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**BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT:  
DR. PATRICE LEE-SEYON, D.C.  
TOLEDO SPINE & REHAB**

Have you injured your back getting your children out of the car? Did you lift something the wrong way at work? If you answered yes to either of these questions, we know someone who can help you, Dr. Patrice Lee-Seyon!

Dr. Lee-Seyon has been practicing chiropractic for five years now in the Toledo area. She grew up in Trinidad, located off the coast of Venezuela. She attended the University of Toronto, and then continued her education at New York Chiropractic College.

About a year before her graduation from New York Chiropractic College she started to apply for jobs. She applied for positions in bigger cities, as well as smaller cities, and landed a position here in Toledo. She felt that it was a great offer, and had lots of potential.

"I have known Dr. Lee-Seyon for the last five years, and my clients rave at the quality of her care" said Charles E. Boyk.

Mr. Boyk said "Dr. Lee-Seyon is extremely professional and dedicated to her patient's individual needs".

Dr. Lee-Seyon states "the purpose of chiropractic care is to make sure all the joints are functioning and to help the body heal (if you were injured in an accident, or at work, etc.)."

Some of Dr. Lee-Seyon's hobbies include working out, cooking and trying new recipes. Check out her fabulous recipe for mock garlic mashed potatoes in our recipe section!

Dr. Lee-Seyon is located at Toledo Spine and Rehab, which is located at 3130 W. Central Avenue, Suite 23, Toledo, OH 43606, (419) 531-3698.



Dr. Patrice Lee-Seyon D.C.

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**CASES OF INTEREST: MAY 2011**

**SEXUAL HARASSMENT**

**Sexual Harassment in the Work Place**

The number of sexual harassment cases in the workplace is becoming more of a problem in the recent years. Our client was sexually harassed for 6-8 months at her place of employment. Witnesses have provided a statements saying that they saw the inappropriate actions occur. She was forced to resign because of the hostile work environment.

**LIFE INSURANCE**

**Fighting Over Life Insurance**

No one likes to dwell on the prospect of his or her own death. But if you postpone for your demise until it is too late, you run the risk that your intended beneficiaries – those you love the most – may not receive what you would want them to receive whether due to extra administration costs, unnecessary taxes or squabbling among your heirs.

This is why estate planning is so important, no matter how small your estate may be. It allows you, while you are still living, to ensure that your property will go to the people you want, in the way you want, and when you want.

Our office was just retained because their parent was taken advantage of by another family member and now they are burdened with litigation as to who was the intended beneficiary of her life insurance policy. Had all of her estate planning documents been prepared well in advance, this could have been avoided. Our office is equipped with the preparation of your estate planning documents. Please feel free to contact our office to schedule a consultation.

**AUTO ACCIDENT**

**Bodily Damage Needs Therapy**

46-year-old man suffered multiple injuries when a vehicle pulled out in front of him on Navarre Avenue. After being rushed to the emergency room by EMS, he was found to have a shoulder dislocation, and a lumbar spine sprain. He needed additional treatment with physical therapy and orthopedic surgeon.



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We appreciate your referrals of family and friends to our office. Thank you for remembering us.

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# CHARLES E. BOYK LAW OFFICES HONORS AL McEWEN AS GOOD NEWS, GOOD PEOPLE WINNER

Al McEwen was recently chosen as the latest winner in the "Good News, Good People" Contest. Good News, Good People is a year-long program, sponsored by Charles E. Boyk Law Offices, that honors ordinary citizens who make an impact in their community.



Al McEwen, Good News Good People Winner

Nominated by his grandson Matthew, Al was chosen because he has given well over 30 gallons of blood in his lifetime. In addition, Al frequently drives to Ann Arbor, Michigan, to

pick up eye tissue for local Northwest Ohio eye surgeons.

Al started his lifelong commitment to service and volunteerism when he was stationed overseas in World War II. He was the only member of his outfit that didn't contract malaria. He feels the reason that he didn't contract malaria is because he faithfully took the anti-malaria pills that he was given by the government. It was because of this that he decided that he would always give blood as a way of saying "thank you."

According to Al, being an active part of the civic community just comes "naturally." When he started his career at the Sun Oil Refinery he was in charge of the Blood Drives, was elected President of the Sun Recreation Center and served as secretary of his bowling league. He kept up his blood donations over the years, as a way give back to the community and country that has given so much to him. Over 90-years "young," Al feels that doing things for others is a

way to keep active. He was surprised to win the award because he felt like he was just "Being Al" and not doing anything special.

"Giving Blood is easy. It takes less than a half-hour to give a pint," he said. "Plus there's juice and cookies at the end!"

When we interviewed Al, we found out even more about his volunteerism. He was one of Maumee, Ohio's first Citizens of the Year and for many years, Al coached baseball for the Maumee Little League and prided himself in the fact that every single child got a chance to play. Al served on many of the committees that made his community grow and he prides himself in the fact that he was a "voice of the citizens."

In addition, he is still an active member for the committee that sends two boys to Buckeye Boys State each year. Because he is such a strong believer in Buckeye Boys State program, Al and his wife Marge take the time to travel to the Buckeye Boys State



headquarters in Bowling Green, Ohio each year to watch the youth learn civics.

"Al is a true hero in my book," said Charles E. Boyk. "His commitment to the community is something to be celebrated and we are honored to give him the Good News, Good People award."

Al was given a \$100 gift card for his efforts, which he will use for gas money when he makes his trips to Ann Arbor.



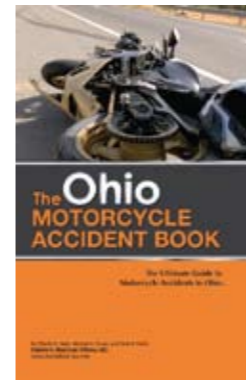
**NOMINATIONS NOW  
BEING ACCEPTED, VISIT  
goodnewsgoodpeople.com  
TODAY!**

## ABOUT "GOOD NEWS, GOOD PEOPLE"

The "Good News, Good People" contest is a year-long program sponsored by Charles E. Boyk Law Offices. Here's how it works:

- If you know someone who goes above and beyond to better their community, nominate them to win.
- Nominate anyone who has a great story to tell—the volunteer at the local food shelter who puts in more time than anyone else, the teacher who stays late to help students with homework, the child who donated his or her allowance money to charity or anyone else who makes Northwest Ohio a better place to live.
- On the first and third Monday of every month, the Charles E. Boyk Law Offices will announce one person as the newest winner and we will share their story with the community.
- Each winner will receive a prize pack valued at over \$100 that is tailored to the person's story and interests. The winner will also receive a certificate commemorating their win.
- Nominators will be entered into a drawing for a "feel-good" prize of their own.
- Visit [www.goodnewsgoodpeople.com](http://www.goodnewsgoodpeople.com) to download a nomination form and to read the stories of past winners.

## MOTORCYCLE AWARENESS: THE OHIO MOTORCYCLE ACCIDENT BOOK



If you have been injured in an Ohio motorcycle accident, you need information. We wrote The Ohio Motorcycle Accident Book to help teach the secrets insurance companies don't want you to know.

Learn the important steps you should take after an Ohio motorcycle

accident, and how to maximize your recovery.

This book will help you answer the following questions:

- How will I pay for my medical bills?
- Will I get fairly compensated for the pain I have experienced?
- Should I talk to the other driver's insurance adjuster?
- How long will my case take?
- What will an attorney do for me?

For your FREE copy of this informative book, please contact our office at 800-637-8170 or go to [www.ohiomotorcycleaccidentblog.com](http://www.ohiomotorcycleaccidentblog.com) to order your copy today!

## "HOUSTON, WE HAVE NO PROBLEMS!"

In late March, Chuck's oldest son Jacob attended Space Camp, in Huntsville, Alabama. The trip was a part of a three-day field trip for fifth and sixth graders at Maumee Valley Country Day School.

As soon as he "touched down" at camp, Jacob became immersed in his astronaut training and was outfitted with his very own official space suit.

During his once in a lifetime experience, Jacob got to participate in:

- Lifting off at 4 Gs and experiencing weightlessness on the Space Shot TM simulator
- Learning the real Moon Walk using the 1/6 Gravity Chair simulator
- Building his own rocket and launching it towards space from the Rocket Launch facility
- Tumbling and spinning in the Multi-Axis
- Trainer just like the Mercury Astronauts
- Experiencing a world without friction in the MMU Simulator-Manned Maneuvering Unit



## DR. LEE-SEYON'S FAMOUS MOCK GARLIC MASHED POTATOES

### Ingredients

- 1 medium head cauliflower
- 1 tablespoon cream cheese, softened
- 1/4 cup grated Parmesan
- 1/2 teaspoon minced garlic
- 1/8 teaspoon straight chicken base or bullion (may substitute 1/2 teaspoon salt)
- 1/8 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 1/2 teaspoon chopped fresh or dry chives, garnish
- 3 tablespoons unsalted butter

### Directions

Set a stockpot of water to boil over high heat. Clean and cut cauliflower into small pieces. Cook in boiling water for about 6 minutes, or until well done. Drain well; do not let cool and pat cooked cauliflower very dry between several layers of paper towels.

In a bowl with an immersion blender, or in a food processor, puree the hot cauliflower with the cream cheese, Parmesan, garlic, chicken base, and pepper until almost smooth. Garnish with chives, and serve hot with pats of butter.

*Hint: Try roasting the garlic and adding a little fresh rosemary for a whole new taste.*

## WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU – RESPOND TO WIN TICKETS TO A MUD HENS GAME!

The Boyk Bulletin is intended to be informative as well as entertaining. Are there any stories that you want to see featured inside? Have you ever wondered about a specific area of the law and want Chuck to explain it to you? If so, we want to know, as now's your chance to determine the content of an upcoming newsletter! Moreover, just by sending us your suggestion, you'll be entered into a drawing to win a set of Mud Hen's tickets.

All you need to do is send an e-mail to [info@charlesboyk-law.com](mailto:info@charlesboyk-law.com) with your suggestion. Remember to include your name and phone number in your e-mail so we can contact you if you win!

Look for our new segment, "You ask, Chuck answers!" in the upcoming Boyk Bulletins.

## COMING SOON: "We Have An App For That!"

We are excited to announce the Charles E. Boyk Accident App for smart phones!

Our new app (launching in May), will feature:

- A 911 fast-call button
- Directions to the nearest hospital (no matter where the accident takes place)
- Facebook and Twitter feeds
- The EXACT features of our very popular accident kit, which will electronically capture the following information:

- Details of the accident
- Insurance Information
- Police Information
- Driver/Vehicle Information
- Witness Information
- Photos
- Audio Statements

"We live in an increasingly mobile society in which people have a variety of ways to gather the information they need. This new smart phone application adds another tool to help us stay connected with our clients," said Chuck. "We're on Facebook, LinkedIn and Twitter. And, now when people ask us what to do if they get into an accident - we can say we've got an app for that, too!"



(Chuck's son) Astronaut Jacob Boyk