

SAFE HOME PARENT PLEDGE TO THE NDPMA COMMUNITY 2019-2020

In order to work with our families for the well-being of our students and to promote a sense of trust and support among our parents, NDPMA invites parents to sign the “Safe Home Pledge.” It is a voluntary and sincere commitment that parents make to other parents in our school community to obey the law and to safeguard our children. The goal of the school is to work with families within our community to foster opportunities for students to get together in a safe and supervised environment. In order to be designated a “Safe Home” in the NDPMA Student-Parent Directory parents agree to:

- Be at home and actively supervising when other minors are invited to your home
- Remove alcohol from the area of the gathering or lock it away
- Never serve alcohol to minors, nor allow consumption of alcohol or other drugs by minors on your property or at your gatherings
- Be aware of who is coming to your home and that they are not under the influence of alcohol or drugs
- Be open to receiving phone calls from other parents who want to make sure that there will be a safe and actively supervised environment
- Check out one or more resources listed here or educate yourself in some other way for the safety of our children

INTERNET RESOURCES

Teen Resources:

(helpful for parents too)

www.abovetheinfluence.com

An interactive website for teens and parents.

www.checkyourself.com

Website encourages youth to check themselves.

www.teens.drugabuse.gov

Provides information for teens.

www.justthinktwice.com

Offers facts on drugs.

www.slstoday.org

Student Leadership Services

www.sadd.org

Students Against Destructive Decisions

Parent Resources:

www.oakgov.com/circuit/calendar

Provides up-to-date parent education resources.

www.theantidrug.com

Offers help, resources, facts.

www.talkingwithkids.org

Offers a variety of topics.

www.gettingthemsober.com

Website on recovery.

www.cadca.org

Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America.

www.inhalants.org

Provides information specifically on inhalants.

Other Resources:

www.ncadd.org

National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence.

www.niaa.nih.gov

National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA)

www.drugfree.org

Partnership for Drug Free America

Provides drug prevention, intervention, treatment, and recovery resources for parents and teens.

www.familiesagainstnarcotics.org

Drugs affect all communities and people from all walks of life. Families Against Narcotics (FAN) reaches out to parents and community members.

www.nacoa.org

The National Association for Children of Alcoholics

Designed to increase awareness and education of the needs of children of the addicted.

www.teens.drugabuse.gov

Developed to support the efforts of parents and other caring adults to promote mental health and prevent the use of alcohol, tobacco, and illegal drugs among 7 to 18 year olds.

www.americanathleticinstitute.org

Provides helpful medical and developmental information about the impact of alcohol/drugs on young people. A good site for everyone, not only athletes.

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I/we request that our home be designated a “Safe Home” in the NDPMA Student-Parent Directory.

Print student name(s) _____ Grade _____

_____ Grade _____

_____ Grade _____

Parent signature _____

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Please return this form to the Principal’s Office at NDPMA