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## ***Town Hall Meeting***

As part of an effort to increase awareness of underage drinking and its consequences, Highlands Academy of Arts & Design will host a student-led Town Hall Meeting from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 18, in the school's cafeteria.

The entire community is encouraged to attend this important meeting, featuring members of the Friday Night Live program. California Friday Night Live (FNL) was developed in 1984. It began as a pilot program dedicated to reducing the number of deaths and injuries caused by teen motorists driving under the influence of alcohol and other drugs.

Organizers say the Town Hall Meeting is an opportunity for parents, students, and other community members to address this critical issue that continues to be a leading public health problem all across the country.

The evening will include a panel discussion, and the results of an on-campus survey on underage drinking.

**What: Preventing Underage Drinking**  
**When: 6 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 18**  
**Where: Highlands Academy of Arts & Design**  
**6601 Guthrie Way**  
**North Highlands, CA 95660**

Please contact Trinette Marquis at 566-1789 for more information.

*Highlands Academy of Arts and Design has an enrollment of 1,500 students in grades seven through twelve. Highlands is part of the newly-formed Twin Rivers Unified School District, located in the northern part of Sacramento County.*

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