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Staff Recipe of the Month

#### Ashley's Butterfinger **Truffle**

#### Ingredients

- 1 chocolate cake mix
- 1 box instant chocolate pudding (4 serving size)
- 2/3 cup sweetened condensed milk
- 1 large container of Cool Whip
- 6 large Butterfinger candy bars. crushed

#### Directions

- Bake cake as directed, let cool and crumble into smaller pieces
- Make pudding according to package directions, then add in the sweetened condensed milk
- Crumble half of the cake in the bot tom of a truffle bowl
- Layer half the pudding mixture on top
- Add a layer of Cool Whip
- Add a layer of crushed candy bars



### **Key Bank Chooses Charles** E. Boyk Law Offices as **Business of the Month**

If you visit the downtown Key Bank branch this month, you'll see something familiar— our office has been selected as their business of the month!

We're honored to have been chosen for this recognition and appreciate the gesture from the bank.

Visit the branch, located at 245 N. Superior Street, to check it out.

Thank you, Key Bank!



## **Cases of Interest** our office is handling

Motorcycle crash kills 40-year-old man. The driver of the vehicle that struck him is suspected of being under the influence at the time of the crash. The victim was a father of three.

Bicyclist struck by UPS truck suffers brain damage and neck and upper back injuries. Attempts to rehabilitate cognitive skills such as slurred speech and memory loss have been unsuccessful. He may never regain his lost skills.

Leaky freezer at Wal-Mart causes employee to slip and fall while working resulting in a shattered kneecap. She is rushed to the hospital where the knee cap is re-constructed in emergency surgery She will never be able to kneel on the ground again. We are also pursuing a personal injury claim against the freezer company.

Family of four involved in a hit-andrun suffer serious injuries and significant damage to their vehicle. Complications to pre-existing medical conditions lead the father to require examination of his surgically placed fistula. His wife's heart required monitoring, and his children suffered injuries to their spines.

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Cases of Interest

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## **Overcoming Adversity: Army Captain Robert Beat Fights Injury After Fighting for His Country**

Then Rob Beat decided enlist in the U.S. Army Reserves, he initially did it to help with tuition costs.

Now, 10 years and two deployments later, Captain Beat, a Toledo native, is recovering from a day that tested his courage in the face of adversity.

On October 6 of this year, Capt. Beat was wrapping up his deployment to Afghanistan when an event his mother describes as her "worst fear" happened.

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rest on ground. by Thanksgiving. "Thankfully, no one Attorney Chuck Boyk, was killed," said Capt. who has known Capt. Beat, although "the blast Beat's father for close to

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Attorneys Chuck Boyk and **Michael Bruno** 

Capt. Robert Beat

did cause some minor to semi-serious injuries to me and a few other guvs."

Capt. Beat's left foot was broken in several places, while two others in the vehicle had serious While on the way to (but non-life threatening) introduce his replaceneck and back injuries. ment to the district gov-All are expected to make ernment Capt. Beat had full recoveries.

been working with, the After the explosion, vehicle he was riding in Capt. Beat spent time bewas hit by an improvised ing treated in Germany explosive device (IED) before returning to the that was buried in the United States. He is currently recovering at the The armored vehicle Fort Knox Army Hospital was rocketed straight and hopes to be back into the air and came to a home in the Toledo area

40 years and has represented him for the past 20, said he's impressed by the soldier's bravery.

"It's great to see the people who fight for our country facing adversity like that with such courage," he said.

Capt. Beat credits his training with his ability to get through the difficult situation he found himself in

"No one ever thinks they'll be the one to get hurt," he said. "But you always have to fall back on your training. And if vou can't do what needs to be done because you're hurt, you have to motivate someone else to do it."

And despite everything he has been through lately, he says he'll always be ready to redeploy and to serve his country.

"I would absolutely go back," said Capt. Beat "There's always a new challenge, always a new obstacle to tackle. It definitely never gets boring."

### Local Business Spotlight

## Voces Latinas TV **Star Tony Rios**

Se habla español?

U""". "Huh?," then Tony Rios of Voces Latinas TV Magazine is your guy.

Ever since August of 1994, when the show began, Rios has been laboring to feature the diversity and lifestyle that he says makes the young American Latino experience unique.

"There wasn't anything on TV dedicated to our local Hispanic and Latino community," he said. "We have needs and services that needed to be addressed, and I wanted to do something."

Voces Latinas, a weekly onehour television show, is a two-time Philo T. Farnsworth Award winner that provides entertainment and useful information covering topics from the arts and business services to health and education issues.

Each segment is bookended by Latino music videos. The show is hosted by Tony Rios, Maryori Rios, Nikayla Rios and Marisol Ibarra.

Rios says the show is for U.S.

Latinos, by U.S. Latinos and pro-If your answer is "No" or vides a weekly dose of Sonidos (sounds), Estilo (style) and Cultura (culture).

"The show tells our stories from our perspective," said Rios.

"There are over 35 million Latinos that and means there are over 35 million stobe ries to told."

Rios savs

the most rewarding part

of his job is meeting the people who have these stories to share.

Tony Rios

And as if reaching out to the Hispanic community on his own was not enough of a venture, Rios is also helping other businesses in the community do the same thing. He says his company offers translation services, voiceovers for commercials, web design and many other services.

"We are an untapped market



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here in Toledo and Northwest Ohio," he said. He says if there is a business out there that would like to showcase to the Hispanic/Latino community his company is a onestop shop.

"Tony is a longtime friend and client, and the work he does is truly impressive. He's really a pro at reaching the largely untouched Hispanic market," said attorney Chuck Boyk.

Voces Latinas airs every Thursday at 8 p.m. and Saturday at 7 p.m. on channel 69 on Buckeye CableSystem. It also airs on Fridays at 8 p.m. on DCTV in Defiance, Ohio and Fridays at 7 p.m. on Comcast Cable channel 900 in all of Michigan.

If you would like to contact Tony regarding his services, visit www.voceslatinas.com or call (419) 318-0934.

#### Local Student With Dream of Being a Lawyer Receives Final 2010 Bikes for Kids Gift

re-Vaughn Moss, a junior at St. Francis de Sales High L School in Toledo, was recently awarded the final bike in the 2010 Bikes for Kids contest.

He was nominated by the school's nurse, Kate Malone, who said in her nomination letter that he is "an outstanding young man" who was having difficulties getting to school and the community library to do homework, especially since Toledo Public

Schools no longer offers bussing services.

Upon finding out that in addition to being a 4.0 student, Tre-Vaughn also aspires to become an attorney, he was chosen to receive a new bike.

"I was so excited when I found out I won," he said. "This makes transportation a non-issue for me." We are happy to have met Tre-

Vaughn and look forward to con-



Tre-Vaughn Moss poses with his new bike outside Wersell's Bike & Ski Shop

#### tinuing the contest next year.

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#### The Boyk Bulletin

## Think You Have Full Coverage? You Might Be Surprised

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veryone assumes they have full coverage when it *comes to their auto insur*ance. However, there's a good chance your insurance doesn't cover you as well as you think it does.

Many people overlook uninsured (UM) and underinsured (UIM)

motorist coverage when thinking about their auto insurance. This can be an extremely costly mistake, though; our office has seen too many cases where people do not receive the compensation they deserve because they did not have the right kinds of coverage.

Here is a prime example of why you need to carry high limits of • uninsured motorist coverage:

• Our office represented a client

## **Employee Spotlight**

very office needs a go-to guy who can help with just about any task.

In the Charles E. Boyk Law Offices, that guy is Wade Thompson. Wade has been lending his services to the firm since September of 2007. He is our court runner and

also helps with the organization of closed files. He also keeps up with day-to-

day jobs like filing, copying and scanning— jobs attorney Chuck Boyk say keep the office running smoothly.

"Wade is always there to help with anything we need," said Chuck. "He's always on top of his game and he is a very hard worker "

Office manager Leslie Rombkowski, who also happens to be Wade's aunt, agrees.

"It's also nice that I get to be out more than a lot of other people's jobs let them be," he said. In between work and taking

classes at Owens Community

who was involved in a serious

The defendant's insurance policy had lapsed due to non-

Our client had the minimum limit of uninsured motorist coverage— \$12, 500— on his insurance policy.

Our client's initial emergency room visit totaled \$180,000. However, since the at-fault driver had no insurance, our client's insurance will only pay for up to \$12,500 of costs. After his accident, our client had to continue treating at a nursing home.

Our client is a single father of two children. He is not able to care for his children while he

is treating, so they are being cared for by their grandparents.

Even though our office is fighting to get his costs reduced, as he has accumulated other costs since his initial ER visit, he will be responsible for paying whatever his health insurance does not.

The bottom line, Attorney Chuck Boyk says, is that it is vital to take the necessary steps to make sure you and your family are protected.

"No matter what," he said, "the only person who will look out for you is yourself."

For more information about ensuring you have appropriate coverage or to be referred to a reputable. trustworthy insurance agent call our offices at (800) 637-8170.

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## Wade Thompson

"He has a great attitude and helps fill in where needed, always with no complaints," she said.

Wade says he likes his job because it allows him to experience a wide variety of responsibilities.



Wade Thompson

College in business management. Wade enjoys playing and watching sports (especially baseball and basketball), listening to music and spending time with his friends.