Community

Get involved in your community!

Action Coalition

The Community Action Coalition's main priority is "Student leadership and participation!"



Activities that help us maintain our mission and goals are:

The Annual Dialogue Day

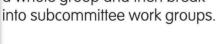
The CAC annually hosts Dialogue Day, which is a forum where student leaders meet with various community leaders in hopes to build assets throughout the community. Students discuss a variety of topics, and the Coalition focuses on creating resolutions and programs to the topics that are discussed.

Mini-Dialogue Days

An extension of the annual Dialogue Day with a smaller focus at each school that pertains specifically to our youth.

Monthly Meetings

One Friday per month student representatives from our middle schools, and high schools, as well as community leaders, parents and teachers meet to discuss and plan activities and goals for the year. We meet as a whole group and then break



Healthy Youth/ Healthy Communities Annual Conference

The conference, an annual international gathering of youth and community leaders, focuses on the integration of the 40 assets with community partners. Each year the Coalition sends youth and adult representatives.

Student Activities

The Coalition encourages students to participate and be involved in positive activities such as:

- YMCA basketball
- County-wide, open school dance
- battle of the bands
- challenge day
- mini-dialogue days
- networking
- facilitator training and responsibility
- project work groups

Safe and Drug-Free Schools

The Coalition creates public awareness of the 40 Developmental Assets and its contribution to preventing drug and alcohol use (well-being of young people in community and resistance training).



Public Schools

L'Anse Creuse

The L'Anse Creuse Community Action Coalition (CAC) was formed approximately 11 years ago. Since formation, the CAC has been involved in many aspects of our growing community. The CAC has always been dedicated to building healthy relationships and personal asset building.

L'Anse Creuse Community Action Coalition (CAC) takes pride in our community – creating solutions through unification of rich community resources. The Coalition will intervene, advocate, encourage, and be proactive to create a healthy and safe environment where all young adults can be successful.

With collaboration and unity among different entities, we will provide consistent support and guidelines and set clear expectations. Through educational awareness, we will promote healthy activities and recreation (physical and mental) and when needed, expose alternative resources.



American Cancer Society, Baker College, CARE, Charter Township of Clinton, Chesterfield Township, Chesterfield Township Parks and Recreation Dept., Cintas Corporation, Clinton Township Recreation Dept., Clinton Township Kiwanis, D.A.R.E., Girl Scouts of Macomb County, Henry Ford Health Systems, Ground Zero Student Outreach, Harrison Township, L'Anse Creuse Public Schools, L'Anse Creuse / Mount Clemens Adult and Community Education, Macomb County Health Dept., Macomb County Juvenile Court, Macomb County Substance Abuse Council, Macomb Family Services, Macomb Intermediate School District, Macomb Literacy Project, Macomb County Prevention Coalition, Macomb Township, Macomb YMCA, McDonald's, Payne-Kitson & Assoc., Rotary, St. Hubert Church, Selfridge ANGB Youth services, Triangle Vending Services, Inc. Trinity Lutheran Church, United Way for Southeastern Michigan, St. Clair County RESA

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Join the L'Anse Creuse Community Action Coalition

The Coalition is dedicated to building assets, preventing substance abuse and empowering our youth. Please take the opportunity to help make a change in your community by contacting our co-chairpersons.

The Community Action Coalition is reaching out to:

- · parents
- · students
- community businesses
- busines
- teachers and
- community leaders.



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