

8th Annual Safe and Sober Spring Family Night

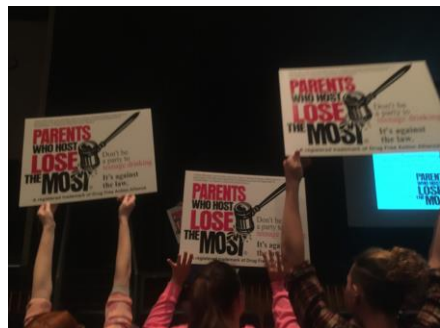


The 8th Annual Safe and Sober Spring Family Night was held on September 19, 2016 at Nathan Hale High School with over 200 parents and students attending. Working in collaboration with the West Milwaukee Police Department, the West Allis West Milwaukee School District and the West Allis-West Milwaukee Community Coalition information was shared for parents and students on staying safe and the consequences of making poor choices.

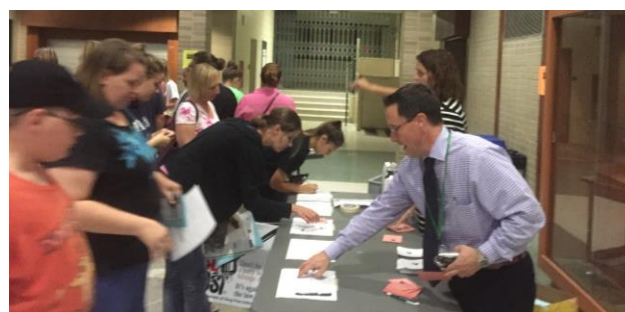
Corporal Rod Nelson of the West Allis Police Department presented a program titled “Don’t Be a Statistic”. Nathan Hale Administrators, Connie Bergmann and Matt Lesar presented on the dangers of alcohol use and school consequences.



Youth members from the West Allis-West Milwaukee Community Coalition presented information about the Family Pledge that was then signed by the 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 prom, graduation and summer.



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).





A Community Working Together to Encourage Safe Behaviors

**West Allis-West Milwaukee
School District**

Presents

8th Annual Safe and Sober Fall Family Night

Monday, September 19, 2016

7:00 pm

Nathan Hale High School Auditorium



**West Allis Central
High School**



**West Allis Nathan Hale
High School**

Tonight's Program

West Allis Central High School Auditorium

Monday, September 19, 2016

7:00 pm

- Opening Remarks:** **Matt Lesar**
Principal, Nathan Hale High School
- Program:** **Don't Be a Statistic**
Corporal Rod Nelson
West Allis Police Department
- Ms. Connie Bergmann & Mr. Matt Lesar**
Nathan Hale High School Administration
Dangers of Alcohol Use & School Consequences
- Family Pledge and
Parents Who Host
Campaign:** **Youth Members**
West Allis-West Milwaukee Community Coalition
- Thank You's and
Drawing for Prizes:** **Dr. Amy Van Deuren**
Principal, West Allis Central High School
Ms. Connie Bergmann
Assistant Principal, Nathan Hale 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 you receive a voucher for a discount on their purchase of a Prom ticket (\$10 if parent and youth attend, \$5 if only youth or parent).****

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/>

**24 hour drop boxes for prescription drugs are available at:
West Allis Police Department – 11301 West Lincoln Avenue**

West Milwaukee Police Department – 4755 West Beloit Road

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 **8th Annual Safe and Sober Coalition Fall Family Night**:

Antigua Latin and Mexican Restaurant, 5923 West Burnham Street.....(414) 321-5775
Cost Cutter's, 1625 Miller Park Way(414) 672-9214
Great Clips, 2153 Miller Park Way...(414) 645-8500
Inch by Inch Tanning, 2193 South 60 Street.....(414) 327-3090
Locker's Florist, 1640 South 83 Street.(414) 276-7673
Sculpting Craze, 9226 West Bluemound Road.....(414) 546-0601
Sports Clips, 2913 South 108 Street.....(414) 327-4866

PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS

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 Superintendent

Dr. Martin Lexmond

West Allis-West Milwaukee School Board Members

Daniel Bailey	Stephanie Emons	Heather Justham
Patricia Kerhin	Diane Narlock	Gail Radonski
Jeffrey Sikich	Sue Sujecki	Bill Ustruck

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	Connie Bergmann, Assistant Principal
Paul Bursi, Assistant Principal	Aaron Norris, Assistant Principal
Katie Coleman, Dean of Students	Darnell Wilz, Dean of Students
Kent Kleinowski, Academic Dean	Mary Washburn, Academic Dean

WAWM Learning Center

Jason Grabner, Principal/Administrator

Shared Journeys

Lisa Colla – Lead Teacher