



SCCDAT
SUMNER COUNTY COMMUNITY DRUG ACTION TEAM

SCCDAT NEWS

Sumner County Community Drug Action Team

January/February

ENGAGE! EMPOWER! EDUCATE!

- * **ENGAGE** communities, families and Youth in partnership to reduce substance abuse.
- * **EMPOWER** youth to make good decisions.
- * **EDUCATE** community members about prevention, awareness, and programs.

STICKER SHOCK

Sticker shock is an underage drinking prevention campaign in which the Sumner County Community Drug Action Team and the Sumner County Youth Council students team up to reduce underage drinking by limiting youth access to alcohol. The goal is to educate adults who might provide alcohol to youth about the law that prohibits furnishing alcohol to those under the age of 21. Students from area high schools will provide bags with warning stickers placed on them to participating liquor stores as well as bottle hangers with similar warnings to be placed on multi-packs of beer, wine, liquor, and other alcoholic beverages. These stickers and bottle hangers warn purchasers that it is illegal to provide alcohol to minors and list the consequences for doing so. Sticker Shock will take place this spring in Sumner County.



Wellington Students Graduate D.A.R.E.



5th Graders from across the USD 353 School District, were recognized one Wednesday evening in January, for their involvement this school year in the D.A.R.E. program, administered by SRO (and SCCDAT Sector Rep) Jim Yunker, also a member of the Wellington Police Department. WHS S.A.D.D. students assist Officer Yunker throughout the school year with these endeavors.

Awards were presented for a variety of reasons, including "best essay".



This year's winner was Dominic Jimenez. Diplomas were distributed by the area K-5 Principals. Congratulations to the Eagles, Patriots, Cardinals and Mustangs! We are excited to see you carry your knowledge of prevention forward!

SCCDAT needs YOU!



SCCDAT has openings on the sector rep board and the key leader board that we are looking to fill at this time. Filling these positions is crucial in order for our coalition to be successful. If you or someone you know might be interested in joining SCCDAT and helping us to make Sumner County a healthier and safer place, please reach out to us by email at sccdat@usd353.com. The sector rep board meets on the second Tuesday of each month at noon. The key leader board meets on a quarterly basis during the noon hour as well. All of our representatives help us in various ways, including activity planning and implementation, data collection, prevention education, advertising, etc. Please share this information with your friends and we look forward to hearing from you!

UPCOMING:

Our next coalition meeting will take place on **Tuesday, March 12th** at noon at the Sumner County Economic Development Office. We will be brainstorming new initiatives and the plans for existing initiatives. Please feel free to join us or contact us for more information about how to get involved with **SCCDAT!**

SCCDAT—Serving all of Sumner County



KANSAS
Communities That Care
Student Survey

SUMNER COUNTY

Fact of the Month

89% of Sumner County 6th/8th/10th/12th reported that IS important to be honest with their parents and tell them the truth even if that means they get upset and suffer consequences.

Contact Us

Give us a call for more information about the coalition and our programs.

Sumner County
Community Drug Action Team
(SCCDAT)
PO Box 505
Wellington, KS 67152

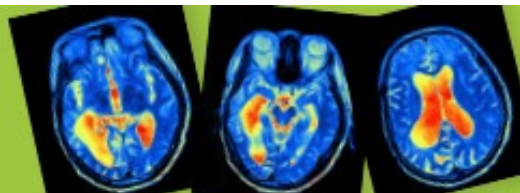
(620) 326-4310
sccdat@usd353.com

Visit us on the web at
www.sccdat.org

Or Like us on Facebook



**Willpower won't cure
opioid addiction.**



every
choice **It**
Matters
itmattersks.org