The Herman Herald

New Main Location Coming Soon

We are very EXCITED to announce that we will open a MAIN OFFICE in Bartlesville in the Summer of 2014! The new fully equipped orthodontic office will be staffed full-time and feature all of the latest technology necessary to complete full orthodontic treatment, including ALL VISITS, right in Bartlesville. The state of the art facility will include digital Xrays and photography, impression-free intraoral scanning to make models, computerized records, and the most advanced sterilization equipment and procedures. There will also be new patient exam suites and private treatment rooms for adults. This new office will fully support Dr. Herman’s high-technology orthodontic appliances including low-friction self-ligating advanced brackets, Insignia custom-made braces, Acceledent accelerated treatment, and Invisalign treatment.

Our existing Bartlesville practice has consistently grown and we genuinely cherish the great relationships we have built with our many patients seen in our existing Bartlesville satellite office. For over 5 years, Dr. Herman has treated orthodontic patients in his hometown community, but several of the appointments in the treatment process had to be performed in the Tulsa main office. With a Main Office in Bartlesville, existing and new patients from all over north-eastern Oklahoma will be able to complete their entire course of treatment in the Bartlesville office without any trips to Tulsa.

The office will be at 3614 SE Kentucky St. which is located just west of US 75 on Kentucky Street. The building has previously housed pediatric dentists and Dr. Herman has worked in the facility as his satellite office. With a remodel and conversion project, Dr. Herman will move into the entire space full-time and expand his presence in Bartlesville and the surrounding area.

Dr. Herman is a Bartlesville native and a graduate of Dewey High School. He is married to his high-school sweetheart and Bartlesville grad, Krista Fisher Herman, and the couple have three children. Dr. Herman and his team will also continue to maintain a main office in Tulsa and satellite office in Henryetta, Pryor, and Vinita.

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Tulsa County Dentist of the Year

The Tulsa County Dental Society has named Dr. Robert J. Herman as the 2013 DENTIST OF THE YEAR! At a banquet in March, Dr. Herman was presented the A.L. Walters Award for the Outstanding Tulsa Dentist of 2013. The award recognizes a Tulsa Dentist who has “demonstrated the highest degree of professional and civic services to Dentistry and the Community.” The award was presented to Dr. Herman by the founder of our office, Dr. James Torchia, which made it extra special!

We are very proud of Dr. Herman and all of his hard work!
We would like to congratulate our newest Star Employee! Kissy Harris! Kissy is one of our Record Tech’s and is such a great part of our team. Her smile welcomes every patient she sees and she has such a kind, gentle personality that makes everyone feel welcome and comfortable. We are very thankful to have her with us and know she is very deserving to be our Star Employee!

If one of our team members goes above and beyond to make you or your family feel special we would love to hear about it. Drop their name in the Star Boxes at the front desk.

ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS!

Dr. Herman and his team would like to take the opportunity to recognize the hard work you have put forth in order to graduate! Dr. Herman will be awarding a $2000 Scholarship to a patient (current or past) that is a Graduating Senior for 2014 who displays extraordinary enthusiasm and drive. The winner will be selected based on a scholarship application. Seniors should submit a 2 page statement about educational plans and motivation. We want to know lifetime goals—how do you plan to make the world a better place? Also, a letter from the guidance counselor commenting on academic credentials (GPA, rank, test scores) and college plans are required. The deadline to turn in applications is Friday, May 16, 2014.

The winning senior will be awarded their scholarship in June 2014. Scholarship funds will be applied towards tuition with a statement from the bursars office and check will be made payable to the institution.

GOOD LUCK!

Are you on the wrong side of the statistic?

If so, make a comeback in 2014! It is never too late to commit to your smile!

- 34% of Americans did not visit the dentist last year
- 46 Seconds...the amount of time most people spend brushing.
- 2-3 minutes...the amount of time you SHOULD spend brushing
- 78% of Americans have at least one cavity by the age of 17.
- 18 yards—the amount of floss the average person purchases in a year
- 182.5 yards—the amount of floss a person SHOULD purchase in a year

**Statistics from Delta Dental’s “grin” newsletter Vol 2, Issue 4**