

Fulton County Focus

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Fulton County Prosecutor partners with Healthy Choices Caring Communities on #Talk2Me Campaign



Archbold students show off their #Talk2Me tshirts!

Middle School students in Fulton County have been showing school spirit with their new t-shirts that are part of the #Talk2Me Campaign sponsored by Fulton County Prosecutor Scott Haselman and Healthy Choices Caring Communities (HC3).

“The Fulton County Prosecutors Office is proud to partner with HC3 in the fight against youth substance abuse. The goal of the #Talk2Me campaign is to simply recognize the influence that parents and adults have, and to encourage them to talk with their kids, grandkids and the other young people in their lives about the dangers of drugs.” The campaign aims to engage parents and other adults to build skills through the many resources available on the HC3 website www.HC3Partnership.org/talk2me and to take the opportunity to speak with their child about substance use.



Delta students show their spirit!!

In the 2016 Fulton County Community Health Status Report, **63% of Fulton County youth report their PARENTS as the number one influence in making substance use choices.** This is triple the percentage of influence attributed to their peers!

The shirts are one of several public awareness efforts for the campaign which includes billboards, flyers and social media posts, as well as a top 10 winning video PSA “Use your Impact...Talk2Me” developed by the Youth Advisory Council this year.

Kids whose parents talk about the dangers of substance use regularly are 50% less likely to use alcohol and drugs than those whose parents don't have that discussion.

Fulton County Senior Center visits the Hudson Dairy

The Fulton County Senior Center recently took a day trip to the Hudson Dairy. There was so much interest in the trip, that they scheduled a second trip in November! Day trips in 2017 have been very popular.

For upcoming events, visit www.fultoncountyoh.com/seniorcenter or call 419-337-9799 to request *The Senior-Bzz* Newsletter!



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