

# Iverson Kids Club

## A BAD BITE: Malocclusion

When you visit our office, you've likely heard us use the term "malocclusion." But what is malocclusion, and what causes it? Commonly referred to as overbite or underbite, malocclusion is the condition of having poorly aligned teeth, in which the upper and lower teeth don't fit together properly. There are a number of risk factors that can lead to

malocclusion, and fortunately, some of them are preventable. What causes this condition:  
**Family History**  
**Oral Habits**  
**Dental Health**  
**Trauma**  
**Treating Malocclusion**  
Problems with teeth alignment are much easier to treat when attended to early on. Orthodontic treatment to correct malocclusion

will not only give you a better smile – it will improve your oral health by lowering the risk of tooth decay and gum In some cases treatment can also improve speech patterns. If you know someone with a malocclusion send them to our office and don't forget to have them tell us YOU sent them!

**HALLOWEEN CANDY BUY BACK!**

- November 1-3; 8am-5pm
- \$1.00 per pound



- Proceeds to SMILE FOR LIFETIME FOUNDATION

Candy donated to Tri-Counties Blue Star Moms



### Turn Your Fall Green



**Planting perennials** now will ensure beautiful flowers in spring. Flowers not only add to landscape beauty, they help to reduce storm water run off. Pesticides, petroleum, phosphorous, and

asphalt increase pollutants and temperature of water run-off, resulting in damaged water bodies. But gardens with native plants help to reduce the constant water run-off into area lakes, rivers, and streams.

### Food Drive 2011

October 1 to December 15  
Help support our community!  
All Food will be delivered to the Salvation Army Food Bank.  
Every item donated gives you a chance to win over \$60 in prizes



Like us on **FACBOOK**  
Help us Reach our Goal of 500 before The end of the year!