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STEP UP PORTERVILLE CONFERENCE 2012

5:00 P.M. TO 8:30 P.M.
THURSDAY, MAY 3, 2012
GRANITE HILLS HIGH SCHOOL



*Serving the City of Porterville and Our
Surrounding Communities*

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 5:00p.m. - 6:00p.m:** Dinner, Resource Fair & Booth Visitation
- 6:00p.m. - 6:10 p.m:** Special Guests Introduction:
Supervisor Mike Ennis
Councilman Brian Ward
- 6:10 p.m. - 7:10 p.m:** Keynote Speaker; Richard Ramos,
Founder - Parents on a Mission
- 7:15 p.m. - 8:00 p.m:** Breakout Sessions
- 8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.** Closing Remarks &
Raffle Prize Drawings

YOUTH BREAKOUT SESSIONS

Kindergarten to 2nd Graders - "Staying Safe" Cafeteria
CSO Jodi Harper & Special Guest - McGruff the Crime Dog,
Porterville Police Department

3rd to 5th Graders - "Bullying Prevention" Room 810
What's involved in bullying, why it hurts, and what you can do
to prevent it. Presented by Tom Byars, Certified Olweus
Bullying Prevention Trainer

6th to 7th Graders - "What do you Know about Gangs?"
Room 811 The myths versus realities of gangs and gang life.
Presented by Tulare County Probation Department

8 to 12th Graders - "Who Are You?" Top of Pyramid
A powerful session; Real life stories and experiences from the
streets of Porterville. Become a "citizen," leader, and mentor in
your community - not just a statistic in the prison system.
Presented by Pastor Nestor Lambarena, Victory Outreach

8 to 12th Graders - "Teen Dating Violence" Room 812
Learn why a healthy and loving relationship is one without any
type of violence. Presented by the Family Crisis Center



ADULT SESSIONS (Presented in Spanish)

"Panel of Local Experts Open Forum" Main Amphitheater
Captain Silver Rodriguez, PPD; Dr. Martha Stuemke, PUSD;
Detective Merced Zamora, TCSO

ADULT SESSIONS (Presented in English)

"Local Gang Trends; Information for Parents" Room 808
Presented by Joe Aguilar, Tulare County Office of Education

"Parental Rights" Room 807
Learn and understand your rights as a parent/guardian.
Presented by Honorable Valeriano Saucedo, Judge of the
Tulare County Superior Court

"Employment Assistance in Today's World" Room 806
Learn interviewing skills, resume assistance, and networking
for today's working world. Presented by Dave Hawks, The
Employment Connection

"Parenting Skills" Room 805
Learn effective strategies towards becoming a healthy &
loving family. Presented by the Family Crisis Center

"Save Your Street, Save Your Child" Room 815
What we learned from the Harlem Children's Zone and how
our community will benefit from these successful programs.
Presented by Brian Ward, Porterville City Councilman &
Linda Peterson, Tule River Tribal Education

"Teenage Pregnancy Prevention" Room 813
Special breakout session for parents and teens. Presented by
Rondii Nieto, Owens Valley Career Development Center