

“BEING DRUG FREE, I LIKE THAT ABOUT ME!”

The theme was developed by a seventh grade student at Harborside Academy.

CELEBRATING 30 YEARS OF KENOSHA COUNTY RED RIBBON CAMPAIGN

Oct. 14-20, 2018

Red Ribbon Week is the nation's oldest and largest drug prevention program in the country, reaching millions of Americans during October every year. By wearing red ribbons and participating in community anti-drug events, young people pledge to live a drug-free life and pay tribute to DEA Special Agent Enrique Kiki Camarena.

Special Agent Camarena was an 11-year veteran of the DEA assigned to the Guadalajara, Mexico office where he was on the trail of the country's biggest marijuana and cocaine traffickers. On Feb. 7, 1985, he was kidnapped, brutally tortured and murdered by Mexican drug traffickers. His tragic death opened the eyes of many Americans as to the dangers of drugs and the international scope of the drug trade.

Shortly after Special Agent Camarena's death, Congressman Duncan Hunter and high school friend Henry Lozano launched "Camarena Clubs" in his hometown of Calexico, California. Hundreds of club members pledged to lead drug-free lives to honor the sacrifice made by Kiki Camarena. These pledges were delivered to First Lady Nancy Reagan at a national conference of parents combating youth drug use. Several state parent organizations then called on community groups to wear red ribbons in October as a symbol of their support to live a drug-free lifestyle. The first Red Ribbon Week celebration was held in LaMirada and Norwalk, California. In 1988, the National Family Partnership (NFP) coordinated the first National Red Ribbon Week with President and Mrs. Reagan serving as honorary chairpersons.

Kenosha County has celebrated Red Ribbon week since 1988 through the efforts of the Concerned Citizens Coalition. This year, Mayor John Antaramian, is serving as Honorary Chairperson of Kenosha County Red Ribbon Campaign, celebrating 30 years, Oct. 14-20, 2018. The campaign is supported by the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department, City of Kenosha Police Department, Concerned Citizens Coalition and the Kenosha Unified School District's Community School Relations Office.



30th Annual Kenosha County Red Ribbon Campaign

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Oct. 14-20, 2018

Honorary chair: Mayor John Antaramian

All programs are FREE OF CHARGE.

To register to attend and free child care, please call 262-359-2256.

Monday, Oct. 15

OPENING SCHOOL CEREMONY

Harborside Academy auditorium

913 57th St. – enter through auditorium door entrance

9 a.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 16

ACTIVE PARENTING

A four week series that addresses homework strategies, communication and problem solving solutions

Presenter: Donna Rhodes, Gang Intervention Supervisor Kenosha County

Wilson Elementary School

4520 33rd Ave. – enter through door #8

5:30 p.m. meal, 6 p.m. program with free child care

Wednesday, Oct. 17

ANNUAL CONCERNED CITIZENS COALITION MEETING

Lord of Life Lutheran Church

5601 Washington Road

Presentation: Teen Task Force

Noon lunch with 12:20 p.m. presentation and meeting

FIGHT BACK: COMMUNITY DRUG INFORMATION FORUM

Moderator: Jeff Wamboldt, City of Kenosha Police Department Crime Prevention Specialist

Panel: Kenosha County Sheriff David Beth, District Attorney Mike Graveley and

Judge Mary Kay Wagner

Lord of Life Lutheran Church

5601 Washington Road

6 p.m. meal, 6:30 p.m. program with free child care

Thursday, Oct. 18

“SCREENAGERS” - see back page for details

Mahone Middle School

6900 60th St. – enter through auditorium doors

6:30 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 19

HEALTHY HABITS

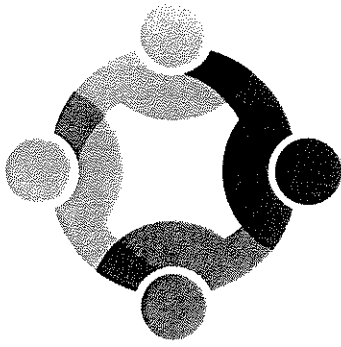
Presenter: Dominique Pritchett, Oakwood Clinic Psychotherapist

ELCA Outreach Center

6218 26th Ave. – enter through front door

12 p.m. lunch, 12:15 p.m. program

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FIGHT BACK:

COMMUNITY DRUG INFORMATION FORUM

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 17

Lord of Life Lutheran Church, 5601 Washington Road • 6 p.m. meal, 6:30 p.m. program with free child care

Join us for an informative evening about the current AOD issues that Kenosha County is facing and how it compares to the national drug use issues. Learn from the panel of experts:

MODERATOR: Jeff Wamboldt, City of Kenosha Crime Prevention Specialist

PANELIST: Kenosha County Sheriff David Beth, District Attorney Mike Graveley and Judge Mary Kay Wagner



ACTIVE PARENTING PROGRAM HOSTED AT WILSON ELEMENTARY

Starting Tuesday, Oct. 16 - Tuesday, Nov. 1, 2010
Wilson Elementary School, 4520 33rd Ave. • 5:30 p.m. Free Meal • 6 p.m. Program



Presented by: Donna Rhodes
Gang Intervention Supervisor
Kenosha County

KEY COMPONENTS

- Homework strategies for your kids (and you)
- Keys to active listening and better communication
- Positive praise and your child's self-esteem
- Problem solving solutions for the whole family

FREE CHILD CARE PROVIDED

SCREEN AGERS


GROWING UP IN THE DIGITAL AGE

Join us for a special screening that explores family struggles regarding social media, video games, academics and internet addiction, as well as offers solutions parents can use to help children navigate the digital world.



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18 @ 6:30 PM
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