

# MINOR Matters

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## Welcome

Welcome to the very first issue of the MINOR Improvements PT newsletter! Yes, that's the name of the new practice. The idea is that "pediatric" should refer to everyone whose growth plates haven't closed. Minors. Get it? It'll grow on you. I've had a chance to talk with many of "my families" and I want to thank you all for your kind words and support. I'm already up and running in a temporary site (unfortunately, no pool) at the Greenfield Stewart's Plaza. Stop by for a peek and a Halloween treat!

## Introducing...

My business partner: Shaun Evans, MPT. Many of you may remember Shaun as my student last May and June. Shaun graduated in May 2002 from Notre Dame College in Manchester, NH. He received many honors including the American Physical Therapy Association's (APTA) prestigious Mary McMillan Scholarship Award for outstanding PT students. Shaun's from Galway so he's familiar with the area and brings some exciting ideas to the practice. He has experience in sports medicine, pediatrics and spinal cord injury and has done research in the area of Body Weight Support. If you don't remember him your child might-kids love him! Stop by and meet (or reintroduce yourself to) Shaun!

**National Physical Therapy Month**  
October is Physical Therapy month!  
Shaun and I are both members of the

American Physical Therapy Association and are extremely proud of our profession. We'll be performing free fitness screening this month, so call for directions and info or just STOP BY. (Are you sensing a recurring theme?)

## MINOR Improvements PT

We're so excited about our new practice! We received our special use permit from the Saratoga Springs Planning Board on September 25<sup>th</sup>. Our new building will be located on the corner of West Avenue and West Circular Street. We'll be tearing down the existing building and replacing it with a new one complete with a therapeutic pool. It feels more and more real with every meeting with architects, contractors, engineers, accountants, lawyers... It's clear to me why I was a PT major - Business is confusing! Fortunately, I have access to an excellent (free) consultant! Stop by at our temporary space to see the plans! We're right between Fierro's Pizza and the video store. (4.1 miles past Saratoga Hospital)

## Happy Halloween!

My favorite holiday! I bought treats counting on several weeks of (bribery) motivation, so stop by for your safety reflector, straw, pencil grip...!  
Have a safe Holiday and keep in touch!  
-Karen

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