



# Dothan High School

Students Against Destructive Decisions

2013-2014

## **Club Awards, Achievements, and Honors**

410 Active Members

12,153 Community Service Hours

97 Alabama Congressional Award Recipients

54 Presidential Volunteer Service Award Recipients

AT&T It Can Wait "Drive 4 Pledges" - National Campaign Competition Winner

i.AM – DHS SADD Original Bully Awareness Program – SADD National Award Winning Activity

## **Individual Member Awards and Honors**

2 Students chosen for the National Organizations for Youth Safety (NOYS) Global Youth Traffic Safety Committee and Summit in Washington D.C. Only 12 students chosen from across the United States.

1 Student chosen to represent Alabama as a SADD National Leadership Council Member 2013-2014. She was 1 of 10 students selected to represent students from across America. She was responsible for planning the SADD National Conference in Washington D.C. in June 2014.

1 Student chosen as a member of the SADD National Leadership Council 2014-2015. She is 1 of 10 students selected from across America. She is responsible for planning the National Convention in Nashville, TN in June 2015.

2 Students selected as national members of SADD SPEAK's (Students for Policy, Education, Advocacy and Knowledge). These students spoke in Washington D.C. on Capital Hill for Teen Safe Driving. They were trained in Washington D.C. as advocates for teen safe driving.

6 Students selected to participate in Rotary Club Youth Leadership Training 4 day conference

2 Students selected as members of the Dothan Tobacco Coalition

2 Students selected as members of Dothan Bully Prevention Project

## **Advisor Awards and Honors**

Chris Payne – Advisor

Presidential Call to Service Award – Over 4000 hours of community service in a lifetime

Dothan High School Teacher of the Year 2014-2015

Dothan City Schools Secondary Teacher of the Year 2014-2015

Alabama District 2 Secondary Teacher of the Year 2014-2015

Alabama Secondary Teacher of the Year 2014-2015

Alabama Alternate Teacher of the Year 2014-2015



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## Club Activities

34 Weekly Meetings

6 Tailgating Parties

Over 1700 people in attendance

2 LifeSouth Blood Drives

Pumpkin Patch – First United Methodist Church – Unloaded thousands of pumpkins for event

Taste of the Wiregrass – March of Dimes – Serves as greeters and servers for annual fundraiser

Fall Festival – Dothan Leisure Services – We hosted different carnival games for people with special needs

Holiday of Hope – Wiregrass Hospice fundraiser - Served as vendor assistants, children's activities, and runners

9 Days of National Peanut Festival – Lost Child Identification Armbands – Safety Committee

Blue Jeans for Babies – March of Dimes – Sam's Club – Sort thousands of blue jeans for Fundraiser. Sold blue jeans at the Sam's Club Blue Jeans for Babies sale

Fall Festival – Wiregrass Education Foundation – Fundraiser for grants

2 Movie Nights – Sponsored a neighborhood movie night with free popcorn and cokes

Thanksgiving For the Homeless – The Harbor Ministries – Cooked and served thanksgiving Dinner

Angel Tree – Salvation Army – Volunteered taking donations for Angel Tree

Education Summit – Dothan City Schools – Showcased the best of Dothan High

Girard Elementary School – Landscaping the playground

Jennifer Claire Moore Foundation – Presenter on "How to Develop Teen Leaders"

Red Out – American Heart Association – Fundraiser T-Shirt Sale

Peer Mentor Training

Gut Run 5K & 10K – American Cancer Society – Worked the water stations on route

Kick Butts Day – Campaign for Tobacco Free Kids – Tobacco Awareness Rally and Event

Kite Day – Cloverdale Elementary – Built Kites and aided students in getting them airborne

Rotary Youth Leadership Conference – Training teens to become leaders

Special Olympics – Volunteered to run activities at the Annual Special Olympics

Bully Conference – The DHS SADD i.AM Bully Project Conference

Family Fun Day – Miracle League Field – Worked the concession stand and games at annual Event

Girls Incorporated Bully Conference



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## **Club Activities Continued**

4 Field Day Volunteer Events–

Cloverdale Elementary

Heard Elementary

Hidden Lake Elementary

Selma Street Elementary

Drug, Alcohol, and Tobacco (D.A.T.) Conference – Advisor Speaker on Destructive Decisions

Cystic Fibrosis Walk – Volunteered to setup event, run activities, and serve food – Fundraiser

Comcast Cares Day – NBC – Painted a community resource center

National Organizations for Youth Safety – Global Youth Traffic Safety Summit – Washington D.C.

Semi-Truck Blind Spot Event - Sam's Club – Provided education and simulation of being in the blind spot of a semi-truck

It Can Wait – Pledge for Drive Event – Activities related to texting and driving

Alabama SADD State Convention – Montgomery, Alabama - Dothan High was the host school for conference

SADD National Conference – Washington D.C.

## **Destructive Decisions Covered**

Bullying – 4 Meetings, 2 Conferences

i.AM Bully Program

Teen Safe Driving – 8 Meetings

AT&T It Can Wait Campaign – Dangers of Texting and Driving

Sam's Club Blind Spot Demo – Dangers of driving in blind spots

Training on National Teen Safe Driving Laws (Map 21) – SADD SPEAK's

Training on Teen Safe Driving Issues – NOYS

Tobacco – 5 Meetings

Kick Butts Day – Community Tobacco Education and Awareness Event  
e-cigarette training

Dangers of smokeless tobacco

Alcohol – 4 Meetings

Brain development and alcohol

Effects of drinking and driving – Laws

Drugs – 5 Meeting

Dangers of synthetic drugs – Types, issues in Alabama, local law enforcement

Drugs and terrorism

Colorado and Marijuana