

Orthopaedic Connection

The New Website and Newspaper Archive Are Here!

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Transforming patient information into patient understanding.

I did not realize that it would take so many months to re-design our office teaching website www.orthopodsurgeon.com. It is now finished, finally!

I hope everyone likes the new website, but of equal importance is the Archive of Gratiot County Herald Orthopaedic Connection articles.

What is the Archive?

In the new www.orthopodsurgeon.com website there is a list from 97 back to 1 of all the titles of articles I have written for Gratiot County Herald. Since the beginning I have never missed a week by the way! I take pride in that.

Anyway, in the Archive you can scroll down the list to an article you missed or that interests you. Click on it and the whole text of the article comes up to be viewed or hopefully even copied. Amazing, but it works!

Why Do This?

Well, I do it for you really. I have from time to time referred to what I am doing like a course in Orthopaedics and musculoskeletal topics.

Sort of like getting a Masters Degree if you stay with it. I have given you the notes for the course each week, but of course no one is keeping all their old newspapers!

Now the notes for all 97 classes are stored and easily available on the new and improved www.orthopodsurgeon.com website Gratiot County Herald Archive.

Each week the current article in the Gratiot County Herald will be added to the Archive by its title and number, in this case 97. All the titles are listed going back to the beginning.

Vast Amount of Information

Orthopaedics and musculoskeletal topics is a huge field of information. I am trying to make pertinent information available to you every week that hopefully you or someone in your family can use in becoming healthier.

It was killing me to think I had done all this work in writing the articles and it had all just disappeared. The class notes have been saved - electronically!

Website Library and Newspaper Articles

I have this strong feeling that as much as possible all medical information should be local. What does that mean? Most of the time health information you read on the internet, you have no clue who wrote it or how accurate it is.

A very important part of the office website is a Library section of articles I have written for you about all the things people need to know about Orthopaedic and musculoskeletal topics. As part of the library you can also enter the world of Your Orthopaedic Connection which has hundreds more articles!

The Gratiot County Herald Orthopaedic Connection weekly articles deal with information all written by me in a little more informal style.

The Future

I plan to continue to work in your midst. It is my privilege to do so. I also intend to continue writing the weekly articles (class notes!) informing anyone who cares to learn about Orthopaedics and musculoskeletal topics.

The office website www.orthopodsurgeon.com and the Gratiot County Herald Orthopaedic Connection articles are my commitment to you.

I think my usual closing is especially appropriate at this time.

Our goal is simple - To help people return to more pain free, functional lives. I specialize in you.

Good health. Good life. All the best to you.

Be well.

Dr. Haverbush

