansen Family Dentistry Halloween Candy Buy Back on November 1, 2014!

Dr. Jansen Inducted into International College of Dentists

Dr. Paul Jansen was inducted as a Fellow of the International College of Dentists at its 84th Annual Convocation in New Orleans on November 1, 2013.

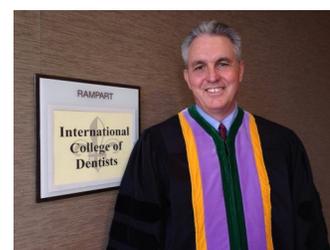
The International College of Dentists is an honorary organization for

the recognition of outstanding and meritorious service to the profession and community.

In a cap and gown ceremony, 300 dentists from the United States were inducted into the College this year, including only 5 from the

state of Indiana.

Congratulations again to Dr. Jansen for receiving this prestigious honor!



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Upcoming Events:

- Current: Debut Issue of Tooth Talk
- February: Children's Coloring Contest
- February 25: Dr. John's Birthday

Invisalign now offered at Jansen Family Dentistry

Invisalign® takes a modern approach to straightening teeth, using a custom-made series of aligners created for you and only you. These aligner trays are made of smooth, comfortable and virtually invisible plastic that you wear over your teeth. Wearing the aligners will gradually and gently shift your teeth into place, based on the exact movements that we plan out for you. There are no metal brackets to attach and no wires to tighten. You just pop in a new set of aligners approximately every two weeks, until your treatment

is complete. You'll achieve a great smile with little interference in your daily life. The best part about the whole process is that most people won't even know you're straightening your teeth.

Call today to schedule your appointment to see if you're a candidate for Invisalign!



Aligners are made of a smooth, comfortable, BPA-free plastic that won't irritate your cheeks and gums.

Just Launched: Newly Redesigned Website at www.jansendds.com

Technology is always evolving, thus, it was time to do the same with our website. Jansen Family Dentistry is extremely proud to announce the launch of our newly redesigned website at www.jansendds.com.

We have partnered with Sesame Communications to improve the overall look, navigation, and topics covered on the site. There are over 30 common procedures discussed. There is also a "Before and After" section with some photos of some of our work on actual patients.

The site now has a new Patient Portal system that allows you to view your financial statement, request and confirm appointments, leave us feedback, and refer friends and family members. Another useful feature includes the ability to look up the amount left on flex spending accounts.

Traci and Dr. John have searched the best way to improve the patient experience and provide a new way to educate patients electronically; www.jansendds.com does both very well.

Check out the Brand New "Before and After" section of the website to see examples of what we can do for you!

Win Our "Cozy Up with Cash" Raffle

We feel that it is an honor to treat you here at Jansen Family Dentistry and strive to provide the best possible care everyday. The ultimate compliment you can give us is to trust us enough to send your friends and family to see us.

We like to give back to patients who refer their friends and family to us by having a quarterly drawing for those who refer new patients to our office.



This quarter, the drawing is for a gift basket containing items to warm you up inside and out including an embroidered fuzzy blanket, cozy socks, a snowberry candle, hot chocolate, and \$200 in cash.

For each person you refer to us, you will receive one entry into the drawing. The last day to be entered into the drawing is December 23, 2013. The winner will be chosen by random selection the first week of January 2014.

Our Cozy Cash Bundle can be YOURS!

Dr. Paul Jansen Gets Married

We are excited to announce that Dr. Paul Jansen got married this fall! On November 30, Dr. Jansen exchanged vows with Barbara Millis. Barb is an RN originally from Columbus, IN. She has previously worked at Methodist Hospital and Columbus Regional Hospital on the MedSurg unit.

The couple first met in the fall of 2010, when they went to a Rascal Flatts concert on their first date together.

The couple enjoyed a weeklong honeymoon in Marathon Key, FL.

We would like to extend warm congratulations to our newlyweds — here's to many years of happiness together!



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Is it a Boy or Girl?

Big congratulations go out to Dr. Jansen's youngest daughter, Julie, and her husband Aaron, who are expecting their first child -- a baby BOY -- due on March 28! The little guy will be Dr. Jansen's third grandchild. (And Dr. John will be a first-time uncle!) We are looking forward to the addition to the family!



Pictured at left: Dr. Jansen's daughter, Julie, sporting the baby bump, a.k.a. gummy bear!

February is National Children's Dental Health Month

Each February, the American Dental Association (ADA) sponsors National Children's Dental Health Month to raise awareness about the importance of oral health in children. NCDHM promotions have reached millions of people in communities across the country.

Developing good habits at an early age and scheduling regular dental visits helps children

get a good start on a lifetime of healthy teeth and gums.

Last year, we participated in multiple educational presentations at elementary schools, sponsored a coloring contest, and created a bulletin board for the local library. This year, we will again be speaking at schools and sponsoring a coloring contest. Any child 12 and under is welcome to participate!



Starting in February, you can download and print the coloring page from our website or Facebook page, or pick one up in our office!

New Faces Around the Office

This past year we have made several changes here at Jansen Family Dentistry. These changes range from the revamped website, to new equipment in our treatment rooms, to new faces around the office. Creating a dental team that functions well together can be a challenge. However, we are happy to announce that two new people have joined our practice.

Our dental team now includes two new dental hygienists: Samantha West, LDH and Shelby Vaughan, LDH. Samantha and Shelby are 2013 graduates of the Indiana University South Bend dental hygiene program. Both ladies have their Bachelor of Science in Dental Hygiene.

If you haven't met them yet, don't worry --you probably will at your next cleaning appointment. Shelby and Samantha will be cleaning your teeth, taking your x-rays, and applying your fluoride.

Shelby and Samantha did not just recently become acquainted. In fact, they met at orientation for their program at IU South Bend. They were roommates at school and Samantha was in Shelby's wedding this past August.

We are very happy and proud to have them be a part of our dental team!



Welcome to Shelby (left) and Samantha (right)



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It is our ultimate goal to provide the highest quality comprehensive patient care in a comfortable, supportive, and relaxing setting. We are committed to work with you to achieve the perfect smile. We offer the latest treatment options to fit everyone's cosmetic and family dentistry needs.

We are always welcoming new patients to our office and consider it a great compliment when you refer your friends and family to us.

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