



A Community Town Hall Meeting About Underage Drinking

It's more important than ever to begin teaching youth at an early age about the dangers of alcohol.

What does "underage drinking," mean to South Dakota Parents?

40% of high school students have had one or more drinks of alcohol in the past 30 days.

26% have had 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row on one or more days during the past 30 days.

SDYRBS 2009

79 South Dakota teens were injured in alcohol-related crashes in 2010 and 5 died.

SD Dept. Public Safety

The goal of this meeting is to increase community awareness about the dangers of underage drinking and identify how it can affect everyone.

This is an opportunity for parents, youth, and community members to talk about how to avoid the personal and legal consequences of underage drinking.

Panel members:

Aaron McGowan, Minn. Co. State's Attorney
Dr. Beth Lapka, Sanford Health Trauma Five
Sgt. Jerry Winter, Minn. Co. Sheriff's Dept.
Shilpa Chandran, Mayor's Youth Council

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