

# the council

ON ALCOHOL & DRUG ABUSE

Improving our communities' health, safety and productivity by reducing the incidence and impact of alcohol and drug abuse

## Touching, Changing, and Saving Lives

Last year, you helped the Council train or provide direct services to more than 29,000 children, families, professionals, and other community members. We also reached tens of thousands more by (1) providing resources and materials to students, parents, and teachers; (2) conducting public awareness campaigns via community events, television and radio public service announcements, media coverage, and billboards; and, (3) educating teachers, counselors, and parents who pass on their skills and knowledge to countless others.



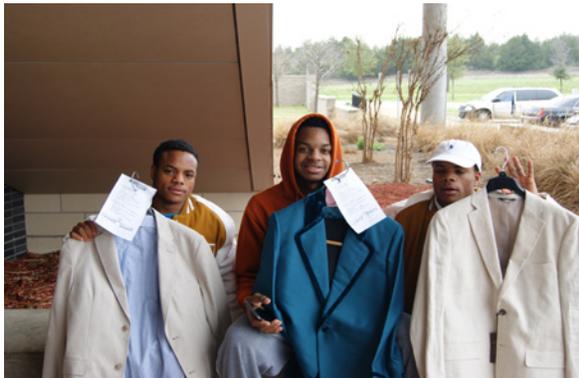
## SAVE THE DATE: 2015 Power of Prevention Luncheon

Date: Thursday, October 22, 2015  
Time: 12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
Location: The Fairmont Dallas  
1717 N Akard St, Dallas, TX 75201  
Featured Speaker: Brian Cuban  
Honorary Chair: Margot Perot  
Emcee: Scott Murray  
Sponsorships: Start at \$1,250  
Tickets: \$100  
Co-Chairs: Susan McEvoy and Diane McKenna  
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## Stylishly Drug-Free

Thanks to your support, the 14th Annual BuzzFree PROMises Dress & Tux Giveaway was another success this year. Students from 22 area school districts attended workshops about life skills, peer influence, goal-setting, and the truth about drugs. Parents also participated and learned about current drug trends, how to identify potential problems with alcohol or drugs, and how to talk to their children about alcohol and drugs. All participating students signed a pledge to be alcohol and other drug free on prom night, and, at the end of the day, students were rewarded with free prom attire, all donated by local businesses and individuals. Many of these students would not have been able to attend their prom were it not for this program.



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## Power of Prevention

The Council is grateful for everyone who made its 2014 Power of Prevention Breakfast a big success: those who attended and countless more who underwrote the event through sponsorships, ticket sales, and donation or purchase of on-line auction items. Special thanks to **Dr. Judith Landau**, featured speaker, **Dr. Adele Caruth**, Honorary Chair, and **Scott Murray**, Emcee. The Agent of Change Award was presented to **Dr. John Talmadge**, Corporate Award to **Wells Fargo**, Community Award to **Scott Murray**, and Generosity Award to **Betsy Jessiman** and **John Mogk**. This annual event benefits youth programs at the Council.



Awardees: Dr. John Talmadge, Trip Bomar with Wells Fargo, Betsy Jessiman, John Mogk, and Scott Murray



Featured Speaker: Dr. Judith Landau