## NEWS FROM YOUR ELKS MAJOR PROJECT . . .

I've worked with Gina (Gina Murphy, Pediatric Vision Screener) for the last five seasons serving our children at the center. The children always feel at ease with her. We're glad your program provides this service to the children. Some of these families hardly ever have these services for themselves or their children.

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Ms. Uetake (Hedley Uetake, Speech-Language Pathologist) was a blessing for my son. He adored her and worked really well with her. Hedley was always professional and <u>very</u> patient with my son. He improved dramatically and really looked forward to seeing her. I am more than pleased with the services that my son received. Thank you very much and may God Bless you.

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My son is 11 years old and has needed this type of therapy almost his whole life. This has been a God send for our family. He has definitely shown improvement, which in turn has affected the quality of life for him and the rest of our family (he has five siblings). There are no words to express the gratitude we have towards the Elks Major Project and towards Mavis (Mavis Johnson, Occupational Therapist). My son's response to her has been excellent. She seems not only very educated about her work with him, but also completely in tune with his needs and little nuances of behavior and reaction to the therapy. I breathe a massive sigh of relief to have someone who finally understands and knows what to do. Also for people who are willing to reach out to a child who has been in need for so long. My husband and I prayed for this. Thank you!!! God Bless.

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Wyomi (Wyomi Yonzon Yockey, Pediatric Vision Screener) is just the best - organized, knows what to look for and very understanding when our best laid plans go astray.

Thank you for this service and a very nice person to work with us. We look forward to next year.

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