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# The Boyk Bulletin

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## New website features books, more info

he attorneys at our office are pleased to announce the launch of our newly redesigned website,

#### www.CharlesBoyk-law.com.

Easier to navigate, our new website features our six books, including our two most recent titles, *The Ohio Motorcycle Book* and *Little Kids, Big Accidents*.

We have an array of video blogs on topics ranging from car accidents and insurance buying tips, to Chuck Boyk discussing what makes our firm different from others in northwest Ohio.

"Our goal with the website is to provide a public service to the community," Chuck Boyk said.



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"The more informed a consumer is, the less likely they will be to be involved in an accident."

Our daily blogs provide readers with updates in the

law, and how to protect yourself in the event of an accident. They also provide links to helpful articles unrelated to our See Website, page 2

### UPDATE: Yaz birth control lawsuits filed in NW Ohio

umerous women have contacted our office regarding the health problems they have suffered while taking Yaz birth control pills. Health problems they've reported include blood clots, gallbladder problems, and heart attacks.

We have now filed a case in the United States

District Court in Toledo involving a young woman who suffered a pulmonary embolism, or blood clot in the lung.

The suit argues that Bayer, the maker of Yaz birth control, failed to release adequate warnings of the potential risks and other serious side effects associated with the drug. This resulted in the woman's blood clot, which caused severe physical pain and mental anguish, as well as fear of developing other serious health problems in the future.

If you or someone you know has health problems while taking Yaz, visit **www.YazInjuryLawyer.com** or contact our office at 800.637.8170 to order your free copy of our Yaz Birth Control Special Report.

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## Computer expert helps local businesses and families

omputers have become such a necessity, that when they are not working properly, business grinds to a halt.

That is why the attorneys and staff in our office rely so heavily on our computer technician, Chris Huss.

Known in our office as "Chris the Computer Guy," the owner of Pinnacle Consulting has been in business for more than five years, and in the computer industry for 15 years.

"I have always loved computers and love interacting with other people," Chris said. "What better way than to combine both the things I love into something I can make a living doing."

Chris graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Informational Systems from the University of Toledo. He also holds certifications as a Novell NetWare Certified Engineer, a Microsoft Certified Professional, and a Microsoft Small Business Specialist.

Pinnacle Consulting handles everything from computer hardware replacement and upgrades, network cabling and design, software and

## **Website**, *cont. from page 1* website.

You can view interviews with the attorneys in our office, get directions to any of our six office locations, and download any of the forms we discuss in *The Boyk Bulletin*.

The site also has a whole section on client testimonials, where past clients can talk about their experience with Charles E. Boyk Law Offices, LLC. Anyone who would like to share a good experience is encouraged to contact our office

### Community Spotlight

hardware troubleshooting, and training on backup and operating system utilities. But easily the best part of working with Chris is that if you do not know what any of the computer terminology means, he goes out of his way to explain it.

"I enjoy figuring out answers to problems and interacting with my clients," Chris said. "I like getting to know them as a friend and an advisor."

Chuck Boyk has trusted Chris for his computer needs for the past four years.

"I was so pleased with the way that Chris handled all of my computer systems at the office, that I hired him to handle all of my computers at home," Chuck Boyk said. "I trust him to get the job done in a timely manner at a fair price."

One piece of advice that Chris stresses to everyone, regardless if they are a client or not, is to always have a backup of your data on your

with their story, and we will put it on the site immediately.

Since we update our website on a daily basis, readers can go on the site at anytime to view new, up-todate information, in addition to the older posts, which we archive.

If you would like to see something added to our website, or if you would like to contribute a testimonial, contact Anneke at 419.720.4452 or via email at akurt@charlesboyk-law.com. We would be happy to add your kind words to our site! computer.

Computer crashes can cause families to lose everything on their computers, including cherished family photographs and important financial information. Having a



Chris Huss

backup of what is on your hard drive prevents the owner from having to re-enter all of that information back onto the computer.

Chris lives in Toledo with Rachel, his wife of 15 years, and two daughters, Madisyn, 6, and Abbigail, 5. He makes house and business calls anywhere in northwest Ohio. If you are in need of a computer expert for your home system, visit

www.ChrisTheComputerGuy.net. If you are a business looking for a reliable IT guy, visit www.PCSOhio.net. Chris can also

be reached at 419.377.7376, or via email at chris@pcsohio.net.

### **The Boyk Distinction**

t the Charles E. Boyk Law Offices, LLC, we try our best to exceed expectations at every level. That is why if you call our office and cannot talk to the person you are trying to reach, you will receive a callback within 24 hours - even if it is the weekend. All calls after 5pm and on the weekends are directly routed to Attorney Boyk's cell phone, so if you have a question about your case, please don't hesitate to call.

## Bikes for Kids gives new wheels to deserving kids

F our more kids are riding around northwest Ohio this summer with big smiles and brand new bikes.

During the month of August, Charles E. Boyk Law Offices, LLC donated four bicycles to deserving kids in the Toledo area by continuing their Bikes for Kids campaign. The Bikes for Kids giveaway provides one bicycle to a deserving child every week this summer, for a total of 13 bikes. Wersell's Bike Shop has been kind enough to donate helmets and locks to each recipient.

August's winners started off with 11-year-old Andrew Ervin, who competes in the Special Olympics as a cyclist. He was nominated by his grandmother, Ms. Hess.

"Andrew came in third place at the state level in the Special Olympics, on a bike that his mom found at a garage sale," Sue Hess said. "It's so great that he has the opportunity to pick out any bike he wants that would be really good for what he wants to do."

Andrew was surprised when he found out that his grandmother entered him in the Bikes for Kids contest.





"I never knew she did Nolan Cramer this for me," Andrew said. "She is the best grandma, and she takes care of me whenever I am with her."

Nolan Cramer, 9, was also grateful to receive his new bike.

"I really love my new bike," Nolan said. "Thank you very much for it!"

After giving his bike to his little sister, he didn't have one for himself, but never complained. He was nominated by his aunt, Christy Walton.

"Nolan is such a great kid," Christy said. "He's a good brother, and always tries hard in school."

An honor student at Hillview Elementary, Nolan enjoys Chess Club, and is also on Student Council. He would like to be a lawyer when he grows up.

Another 9-year-old who was all smiles while riding her new bike was Amalia Paige.

Bright and outgoing, Amalia takes care of her siblings, and was nominated for a new bike by her mom, Stacey, since Amalia didn't have a bike of her own.

"This is so great," Ray Paige, Amalia's father, said. "She was so excited to get this bike."



was 4-year-old Sevario Amalia Paige Proffitt who was nominated by his mother, Debbie Proffitt.

Debbie adopted Sevario and his sister, Serenity, on November 1, 2008, from Lucas County Child Services, after fostering the children for three years.

"This is such a blessing for Sevario," Debbie said. "He shares a bike with Serenity, and always asks me for a boy bike. What you are doing is wonderful."

If you would like to enter our Bikes for Kids contest, visit www.ohiochildaccidentbook.com and click on the Bikes for Kids logo, or call Anneke at 419.720.4452 for a paper application.



Sevario and Serenity Proffitt

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A Note to Our Readers Charles E. Boyk Luc Mass Created this newsletter for our clients, friends, and colleagues to provide general and practical information. It is not intended for legal advice and should not be viewed as a solicitation. We hope you find this publication to be a helpful and valuable addition to your mail. However, if at any time you wish to be removed from our mailing list, or update you contact information, please contact Anneke at 1.800.637.8170 or via email at akurt@charlesboyk-law.com.

The youngest winner of the contest

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Quick & Leslie's Easy! Mouth-Watering Meatballs	What's Happening In Your Community	<b>Cases of Interest</b> our office is handling
<ul> <li>1 lb. Bob Evans Zesty Hot Sausage Roll</li> <li>1 (18oz) bottle Bob Evans Wildfire BBQ sauce</li> <li>1 egg • 1/4 cup bread crumbs</li> <li>1/3 cup grated Parmesan cheese</li> <li>1/4 cup milk</li> </ul>	FREE English Classes For Speakers of other Languages Offered by the Washington Local English Literacy/Civics Program Classes:	<ul> <li>33-year-old man suffers a crush injury to his hand and wrist, after a machine part crushes his hand at work.</li> <li>49-year-old woman needs sur- gery to implant two plates in arm and rod in thumb to treat</li> </ul>
<ol> <li>Preheat the oven to 400° F.</li> <li>In a large bowl, mix together sausage, egg, and bread crumbs, cheese, and milk until well combined.</li> </ol>	Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday 9-11:30am or 12:30-3:00pm Call 419.473.2364 3939 Wrenwood	injuries after a car accident. 33-year-old man severs finger after coworker pulls on a pulley and his hand becomes stuck, as a result of not having a proper guard
<ul> <li>3. Shape into small meatballs and place in a single layer on baking sheet.</li> <li>4. Bake 20 to 25 minutes or until browned and cooked through.</li> <li>5. In a small seven and warm</li> </ul>	Toledo, Ohio Near Alexis & Clover Do you have an event that is important to the community? Tell us about it! Call Anneke at 419.720.4452 or akurt@charlesboyk-law.com	<ul> <li>36-year-old railroad worker must have bilateral carpal tun- nel surgery after a repetitive mo- tion injury.</li> <li>2-year-old boy is bit twice in the</li> </ul>
<b>5.</b> In a small saucepan, warm BBQ sauce. Serve with meatballs. Enjoy!		face by a dog, resulting in perma nent scarring.