

6th Annual Safe and Sober Spring Family Night



Over 300 students and their parents attended the 6th Annual Safe and Sober program that was held September 22nd at Nathan Hale High School. The topic for the program was Your Brain On Alcohol and Marijuana: Short and Long-term Effects presented by Krista Lisdahl, Ph.D., Associate Professor UW – Milwaukee. Consequences were presented by Corporal Rod Nelson from West Allis Police Department and Jeff Borland from Nathan Hale High School.

Gift certificates from seven local businesses, including restaurants, hair and nail salons, florists and tanning salons were raffled at the end of the program. Students who attended the family night with their parents/guardians received a \$10 voucher, which can be used toward one event (homecoming, winter formal, or prom).

Youth members from the West Allis-West Milwaukee Community Coalition presented information about the Family Pledge that was then signed by over 120 families in attendance. The youth also launched the Parents Who Host, Lose the Most campaign. The yard signs, posters and window clings from Parents Who Host are a reminder for parents not to hold underage drinking parties and for youth to have a safe and sober homecoming and school year.





**West Allis
West Milwaukee
Community Coalition**

A Community Working Together to Encourage Safe Behaviors

**West Allis-West Milwaukee
School District**

Presents

6th Annual Safe and Sober Fall Family Night

Monday, September 22, 2014

7:00 pm

Nathan Hale High School Auditorium



**West Allis Central
High School**



**West Allis Nathan Hale
High School**

Tonight's Program

Nathan Hale High School Auditorium

Monday, September 22, 2014

7:00 pm

Opening Remarks:

Mr. Matt Lesar

Principal, Nathan Hale High School

Guest Speaker:

**Your Brain On Alcohol and Marijuana:
Short and Long-term Effects**

Krista Lisdahl, Ph.D.

Associate Professor UW – Milwaukee

Legal Consequences

Corporal Rod Nelson

West Allis Police Department Community Service Officer

School Consequences

Mr. Jeff Borland

Assistant Principal, Nathan Hale High School

**Family Pledge and
Parents Who Host
Campaign:**

Youth Members

West Allis-West Milwaukee Community Coalition

Closing:

Mr. Matt Lesar

Principal, Nathan Hale High School

**Thank You's and
Drawing for Prizes:**

Amy Van Deuren

Principal, West Allis Central High School

Refreshments will be served in the Auditorium Commons

****Please make sure to register your attendance tonight at your respective High School's table to ensure your child receives a voucher for a \$15 discount on their purchase of a Homecoming ticket. The discount will only be given if the parent/guardian AND child are in attendance tonight.****

This is a reminder of our Safe and Sober Awareness Initiative. We want to encourage parents to talk to your child about safe behaviors on and off campus. Every year the news media reports of tragedies, such as deaths, due to drunken driving, accidents, overdoses, and unsafe behaviors. In the West Allis-West Milwaukee School District, we want to make sure our students are safe, and that your family does not have to go through such a tragedy. Working together with the school district, the community coalition and law enforcement will help ensure the safety of the children of West Allis-West Milwaukee.

Parent Resources

Alcohol

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>

We Don't Serve Teens

Provides parents and others with tools and information to reduce teen drinking

<http://www.consumer.ftc.gov/features/feature-0028-we-dont-serve-teens>

Students

The Cool Spot

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

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

Milwaukee County

West Allis-West Milwaukee Community Coalition (WAWMCC)

Providing support to the West Allis-West Milwaukee community to raise healthy, drug-free children.

<http://www.wawmcc.org>

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/>

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.

Marijuana

Facts Parents Need to Know

<http://www.drugabuse.gov/publications/marijuana-facts-parents-need-to-know/letter-to-parents>

Marijuana Resource Center

<http://www.whitehouse.gov/ondcp/marijuanainfo>

Prescription Drugs

Get Smart About Drugs

Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Resources for Parents

<http://www.getsmartaboutdrugs.com/>

Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewage District - Drug drop-off sites in southeastern Wisconsin

<http://mmsd.com/medicine-collection-day>

Stop Medicine Abuse

<http://www.stopmedicineabuse.org/>

Tobacco

Protect the Truth – Working to End Youth Smoking

<http://www.protectthetruth.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 **6th Annual Safe and Sober Coalition Fall Family Night**:

Antigua Latin and Mexican Restaurant, 5923 West Burnham Street.....(414) 321-5775
C'est la Vie Salon, 1913 S. 60th St.....(414) 546-3055
Great Clips, 2153 Miller Park Way(414) 645-8500
Great Clips, 10230 West National Avenue(414) 543-6698
Image Oasis Salon, 5826 W. Lincoln Ave.....(414) 541-5060
Inch By Inch Tanning, 2193 S. 60th St.....(414) 327-3090
Locker's Florist, 1640 S. 83rd St.(414) 276-7673

PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS

Krista Lisdahl, Ph.D. - Associate Professor UW – Milwaukee
Corporal Rod Nelson, West Allis Police Department
Youth Members, West Allis-West Milwaukee Community Coalition
West Allis Central High School Student Services Staff
Nathan Hale High School Student Services Staff

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 Interim Superintendent
Dr. Paul Strobel

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Daniel Bailey	Patricia Kerhin	Diane Narlock
Gail Radonski	Jeffrey Sikich	Susan Stalewski
Sue Sujecki	Patricia Ulwelling	Darlene Ziemendorf

West Allis High School Administrators

<u>West Allis Central High School</u>	<u>West Allis Nathan Hale High School</u>
Dr. Amy Van Deuren, Principal	Matt Lesar, Principal
Deann Yaklich, Assistant Principal	Jeff Borland, Assistant Principal
Paul Bursi, Dean of Students	Tiara Chambers, Assistant Principal
Kent Kleinowski, Academic Dean	Dave Coyle, Dean of Students
	Melissa Jovasevic, Academic Dean

WAWM Learning Center – James E. Dottke High School
Greg Goelz, Principal