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COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOLS

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Parents:FYI!!!!!!

Internet Safety Tips for Parents

Parents are encouraged to become familiar with the daily computer activities of their children. Following is information that will help you as a parent stay abreast of your child's cyber world activities. Keep the computer in a common room of the house. Speak openly about safety issues. Children will be less likely to come to you if the issue is shrouded in secrecy. If they feel that you are comfortable discussing the subject matter, they may be more forthcoming with you. Get involved. Tell your children to show you the sites they like to visit online. Keep their passwords readily available and access your child's account regularly. Set clear rules restricting children from providing their name, address, telephone number, picture's and other personal information online. Tell your children they are never to agree to get together with someone they "meet" online. Warn them of the dangers of such meetings and tell them to alert you if someone approaches them about setting up a face-to-face meeting. Tell your children they should never give out personal information about themselves, including where they go to school, their address, or telephone number. Ask them to report unwanted solicitations to a trusted adult. If you or they become aware of the sharing, use or viewing of child pornography online, immediately report this to the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children at 1(800) 843-5678 or online at www.cybertipline.com. Tell them not to believe everything they read in chat rooms. Remember, a person who says they are a 14-year-old girl from Texas may really be a 42-year-old man from your hometown. If someone harasses your child online, says anything inappropriate, or does anything that makes your child feel uncomfortable, make sure they know to tell you or a trusted adult and contact your internet service provider. Remind them that a "friend" they meet online may not be the best person to talk to if they are having problems at home, with their friends, or at school.

Teen Chat Lingo

A/S/L- Age, Sex, Location

H&K- Hug and Kiss

ILU- I Love You

IPN- I'm Posting Naked

IWALU- I Will Always Love You

MOSS- Member of Same Sex

TAW- Teachers Are Watching

WUF- Where Are You From

NIFOC- Naked In Front Of Computer

NP- Nosy Parents

OLL- Online Love

P911- My Parents Are Coming!

PAL- Parents Are Listening

PANB- Parents Are Nearby

POS- Parent Over Shoulder

IRI- In Real Life

Neighborhood/ Community News

Northeast Police District
Community Relation
Meetings are held the
third Wednesday of every
month. 7-9 P.M.

Hamilton-Hills
Community Association
Meetings are held the
third Wednesday bi
monthly, the next
meeting is March
19,2008.

Crime Watch Numbers
are available if you want
to report a crime to the
police department
anonymously. Please
contact the Northeast
police district if you
would like to obtain an
application at 410-396-
2444

Important Numbers

First Call for Help
1-800-492-0618/410-685-
0525
**Maryland Youth Crisis
Hotline**
1-800-422-0009
Crisis Hotline
410-752-2272
**Dept. of Social Services
Information**
443-423-6300
Baltimore Gas & Electric
410-685-0123
Eviction Prevention
410-878-8550
Free Legal Help
410-547-6537
Northeast Police Station
410-396-2444
HarBel (F. Lewis)
410-444-2100

Online HSA Help
HSAexam.org

W.E.B Dubois' Discovery Program: Substance Abuse Counseling



Do you know this man? This man is

Mr. Winston Greene, MA, CSC-AD. He is the Site Coordinator for Discovery Program at W.E.B Dubois High School housed in Northern Complex. The Discovery Program is a resource for students dealing specifically with alcohol and drug issues, dating, friends and relationships, family and home issues. The program can also help with study skills, college coaching, job seeking skills, and resume help. This program is called a Student Assistance Program(SAP) designed to promote academic success by helping to prevent and/or address substance use and abuse among students at W.E.B Dubois High School. The Discovery Program is a collaborative effort of the Baltimore City Health Dept. and Mountain Manor Treatment Center, a local agency providing a full range of substance abuse and mental health services for Baltimore youth and families. The discovery Program also offers small group counseling for students, parent/family counseling and support services, and referral and linkage to other agencies and community resources.

Prevention Program: Research-based prevention programming to engage youth, drug addiction, on-site mentoring, life skills, and resiliency training

Training/Capacity Building: Training for teachers, administrators, and other community stakeholders on substance abuse and mental health services

For more information on making referrals to this program please contact W.E.B Dubois's main office at 410-396-6435

HARBEL Prevention and Recovery Center



Ms. Tara Haislip B.T.P.S and Mrs. Jessica Hurst, M.A.

Mrs. Jessica Hurst and Ms. Tara Haislip are counselors working for the HARBEL Prevention and Recovery Center in Northeast Baltimore. They provide the services of the HARBEL Program to students at Reginald F. Lewis High School. HARBEL is a state certified non-profit agency that offers substance abuse and prevention and treatment services. They provide outreach services into local schools and are able to offer individual and group counseling. The services are a collaborative effort between Reginald F. Lewis High School and HARBEL to encourage positive youth development. Topics covered in individual and/or group counseling sessions include, but are not limited to: Healthy decision making, resisting peer pressure, identifying positive coping skills for school and family difficulties, and encouraging school attendance and appropriate classroom behaviors. Ms. Hurst and Ms. Haislip are at Reginald F. Lewis on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from either 9-1 or 10-2. The program runs throughout the school year. They are located in the health suite #331. For more information on making referrals please contact the Community School Coordinators office at 443-388-0298.

Community Resource News! “Take the Money! Make sure you get all of the tax credit you deserve. You’ve earned it!” Call for information about free tax preparation at 410-685-0525 or www.baltimorecashcampaign.org