

# HC DrugFree: Keeping Howard County *in the KNOW!* ...knowledge is power, so just say KNOW

# "It is not joy that makes us grateful; it is gratitude that makes us joyful" David Steindl - Rast

#### **HC DrugFree's Take Back Event Slideshow**

Please take a few minutes to enjoy HC DrugFree's <u>commemorative</u> <u>slideshow</u> of our October 29 drive-thru medication and sharps collection.

Again, thank you to the community, our partners, and our dedicated and caring team!!! Together, we collected 1,294 lbs. (45 white bins) of medication. The additional 23 red bins of sharps were not included in the weight.



Working Together to Keep Howard County Safe



So glad that our 100 medication lockboxes have found new homes where they can be put to use to help protect Howard County families. In the photo above, Executive Director Joan Webb Scornaienchi showed a medication storage lockbox (\$42 value) to Lieutenant Kurt Wall from the Howard County Office of the Sheriff. Thank you, Lt. Wall for directing traffic and supporting HC DrugFree throughout the year.

The photos below show a small portion of medication and sharps collected at the event and sorted by our skilled medical team. Again, thank you, team.





### Thank You, HCPD and Wegmans



Thank you to the Howard County Police Department (HCPD) for guarding and

transporting the medication collected and to Wegmans in Columbia for volunteering and helping to fund our event. We appreciate all that HCPD and Wegmans do to serve the Howard County community throughout the year.

Left to right in photo above: HCPD DFC Jeremy Zhou, Dan Morrow from Wegmans, Joan Webb Scornaienchi, Derrick Frazier from Wegmans, and HCPD Sgt. Sam Honablew.

## Still Serving the Community



Back together again and still serving the community! Thank you to the former members of Soroptimist International of Howard County (SIHC) for supporting HC DrugFree and volunteering at these collection events throughout the year.

Left to right in photo above: Joan Webb Scornaienchi, Kathy Corley Murray, Jacque Galke, and Glenda Johnson.

#### **Thank You for Tables**



Thank you to Linda Lamppert Leslie, Kathy and Dale Linne von Berg, and Vanessa Bergolios for providing tables for our event. Our team could not do

what we do without the support of the community. It takes village!!!

#### Take the Pledge and Share Your Photo



We invite all parents, students, and community members to take HC DrugFree's Parent/Student/ Community Member Pledge.
Visit <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HCDFPledge">https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HCDFPledge</a> to take the pledge or download a copy <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HCDFPledge">here</a>.





Once you've taken the pledge, please use one of these downloadable signs to **take a photo and upload it** to the <u>pledge site</u> so that we can show everyone how committed we all are to keeping Howard County safe.

#### We're Hiring!!! Join Our Team Today

We're still hiring for a few more part-time positions. Come join our team!

#### Do you:

- Have excellent computer skills?
- Have good writing skills?
- Enjoy multitasking? (We move fast!!!)
- Want to work at least 20 hours a week (depending on skills, number of people hired, and schedule, may have option to work 30 or more hours)?
- · Like working with teens, parents and the entire Howard County

#### community?

- Want to teach or assist with classes?
- · Like creating ads and sharing on social media?
- Want to feel wonderful about the work you do each day?
- ...and above all, do you like wearing GREEN???

Please visit our website **Employment Page** for more information and **submit your resume ASAP.** 

#### We Need YOU!

It's simple. If you like our work, please donate today. (Photo from October 29 Take Back Event.)















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