



# On The Wire

The official newsletter of Roos Orthodontics:  
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## Children's Dental Health Month

**I am often asked at what age should children should have their first orthodontic check-in with Roos**

**Orthodontics.** We call it a check-in, not a check-up, as your child's first visit is the start of a special relationship with our Team, and a chance for us all to get to know them – and you. The *American Association of Orthodontists* recommends that every child have their first orthodontic check-in no later than age seven, with regular visits thereafter to track the development of your child's mouth. At Roos Orthodontics there is no charge for these twice yearly recare visits while we monitor your child's progress. By the age seven, enough permanent teeth have arrived to determine the course of treatment specific to your child and to discover any potential problems.

Early evaluation can sometimes signal the need for early treatment as some orthodontic problems are easier to correct while the jaw is still growing. At this age, most children have their first molars, providing us with the opportunity to check for malocclusion, or "bad bite." The incisors have usually begun to come in too so problems like crowding, deep bites, and open bites can be detected.

While many parents assume they must wait until a child has all of his or her permanent teeth, an orthodontic check-in with us, at an early age, often leads to easier or shorter orthodontic treatment down the line. We try to make it as easy as possible for families at Roos Orthodontics, offering

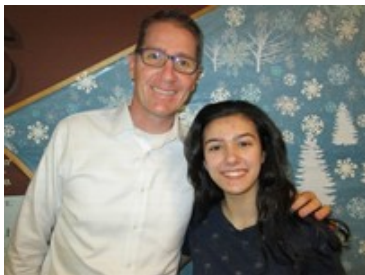
complimentary evaluation appointments and family discounts .

***February is Children's Dental Health Month—call our office today to schedule a check-in for your young child.***

# Raving Fan!

"I absolutely have had an amazing experience with Roos ortho!! I'm so so happy!! They have totally exceeded all my expectations!! My teeth look amazing and are healthy!! The whole staff is great! I always felt comfortable and trusted I was in good hands no matter who was taking care of me ... Dr. Roos is involved on every level! His communication with my General Dentist was impressive and thorough There really isn't enough stars to give!! The Best!!"

# New Smile!



# Contest Winners

We appreciate all of our patients – and particularly all those who qualify for our monthly

## GREAT PATIENT DRAW!

Congratulations to our **January** winners and a big thank you to their Dentists for partnering with us on their care.



**Athar S- Dr. Keeti Shasrabudhe**

**Harshita R- Dr. Praka Sahi**

**Ryan Y- Dr. Susan LaBounty**

**Sofie K- Dr. Gurveena Parhar**

**Megan G- Dr. Aimee Kong**



### To qualify for the Draw you need to:

- Be on Time for your appointments
- Have no failed appointments
- Be appliance compliant
- Display good oral hygiene
- Have nothing broken or loose!

# Running Late? Drop Off!

Did you know that you can drop your kids off at our office while you look for parking? Traffic and parking challenges often conflict with the best laid plans and scheduling. Don't stress – if roadworks (or just life in general) have delayed you, drop them in time for their appointment while you find a parking space. We are always happy to help them check in without you. That way they can keep their appointment time and the scheduled treatment can be completed, keeping their developing smile on track!

Thank you!