



A Community Working Together to Encourage Safe Behaviors

**West Allis – West Milwaukee
School District**

presents

**2nd Annual
Safe and Sober Family Night**

September 20, 2010

7:00 pm

West Allis Nathan Hale High School Auditorium



West Allis Central
High School



West Allis Nathan Hale
High School

AGENDA

Nathan Hale High School Auditorium

Monday, September 20, 2010

7:00 pm

WELCOME

Mr. Matt Lesar

Principal, West Allis Nathan Hale High School

OPENING REMARKS

Mr. Jeff Borland

Assistant Principal, West Allis Nathan Hale High School

SPEAKERS

GUEST SPEAKERS

Mayda and Dennis

Two Perspectives

WEST ALLIS POLICE SPONSORED PROGRAMS

Mr. Rod Nelson

Corporal, West Allis Police Department

FAMILY PLEDGE

Ms. Tammy Molter

*Coalition Coordinator, West Allis-West Milwaukee
Community Coalition*

CLOSING

THANK YOU'S

Mr. Paul Kurth

Assistant Principal, West Allis Central High School

DRAWING FOR PRIZES

Mr. Paul Mielke

Principal, West Allis Central High School

Refreshments will be served in the Auditorium Commons.

TO RECEIVE THE DISCOUNT

Please make sure to register your attendance tonight at your respective High School's table to ensure your child receives the \$10 discount from her/his dance ticket. The discount will *only* be given if both the parent/guardian AND child are in attendance tonight.

Parent Internet and Other Resources

ALCOHOL

State of Drinking

How our love of alcohol shapes Wisconsin's landscape

<http://www.fdlreporter.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=/99999999/WIS0110/399990694/1979>

Alcohol Policy Information System

The Alcohol Policy Information System (APIS) has a comparison of all states' alcohol regulation and enforcement policies and laws for the last 10 years:

<http://www.alcoholpolicy.niaaa.nih.gov>

KIDS

The Cool Spot

The young teens place for info on alcohol and resisting peer pressure

<http://www.thecoolspot.gov/index.asp>

MILWAUKEE COUNTY

2-1-1 @ IMPACT

Information for Milwaukee County residents who need assistance with family, health and social services.

<http://www.impactinc.org/211/211.htm>

PARENTS

Partnership for Drug Free America Parent Resource Center

<http://www.drugfree.org/Parent>

Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) and Nationwide Insurance have launched "The Power of Parents, It's Your Influence by MADD(™)" to give parents of high school students the communication tools they need to stop teen alcohol use. The program features resources at

www.thepowerofparents.org

TOBACCO

American Lung Association – State of Tobacco Control 2009

<http://www.stateoftobaccocontrol.org>

Protect the Truth – Working to End Youth Smoking

<http://www.protectthetruth.org>

WEST ALLIS-WEST MILWAUKEE COMMUNITY COALITION (WAWMCC)

Coordinator, Tammy Molter: 414-302-9917

*Providing support to the West Allis-West Milwaukee community to raise healthy, drug-free children
For more information and resources, please visit the coalition website.*

<http://www.wawmcc.org>

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The West Allis-West Milwaukee School District would like to thank the following individuals, businesses, and organizations for their support of the:

2nd Annual Safe and Sober Spring Planning Night

Artistic Tanning & Day Spa	8104 W. National Ave.....	(414) 266-1500
C'est la Vie Salon	1913 S. 60 th St.	(414) 546-3055
Chamberlain's Flower & Gift Shop	6737 W. Washington St.....	(414) 453-1525
Image Oasis Salon	5826 W. Lincoln Ave.	(414) 541-5060
Locker's Florist	1640 S. 83 rd St.	(414) 276-7673
Patty Brenner @ Designer Suites	11121 W. Rogers St. Suite #2	(414) 545-6868
Sculpting Craze	9226 W. Bluemound Rd.	(414) 546-0601

West Allis Police Department, *Corporal Rod Nelson*
West Allis Police Department, Traffic Investigator, *Christopher Sohre*
West Allis-West Milwaukee Community Coalition, *Tammy Molter*
West Allis-West Milwaukee School District ATODA Coordinator, *Beth Heflin*
West Allis Central High School SADD Organization
IMPACT, *Duncan Shrout, Karen Kolberg*

Thank you for attending our Safe and Sober Family Night. We hope you enjoyed the program and appreciate your feedback in planning future events.

— WEST ALLIS-WEST MILWAUKEE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT —

Kurt Wachholtz

— WEST ALLIS-WEST MILWAUKEE SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS —

<i>Jane Edgar</i>	<i>Patricia Kerhin</i>	<i>Barbara Suleiman</i>
<i>Annette Frymark</i>	<i>George Sotiros</i>	<i>Sue Sujecki</i>
<i>Carol Garrison</i>	<i>Susan Stalewski</i>	<i>Darlene Ziemendorf</i>

— WEST ALLIS HIGH SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION —

<i>WEST ALLIS CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL</i>	<i>WEST ALLIS NATHAN HALE HIGH SCHOOL</i>
— Principal, <i>Paul Mielke</i>	— Principal, <i>Matt Lesar</i>
— Assistant Principal, <i>Paul Kurth</i>	— Assistant Principal, <i>Jeff Borland</i>
— Assistant Principal, <i>Jason Sadowski</i>	— Assistant Principal, <i>Andy Muzytowski</i>

2nd Annual Safe and Sober Family Night Successful

The West Allis-West Milwaukee School District hosted its **2nd Annual Safe and Sober Family Night on Monday, September 20, 2010 at 7:00 pm in the West Allis Nathan Hale High School Auditorium.** Working in collaboration, the West Allis Police Department, the West Allis West Milwaukee School District, and the West Allis-West Milwaukee Community Coalition presented information to parents and students on making positive choices. Guest speakers informed families about the dangers of drinking and driving, current trends in teenage substance use, and several programs which hope to keep our students safe. This program has become an annual event hosted by West Allis Central and Nathan Hale High Schools in alternating years. Next fall West Allis Central High School will host the event.

Approximately 350 people were in attendance, which was nearly twice as many as last spring's event. Of those, 200 were parents, and 150 were students from both Central and Nathan Hale High Schools. The event was meant to be a proactive intervention to promote safe behaviors during the upcoming high school homecomings, winter formals, proms, and graduation celebrations. West Allis Central's homecoming is Saturday, October 2nd, and Nathan Hale's homecoming is Saturday, October 16th. Speakers at the event included a mother who lost her son to a drunk driver; a recovering offender; Corporal Rod Nelson, and Tammy Molter, WAWM Community Coalition Coordinator. The event concluded with parents and their daughter/son signing a family pledge to one another. Over 100 pledges were signed.

Students who attended the planning night with their parents/guardians received a \$10 voucher, which can be used toward one event (homecoming, winter formal, or prom). Over \$350 in gift certificates and prizes were donated by local businesses. Prizes were given away at the end of the program, which included discounts at local hair/nail/tanning salons, and florists. We hope the event increased awareness and help parents have those crucial conversations with their daughter/son to make positive life choices. Future events will include assemblies at each high school in the winter, and a parents only event in the spring.

Additional Summary Information About Event:

350 people in attendance, 150 students, up by 50 students over last year.
59 feedback forms received, the following questions were asked:

Was the information presented tonight useful to you? Yes (58) No (0)

Was there anything from tonight's program that you would use to talk to your child about safe behaviors? Yes (58) No (0)

Do you feel an event like this should be mandatory for all students and parents to attend big events? Yes (48) No (10)

How would you rate the guest speakers? (1-5) 1 (0), 2 (3), 3 (10), 4 (23), 5 (35)

Many gave very high marks for Mayda, not as much for Dennis

What additional topics would you most like more information on for future presentations? (number of responses)

Drug Abuse (21)

Prescription Drug Dangers (24)

Internet Safety (35)

Sexting and Cyberbullying (34)

Alcohol Awareness (16)

Other:

Driving and Texting/Talking (3)

Peer Pressure

Bullying (2)

Abuse

Other Helpful Comments/Reactions:

I appreciate the effort put forth to keep my child safe. (1)

Great Program! Thank you! (6)

More Visuals

Upset program didn't start on time due to other slow, less courteous people.

Should have a trauma RN speak.

Overall the program was a great success! If you have questions or comments, please direct them to Paul Kurth, Assistant Principal West Allis Central High School.