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Press Release

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Event: Over 6,100 students participate in the sixth annual 'Team Up Against Drugs' campaign

WINNERS OF 'TEAM UP AGAINST DRUGS' CAMPAIGN ANNOUNCED

In recognition of Red Ribbon Week, an alcohol, tobacco and other drug prevention awareness campaign, the City of Vacaville's AWARE Coalition held the sixth annual "Team Up Against Drugs" campaign held Oct. 28, 2016.

Over 6,100 students participated in the Team Up Against Drugs campaign. To participate, students wore their favorite team jersey or T-shirt and took a stand against drugs. Schools with 50 percent participation rate were entered in a drawing for a trophy. Trophy recipients for this year are: Orchard Elementary School; Willis Jepson Middle School; Kairos Public School Vacaville Academy; and Vacaville High School.

Businesses were also invited to participate in the anti-drug campaign. Participating businesses were entered to win a breakfast for 12 people. Staff were asked to wear their jerseys, make a "Team Up Against Drugs" sign, take a photo and post it on the Vacaville AWARE Facebook page. This year's winner is the City of Vacaville Recreation Department.

Vacaville AWARE would like to thank Vacaville and Travis Unified schools, students and staff that participated, the Vacaville REACH Youth Coalition, KUIC, Ana Karen Zanabria, Jessica Dimas and community members and organizations who participated and supported the event. Look for the 7th annual "Team Up Against Drugs" campaign next year, October 2017.

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