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LOCAL CHILDREN FEATURED IN NATIONAL CALENDAR

DETROIT, Mich. (September 30, 2010) —

“I Am Beautiful” is an 8x8 spiral bound weekly desktop calendar that features smiling faces of children from around the country.

“Band of Angels, a national outreach organization dedicated to helping children with Down syndrome and other cognitive disabilities reach their full potential has produced a critically acclaimed calendar for years,” said Ms. Hutchison. “This year, we developed a way to include as many beautiful faces as possible to more closely parallel our outreach. Although Michigan based, Band of Angels services the entire US and Canada with our outreach. Being advocates for inclusion in every way, this shift feels like a natural evolution for Band of Angels.”

In addition to featuring beautiful faces this calendar helps keep your life organized while connecting you to support groups and professional services. The calendar reminds us daily of the joy, determination and courage shared by children and adults with Down syndrome and other cognitive disabilities.

The funds raised from the “I am Beautiful” calendar will help continue to provide outreach programs and support for families of individuals with Down syndrome and other cognitive disabilities. Best of all, it will inspire you daily!

To order, go to www.bandofangels.com or call 248-377-3909.

Rochester Hills-based Band of Angels was established in 1994 by Cynthia Hutchison (Kidder), a national advocate for educating and employing children with Down syndrome, autism and other disabilities. Under Mrs. Hutchison’s direction, Band of Angels publishes high-end stationery products, the Halo with a Twist® jewelry line and the award winning Common Threads: Celebrating Life with Down syndrome, which was co-written by Mrs. Hutchison and Band of Angels board member Brian Skotko, M.D. For additional product information, or to learn more about Band of Angels outreach efforts, please visit www.bandofangels.com.

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