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Help us Celebrate Children's Dental Health Month!

Bring your child in for a check up and get a special prize.



No Insurance ? No Problem!

This "in office" benefit plan is perfect for those who have terrible insurance or non at all.

The plan covers diagnostic and preventive at 100% and other procedures are discounted by 20%.

There is no deductible, no missing tooth clause, no plan limitations and no yearly maximums.

Contact us for more information at 770-971-5119 or visit our website at smilesbydrbob.com



There is no such Thing as "Practice" Teeth



Did you know that over 180 million U.S. children have untreated cavities? This statistic equates to about 25% of children between the ages of two and five and 50% of children of 12-15 years old.

They are not "Just" baby teeth

Primary teeth are not "Just" baby teeth (or practice teeth). Preventing destruction of the primary teeth is essential. Unrestored cavities can and frequently lead to problems affecting the developing permanent teeth. Dental Decay is four times more common than asthma and seven times more common than hay fever. Yet, dental disease is the most preventable disease affecting children today.

The role of the Primary Teeth

A child needs the primary teeth for proper chewing and eating during the period of the child's most significant growth. Their presence helps guide the permanent teeth to the correct position, allow for healthy growth of the muscles jaw bones and muscles. Additionally, the primary teeth affect speech as well as add to an attractive appearance.

While the front four teeth last until 6-7 years of age, the back teeth (cuspids and molars) will remain until age 10-13. Early care from your dentist is essential to achieve a lifetime of good dental health for your child.

Great News!
*Our In-Office
 Whitening has been
 Reduced to only \$310!!*
*It's a Special
 EVERYDAY!!*



Speak No Evil; Take no Evil

Nigel Ndiri

We would like you to meet the future of computers. Nigel Ndiri is a sophomore at Carnegie Mellon studying Computer Science and loving it. Nigel is a

gentle, polite soul that we enjoy seeing at our office.

Being the oldest sibling of a family with three boys is a formidable task and one that Nigel takes very seriously. This may be the first year that Nigel couldn't come with his brothers. He likes to visit the dentist with his younger brothers so that he can take their "Tooth" picture with them.

He enjoys high-level math and performing the cello. Often he switches between the very technical side of his personality to the artistic part of his nature. We are sure that he is talented in both. Additionally, Nigel listens to all types of music, from classical and opera to rap and rock. He has no one favorite artist, in particular, but likes it all. Buggy racing, playing video games, and cheering for the Falcons are other activities he enjoys. Video games allow him to do something with his hands while losing himself in his thoughts.

Once Nigel traveled to South Africa to a leadership program. He said that it was interesting to see the combining and cooperation of all the different worldwide cultures.

Congratulations Nigel. We are so proud that you are part of our dental family!



Valentine Soda

Ingredients:

Ginger ale or Carbonated drink

Strawberry ice cream

Whipped cream

Strawberries for garnish

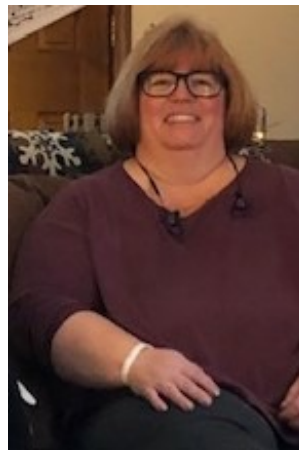
Directions:

Dispense ginger ale or any carbonated drink above strawberry ice cream in tall glass.

Then top the glass with feathery whipped cream and a strawberry for garnish.

Serve with large soda and ice teaspoon.

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Theresa, Expanded Duties Dental Assistant

We are so pleased that our former Expanded Duties Assistant has returned to our office.

Theresa worked for us before her sixteen-year-old son was born, and then preferred to stay at home with him. She just couldn't leave him. But, now, she has returned. Happy Days!

Theresa is very knowledgeable in all facets of dentistry. After all, she has been a dental assistant for about 25-30 years. Those of you who have been loyal to us may remember her.

Theresa continued working part-time when possible and always attended the Hinman Dental meetings and other vital Continuing Education Seminars. She loves dentistry and is excited to be back at it full-time.