

**West County Coalition for Alcohol and Drug-Free Youth**  
**Sebastopol Police Department**

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***Parent/Community Pledge (2015-2016)***

Endorsed by Sebastopol Chief of Police, Jeff Weaver and Superintendents Steven Kellner (WSCUHSD);  
Linda Irving (Sebastopol Union); Barbara Bickford (Twin Hills Union) and Linda LaMarre (Gravenstein Union)

The *West County Coalition for Alcohol and Drug-Free Youth* is a group of your friends and neighbors who have come together to address high rates of underage alcohol, marijuana and other drug use. As parents and community members, we can join together to help reduce underage substance abuse and associated problems by taking measures to prevent youth from obtaining and using substances in our own homes and other social settings that we are responsible for.

**Yes, I want to join other community members in signing the 2015-2016 Parent/Community Pledge.**

I understand that consuming alcohol, marijuana and other drugs affects the developing brain and body of youth and results in numerous other public health and safety consequences. Therefore, I make the following commitment to my children, my family and my community (please check boxes below).

- I will not make alcohol, marijuana, tobacco or other illicit drugs available to children (under 21) in my house, on my property, or other settings that I am responsible for.
- I will actively supervise (be visible and aware) at all gatherings or parties of youth in my home, on my property or other settings that I am responsible for.
- I will not allow youth parties or gatherings in my home when I or another responsible adult is not present.
- I will set expectations for my children so that I know where they are going, whom they will be with, what their plans are, and when they are to return.
- I am aware of the Sebastopol Social Host Ordinance that holds adults and others legally accountable for social gatherings on private or public property where underage drinking occurs.
- I will share the information about this pledge with my children.

**Parent/Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Child's School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Name(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email address:** \_\_\_\_\_

Your signed pledge will be kept by the *West County Coalition for Alcohol and Drug-Free Youth*  
in collaboration with your child's school. **Please return your signed Pledge to:**

Diane Davis, Sebastopol Police Department  
6850 Laguna Park Way, Sebastopol, CA 95472  
or [dianedavis3@gmail.com](mailto:dianedavis3@gmail.com)

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**For questions or to learn more about the *West County Coalition for Alcohol and Drug-Free Youth* contact  
Diane Davis (707) 829-4400 (Sebastopol Police Department)**