



PROM

Prom...a time for celebration!

We all want our teens to enjoy Prom, spending time with friends and creating memories.

Here are a couple of important points for parents to keep in mind:

Be a good role model.

Teens say one of their top reasons for not drinking is because they are worried about what their parents will think.

Talk with other parents.

Make sure alcohol is not available at the other events your teens will be attending.

Encourage your teens to attend the chemical-free After Prom Party.

Talk with your kids early and often about the danger of underage drinking and the consequences.

Remind your teen to wear a seatbelt.

It is an important accessory. Car crashes are the leading cause of death for Minnesota teens.

Remember it is a crime for any person, juvenile or adult, to provide alcohol to someone who is under the age of 21.

Do your part to spread the message –
underage drinking just isn't worth it.

Let's help our teens celebrate a safe Prom in 2009.

This message is endorsed by:

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