

NEWS FROM YOUR ELKS MAJOR PROJECT . . .

A note to Mavis Johnson, Occupational Therapist from a District Piggy Bank Committee:

On behalf of our District Piggy Bank Committee and myself, I want to thank you for sharing information about the great services provided by you and your fellow therapists and for having Jess and part of his family at our picnic.

So often we donate money and/or time for the Major Project without really understanding all that CHEMPI provides. It's easy to understand where the dollars go when you go to the Association Convention and see a Theme Child and hear their story. But there are so many others that receive help from CHEMPI but go unnoticed because their disabilities are not visible. That's why it was particularly good that you brought Jess to the picnic. It helps remind us that assistance is there for those whose problems are not obvious and that they can benefit from your therapy just as much as someone with a physically evident difficulty.

Again, our sincere gratitude for showing us first hand that the money we raise provides incomparable service by the many outstanding, well qualified and dedicated of the CHEMPI staff.

We could feel your dedication and sense of commitment. We could also tell how very grateful his family is for the great progress Jess has made with your guidance. We know that you took time away from your family and other responsibilities and we deeply appreciate having had you at the picnic.



A coin a day so they can walk, talk, see and play!