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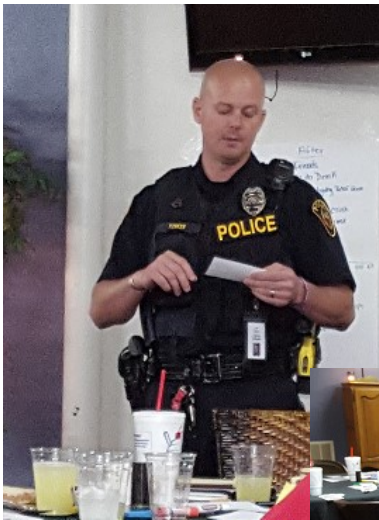
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Our Mission:

To combine efforts within the community to prevent and decrease drug use, and to increase the known factors that help to reduce

Sumner County Youth Summit

Students, school counselors, teachers, sponsors, and law enforcement officers from all over Sumner County came together on April 19th in Caldwell KS for the Sumner County Youth Summit. Students were divided into random work groups to collaborate and discuss issues in their schools and communities that affect the lives of students, parents, families, and the community they live in. Many ideas came out of this event. Now it's time for us to put those ideas into action!!



It was a great bunch of young people to spend the day with. In addition to alcohol and drug prevention talk, students were given information about the Kansas Youth Leadership Summit to be held this summer at the Rock Springs Ranch. Students were encouraged to attend and will be getting more information from their school counselors in the near future.

SCCDAT is registered for 2 teams of students to attend the Kansas Youth Leadership Summit. For more information please contact the SCCDAT office. There is NO COST to Students or Adult sponsors for this Summit. We would love to have them all represent Sumner County.



Don't be a party to teenage drinking.

It's against the law.

After collaborating with SCCDAT staff, Wellington High School students in the Crusader Way (Lions Quest) class chose Sticker Shock as their community service project. Students learned that the goal of the project is to educate

adults who might provide alcohol to youth about the law that prohibits furnishing alcohol to minors. Students from WHS delivered paper bags with warning stickers already placed on them to participating liquor stores as well as hangers with similar warnings to place on multi-packs of beer, wine coolers and other alcoholic beverages. These stickers and hangers warn purchasers that it is illegal to provide alcohol to minors. USD 353 SRO Office Jim Yunker/SADD Sponsor/ SCCDAT Law Enforcement Sector Rep talked with the team of students and accompanied them to the liquor stores to distribute the supplies. Students planned and carried out the project under the direction of Office Yunker, Karla Defore (Crusader Way teacher) and SCCDAT Staff.

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Many thanks to our partners throughout Sumner County. We couldn't do it without you. A special thank you to those who support us financial-

ly. SCCDAT has received financial donations from the City of Wellington (Special Alcohol/ Drug Tax), Sumner County Commissioners (Juvenile Justice Funds), the GKN Foundation, and individuals who support the mission of the Sumner County Community Drug Action Team. SCCDAT is a 501(c)(3) making all donations tax deductible!

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In 24 hours, your teen can:



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When asked in surveys how quickly they could get ahold of marijuana, on average teens say about one day. For alcohol, it's just an hour.

Have you thought about your child's ease of access to drugs and alcohol? Don't wait until you find it to talk about it. It Matters.



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SCCDAT is always looking to increase our coalition membership. Data from the Kansas Communities That Care (KCTC) survey reflect the seven school districts that make up Sumner County have had a significant reduction in the 30-Day Prevalence of alcohol use. School districts in Sumner County have participated in the KCTC survey since 1995, reporting the highest evidence of use in 1999 with a percentage of students in grades 6, 8, 10, and 12 reporting past 30-day use of alcohol at 44.92%. The 2016 percentage of 16.50% reflects a 28.42 percentage point reduction in 30-day alcohol use among youth. SCCDAT is confident that the prevention and awareness efforts by the coalition throughout the county have been a contributing factor in this reduction. Those numbers are impressive; however, there is still much work to be done. Together we can make a difference! If you would like more information about SCCDAT, please contact us!