

Kosciusko Coalition on Drug Education (KCODE)

2011 Officer Terry Polston Memorial Drug & Alcohol Quiz Bowl

Kosciusko County Event Date: Saturday, April 30, 2011— 10:30 AM

Place: Warsaw Community Public Library

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5th & 6th Grade Winners advance to the:

2010 Northeast Regional Advisory Board Drug & Alcohol Quiz Bowl

Regional Event Date: Saturday, May 14, 2011 @ 10:30 AM

Place: Fort Wayne – Ivy Tech Community College Auditorium

Contest Rules

1. Any student in grades 5 or 6 enrolled in a Kosciusko County elementary or middle school is eligible to participate. Each school is responsible for selecting one representative from each grade. Selected students must be determined for the County Quiz Bowl by Monday, April 26th for the May 1st event. DARE Officers: please contact Heather Desenberg.
2. **All questions at the countywide contest will be drawn from the content in this booklet. Copies of the booklet and entry forms are delivered to all DARE Officers in Kosciusko County.**
3. Students may not use booklets during the school and/or countywide competition. You may use the booklets during the sequestered portion of the pre-event. Bring them with you.
4. Once the countywide competition begins, participants will be required to remain seated in a designated area. Conversation will be limited to responding to questions only.
5. Questions will be single elimination with 30 seconds to respond. Questions may be repeated once, and students may ask for spellings of words.
6. The final question must be answered correctly by the remaining contestant or the round will be restarted.
7. Judges calls are final. No coaching or leading from observers will be allowed during the countywide competition.
8. If a playoff round is necessary, students may be asked to spell words selected from the booklet.
9. Winners of the April 30, 2011 County-wide participation will automatically be entered in the Regional Quiz Bowl to be held at the Ft. Wayne Public Library on May 14, 2011. In the event that the winner cannot participate, the runner-up in that grade's competition will replace them.

Marijuana Fast Facts

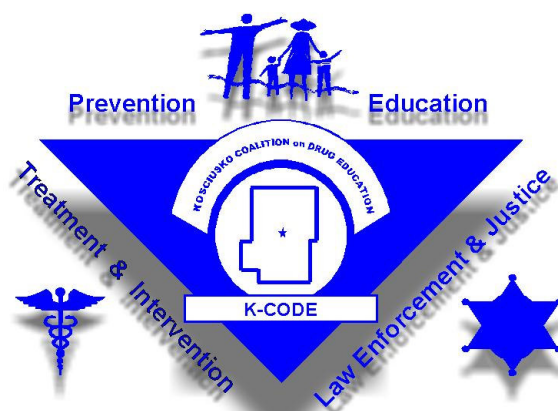
Research has shown that using marijuana can damage memory and learning and that damage can last for days or weeks after the initial effects of the drug wear off.

Students who smoke marijuana get lower grades and are less likely to graduate from high school than their classmates who do not use marijuana.

The Kosciusko Coalition on Drug Education (KCODE) is the Local Coordinating Council of the Governor's Commission for a Drug-Free Indiana. Founded in 1989, the purpose of KCODE is to create an atmosphere in which substance abuse is no longer the social norm by:

- Educating parents, young people and community members about the long-term consequences of alcohol and other drug use.
- Promoting communication within the family unit and among the parents of a child's friendship circle.
- Developing capable young people and responsible adults.
- Exploring the development of activities that do not involve the use of alcohol or drugs.
- Bringing together parents, schools, churches and community services in a non-blaming effort to restore a wholesome social environment

Sources for Quiz Bowl material: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration; Indiana Prevention Resource Center; National Institute on Drug Abuse



Get help if you need it. Agencies offer information and counseling about drug and alcohol addiction.

For more information, call Heather Desenberg (KCODE Coordinator) at 574-265-1169 or email hdesenberg@embarqmail.com.

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