

December 2015 - SVC Newsletter

Just What I Wanted! Great Gift Ideas ©



Chiropractic Care gift certificate
Innate Choice Omega 3 Fish Oil
Innate Choice Probiotic
Innate Choice Vitamin D
Innate Choice Vita Sufficiency
Mercola Pure Power Protein Powder
Cervical Pillow

Gift Certificate for whatever they want!

Generous Hearts = Warm Kiddos!



Thank you all for your generous donations of coats, hats, and gloves!





Reindeer Oats will be available on December 14<sup>th</sup>. Be sure to take some home for your kids and grandkids ©

The flu is <u>not</u> a season. Last time we checked, we only had Winter, Spring, Summer and Fall. Want to avoid the flu? So do we! What's our secret??

Get adjusted regularly - Get plenty of sleep - Take your supplements - Eat healthy - Exercise

## "Clark's Power Problem"



Clark Griswold stands with bated breath and extension cord in hand as a childlike giddiness overtakes him. The family drum roll commences, he makes the anticipated electrical connection and VOILA... nothing happens.

Clark has a power problem. Although the extension cords are all connected and each individual Christmas light has been inspected with precision, he's still not connected to the source. It isn't until his wife 'adjusts' the switch in the garage and turns the MAIN Power on that the light show begins. She'd actually make a good Chiropractor!

If your wiring is connected and your body parts have all been dutifully inspected by the best doctors in the world, you still won't function to your potential if you're not connected 100% to your source... the Life sustaining Power that flows from your Nerve System. Make sure you and your family stay connected to it with regular Chiropractic care during this bustling holiday season.

"Forget Someone at Home?"



Chiropractor - "Hey Mary, where are your kids?"

Mary - "I left them at home, they don't have any back pain..."

Chiropractor - "That might be true, but do they have

Subluxations?"

Studies show that stress from the birth process alone is enough to produce pediatric Subluxations – subtle, yet significant vertebral mis-alignments which alter normal nerve function in children. And don't forget the stress they experience from falling off bikes, rough housing with siblings or just trying to fit in at school. Kids are inherently Subluxation prone!

If you bring your kids to the dentist for preventative maintenance as soon as they get teeth, it only makes sense you bring them to the Chiropractor as soon as they get a spine. In other words, don't leave them at home... get them checked EARLY and REGULARLY for Subluxations. You're investing in their health and their future when you do.



We will be closed on December 25<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> to celebrate Christmas with our families. We will be excited to see you after Christmas on Monday, Dec. 28 and Wednesday, Dec. 30! ©

From Amanda — "Thank you for all of the prayers, cards, calls and concern during my recent hospitalization. I felt very blessed during my stay. I am so glad to be back to work and able to serve all of you!"

#### Food Drive Face-Off

Well....once again, the Jayhawks prevailed! The Hawks outdid the Wildcats, bringing in 76 items for the food bank. 122 total items were collected – a HUGE thank you to all who "competed!" ☺



Dr. Loder was NOT very happy in this one...I couldn't even get him to open his eyes...



Dr. Loder made us take a second picture on Monday morning, with the score of the football game....Dr. Loder was a little happier with the football score!

#### 101 Ways to Make a Difference

This holiday season, we challenge each of you to make a difference for someone. We have come up with some ideas to get you started on what will be a gift to remember...

	Drive someone to their chiropractic appointment! ©		Determine how much money you spend at Christmas,
	Return grocery carts		and donate a matching amount to a charity of your
	Participate in Operation Shoebox		choosing
	Tip all of the wait staff next time you eat out, not just your server		Write a letter to a loved one
	Leave a pack of vinyl gloves at the gas station on top of the pump		Compliment a child
	Recycle your prom dress		Buy a cup of coffee for the person behind you in line
	Receive with gratitude		Donate some of your professional services to someone in
	Donate old glasses to Lions Club		need
	Invite a guest to Thanksgiving or Christmas dinner who might		Collect and distribute books
	otherwise be dining alone		Raise money for a charity
	Donate winter coats to those in need		Serve a meal at the Salvation Army
	Volunteer at Ashby House		Give your time
	Drive someone to a cancer treatment		Give your talents
	Prepare a meal for a single parent family		Offer companionship
	Pick up trash in and around your neighborhood		Run errands for someone
	Give a package of stamps to a family with a family member serving		Encourage
	our country		Volunteer at TACOL
	Donate school supplies		Smilea lot!
	Put together soldier packs		Be a foster parent
	Give without comparison		Walk your neighbor's dog
	Purchase a tank of gas for the person behind you in line		Volunteer at the animal shelter
	Feed the parking meter for the next person		Babysit for someone to give them a break
	Recycle your wedding dress		Help elderly decorate for Christmas
	Donate to the United Way		Shovel your neighbor's driveway or sidewalk
	Volunteer at a domestic violence shelter		Donate your old cell phone
	Adopt a prisoner or their family – offer to pray for them		Offer to go to the post office for someone
	Provide transportation for the elderly in your community		Clean for the elderly
	Visit residents at the nursing home		Clear snow from the windshield next to yours in the
	Send a thank you note		parking lot
	Tip a fast food worker		Gift a magazine subscription – especially to someone
	Donate to the Red Cross		overseas
	Clean out your closets and donate extra clothing		Host a breakfast at church
	Clean your church		Gather friends or family for a Bible study
	Put together books and magazines to leave for chemotherapy		Teach someone
_	patients to read during treatment		Send your child flowers – just because
	Deliver meals on wheels		Plan a surprise party for anyone/anything
	Donate blood		Place flowers on a gravesite
	Hand out inspirational calendars		Paint someone's finger or toenails
	Be a prayer partner		Create a carpool at work
	Volunteer at Pioneer Club		Take a meal to new parents
	Shop for the elderly		Write a letter of forgiveness to someone
	Help someone move		Post a status to inspire
	Purchase gifts from the Angel Tree		Compliment a complete stranger
	Donate to the Ronald McDonald house		Take a meal to new neighbors
	Participate on a mission trip		Volunteer to read at the library
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	Worship more		Pass on a good book to others
	CHUMS volunteer at the elementary school		Call someone instead of texting them
_	Sponsor a kid for camp		Write an apology
	Donate to the McPherson County food bank		Play a board game with a group you don't normally hang
	Volunteer at the Senior Center		out with
	Repair or recycle old bicycles		Adopt a college kid
_	Purchase a baby gift for a new parent		Donate to local animal shelters - pets need love too!
	Give someone a grocery gift card		Take a picture of a new mom with her baby and give her
_	Volunteer at KICK	_	a framed copy
_	Purchase a gift through World Vision		Thank God
	Tie quilts for others		

## "Be the change you want to see in the world." - Ghandi

Take the Christmas challenge...

- 1. Take an idea from our checklist, or use one of your own.
  - 2. Write down what you did to make a difference.
    - 3. Put your entry in the jar.
- 4. Each entry is a chance to win a \$250 chiropractic gift card! Stay healthy AND make life better for someone else! Win...Win!!





Kansas State University Johnson Cancer Research Center

Dr. Loder presented the Smoky Valley Chiropractic scholarship award to William Jones, who works with Dr. Kathrin Schrick in Biology at Kansas State University.

#### Consider Others this Holiday

Feeling blue??? Perhaps serving others is just what the doctor ordered!

- -Volunteer. It will remind you of your unique talents and the different you can make in someone else's life.
- -Surround yourself with supportive and positive people. You may want to call or email someone you haven't heard from in a while. Be open to new opportunities where you could make new friends.



### **Keep Up the Holiday Cheer!**

During the holidays, it's normal to feel stressed out by the demands of shopping, parties, and even family gatherings. Taking on too much responsibility or saying yes to too many things can cause stress.

Take these steps to stay healthy and rested during the holidays:

- -Only do the holiday activities that are the most meaningful to you. Pass on those you feel obligated to do.
- -Get enough sleep and stick with a regular schedule.
- -Eat right and exercise make it a priority!
- -Don't stay cooped up inside. Sunlight can relieve depressive symptoms associated with winter's shorter days.
- -Get adjusted! Your nervous system controls EVERYTHING, and sometimes we all need an attitude adjustment! ☺



# "Triple Dog Innate Dare..."



You've been given the throw down. Your family and friends are egging you on to try their Chiropractor. But you don't 'believe' in Chiropractic and doubt it would actually work for your health problems.

The question isn't whether you believe in Chiropractic, but rather do you believe in your own ability to heal yourself? You see, Chiropractors don't heal anything. It's the innate doctor inside you that does all the healing. Chiropractors simply create a better environment (a clear Nerve System) for that process to happen.

So what do you have to lose? Why not call the Chiropractor and get connected to your innate. You'll be amazed at what the doctor inside you is capable of doing - we triple dog dare you to try it.