



“SAP: Dump the Dopesick”
A Substance Abuse Prevention Event
Organized by the Youth for the Youth

Dear Family and Friends,

During our youth we often make poor decisions in spite of the best efforts of our parents. Do you remember the mistakes you made during these impressionable years? Never say, “Not my kid”. We cannot truly ever say what our kids won’t do, but we can merely take charge in making sure that they are taught.

Our youth group is putting together a substance abuse prevention event targeting youth ages 6th through 12th grades. The SAP: Dump the Dopesick Event will provide an opportunity to educate youth so they may gain an awareness of the possible repercussions of choosing to go along with the crowd, and thus deciding to start getting high. We hope this event proves to be a most powerful deterrent for youth who may be tempted to experiment with substances that could lead them onto the path towards addiction.

Our own youth will take full leadership in hosting this event. We ask that you begin now to reach out to the parents of youth in your area. You can help us recruit a large group of youth so that our event is a success. The SAP: Dump the Dopesick panel discussion will take place at **Montgomery Square UMC on Sunday April 3rd, 6:30pm to 8:00pm.** Our panel will include five or more volunteers who will share their knowledge and personal experience of how Alcohol, marijuana, opioids and other substances effects lives. There will be time for Q&A for parents and also Q&A for the youth without the parents. Refreshments will be served. Keep our youth always in prayer.

Love,
Pastor Vicky