

Joining School, Family, and Community in a partnership to promote healthy, resilient, and drug free youth and to prevent youth suicide
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May 2022 Coalition Newsletter

This is the last edition of the Coalition Newsletter until August 2022.



Congratulations to Our Graduating Youth Coalition Members!

At our May 3rd Coalition Meeting, we recognized the 15 graduating members of the Chippewa Valley and Dakota High School Coalition Teen Councils (CTCs). **Our CTCs, now 149 youth members strong**, are vitally important to the Coalition. They serve as role models for their peers, promote a positive school climate, and move forward the mission of the Coalition through their many activities and initiatives.



The Alcohol Tobacco Retailer Project - May 11th

On Wednesday, May 11th, members of our Chippewa Valley and Dakota High School Coalition Teen Councils, staff of CARE of SE Michigan, and Clinton Township and Sheriff's Department police officers visited 60 retailers in the geographic area of Chippewa Valley Schools. Students and officers provided stores with information about the importance of not selling alcohol and tobacco/vape products underage.

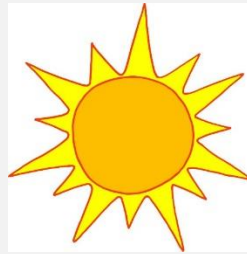
No! Taking the Keys is Not the Answer!



Tips for Parents: Have a Safe and Legal Party

The Coalition is Working to Inform Parents about the Dangers of Youth Alcohol Use Before Prom and Graduation

The Coalition is broadly disseminating informational materials to raise parental awareness of the dangers of allowing teen drinking. *Tips for Parents: Have a Safe and Legal Party* and other materials are available on the Coalition's website www.cvcoalition.org.



The Work of the Coalition Goes On This Summer. It includes...

- Meetings of our Executive Board, Committees, & Work Groups
- Creating New Coalition Prevention Materials for Students, Parents, & Community
- Updating *Life of an Athlete* Chippewa Valley Schools
- Organizing the *SMART Moves* Drug Prevention Program
- Planning Our *Red Ribbon Campaign*
- Organizing the 2022 *Be Aware 5k for Youth Suicide Prevention*
- Advocating for Policy That Protects Students, Families, & Community
- Community Outreach to Expand Coalition Partnerships
- AND MUCH MORE!

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