Zollipops: One Sweet Success Story

Some kids are really making their mark in the world. They are turning

a business world which used to belong to grown-ups into a playground

for wise and hard-working teenagers. These young leaders are called

"kidpreneurs," and Alina Morse is a great example.

It all started with a simple visit to a bank when Alina was seven. A

clerk gave her a lollipop, but her dad said it was bad for her teeth. "Then

why," asked Alina, "don't we just make lollipops that are good for our

teeth?""

Alina kept repeating this question until her father finally agreed to

help. She then looked for information on the Internet, and she also talked

to dentists and doctors who had a lot of knowledge of the subject. After

that, she started making lollipops at home and asked her friends to try

them. She failed many times, but she didn't give up. After two years, her

"Zollipops" were finally ready. She set up a candy company, and soon,

these sweet and healthy treats brought in millions of dollars!

Alina's successful business, however, is just half the story. She is also

helping kids all over America to have healthy smiles. She gives thousands

of her tooth-friendly lollipops to schools and teaches kids how to care for

their teeth. All in all, Zollipops are one sweet deal!

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