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## Dr. Joshua Bletzinger of Performance Chiropractic & Sports Medicine Receives Entrepreneurial Excellence Award

Dr. Joshua Bletzinger of Performance Chiropractic & Sports Medicine received The Business Ledger's 2011 Entrepreneurial Excellence Award in the category of Innovation on September 22, 2011. Batavia Enterprises, Inc. was a Corporate Sponsor of the event.

Innovation honorees, according to The Business Ledger, are transforming the entrepreneurial dream into reality by providing a tangible product or technology that will solve a problem. Solving a problem is the first defining benchmark of entrepreneurial success, and this award recognizes the best innovation-based products, technologies, systems or practices.

Performance Chiropractic & Sports Medicine is a specialty treatment clinic that combines a unique system of biomechanical evaluation together with hands-on chiropractic and contemporary sports medicine methods to diagnose, treat, manage, and rehabilitate most injuries and conditions. Their mission is to provide a sophisticated method of service to those seeking a contemporary, functional approach to restoring, maintaining, and optimizing their physical health through a continuum of wellness.

Dr. Bletzinger recognized that athletes were under cared for and mismanaged in the chiropractic field. He founded *AthletesEDGE* to be the Clinic's exclusive program for treating, developing, and maintaining *today's* athlete. *AthletesEDGE* contracts with secondary schools to provide sports medicine and strength training services. *AthletesEDGE* also provides various athlete development programs, injury prevention programs and informative lectures. Under Dr. Bletzinger's leadership, athletes are provided a complete program of care through contemporary sports medicine methods and modern training principles that identify and correct injury patterns, prevent injuries, and develop correct muscle and skill techniques.

Austin Dempsey, Batavia Enterprises, Inc. Vice President presented the award to Dr. Bletzinger. "They say it takes an athlete to understand an athlete, and so Dr. Joshua Bletzinger's patients must feel particularly lucky that they have both a skilled and compassionate advocate rooting for

their return to sports. As the owner of Performance Chiropractic & Sports Medicine, Dr. Josh culled the experiences of his own hip and knee injuries spanning a 30-year hockey career to develop various treatment and rehabilitation programs focused on pediatric athletics. Dr. Josh integrates traditional chiropractic methodologies with contemporary sports medicine methods to formulate a “return to play” program that his patients eagerly embrace. Dr. Josh has returned the sentiment by reaching out to host lectures, seminars and educational programs in the community and nationally. With his chiropractic practice located in one of our Batavia properties, we have been able to watch and enjoy his success. This award recognizes his innovation, and is greatly deserved.”

For over 50 years, Batavia Enterprises, Inc. has been meeting the real estate needs of customers throughout the Fox Valley. The company has been awarded and recognized for restorations of historic buildings in addition to providing new buildings to keep up with market demand. With properties in Batavia, Geneva, St. Charles, West Chicago, and Elburn, BEI offers new and historical buildings for lease in all five categories of the rental market: residential, retail, office, warehousing and manufacturing. BEI also offers development sites in Rockford, Sugar Grove and throughout the Fox Valley along Kirk Road, Route 38, Route 47, Main Street and Randall Road in Batavia.

To learn more about Batavia Enterprises, Inc., please call Sara Belanger at 630-879-3680 or visit us at [www.bataviaenterprises.com](http://www.bataviaenterprises.com).

To learn more about Dr. Joshua Bletzinger, please visit [www.performanceclinics.com](http://www.performanceclinics.com) or call 630-761-9702 for more information.

**Photo, from left to right:** Dr. Joshua Bletzinger of Performance Chiropractic & Sports Medicine receives The Business Ledger’s 2011 Entrepreneurial Excellence for Innovation from Austin Dempsey, Vice President of Batavia Enterprises, Inc.