

Safe Communities of Wright County and BHM Community Education



Parent & Teen Driver's Education Safety Presentations 2022-23

Local crash data shows Wright County's youngest and most inexperienced drivers are involved in the highest proportion of crashes. Traffic crashes are the leading cause of death for Wright County teens.

To help new drivers and their parents prepare for teens getting behind the wheel, Safe Communities of Wright County hosts **Parent & Teen Driver's Education Safety Presentations** in partnership BHM Community Education.

Soon to be drivers and their parents attend a two-hour presentation as part of their Driver's Education classroom training. The presentation includes speakers who represent local law enforcement, emergency medical services, and crash survivors. The focus of the presentation is to educate the audience on the seriousness of teen driving, the real risk of teen crashes, and what parents and teens can do to make things safer when new drivers are behind the wheel.

Join Safe Communities of Wright County and BHM Community Education for one of these upcoming Parent & Teen Driver's Education Safety Presentations. The student must <u>pre-register prior to attending</u>. Fee is \$10/student.

Class Safety-1 Class Safety-2 Class Safety-3

Tuesday, October 11 Wednesday, February 8 Wednesday, July 12

6:30-8 pm 6:30-8 pm 6:30-8 pm

Held in the Performing Arts Center at Buffalo High School.

Register online at bhmschools.ce.eleyo.com or call 763.682.8770.

Students and parent's complete evaluations after each presentation. These evaluations show:

From parents

- o 99% indicate the presentation adds value to the driver's ed course
- 91% will change the way they teach their child to drive as a result of the information shared
- o 88% will place driving restrictions on their child as a result of the information shared
- 77% will change their own driving habits as a result of the information shared

From students

- o 97% indicate the presentation adds value to the driver's ed course
- 94% indicate the presentation will influence their new driving habits
- Crash Survivor" and "Crash Photos" cited as having the most impact on them during the presentation