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**STUDENTS FROM 17 CNY HIGH SCHOOLS TO ATTEND
UNDERAGE DRINKING PREVENTION SUMMIT THURSDAY**

Syracuse, NY— Students from 17 local high schools are registered to attend Prevention Network's 4th annual Underage Drinking Prevention Summit, Thursday, October 8, 2009, from 8am to 3pm at Drivers Village Conference Center. More than 50 teens in grades 9 through 12 will participate in a special youth track at the day-long seminar, entitled, *Adults and Teens—Empowering This Generation*. Youth can choose from workshops including "My Parents are Driving Me Crazy! Help," led by teen panelists, to "Changing Your Community's Alcohol Environment," to "Social Smart: Understanding and Helping Classmates Who Drink" Underage Drinking Is Your Business." Schools represented at the 2009 Summit include:

Baker High School	LaFayette High School
Christian Brothers Academy	Liverpool High School
Cicero-North Syracuse	Marcellus High School
Corcoran High School	Nottingham High School
Fabius Pompey High School	Onondaga Central School
Fowler High School	Skaneateles High School
Henninger High School	Tully Jr/Sr High School
Jamesville-Dewitt High School	West Genesee High School
	Westhill High School

A Summit track designed for adult attendees including school counselors and administrators, parents, and law enforcement officials, will feature workshops such as "Empowered Bystanders: Helping Students Reduce Underage Drinking," "How to Impact Parents of Youth," and "Teens, Technology and Social Behavior."

For more information about the Summit, contact Phillip Rose, Program Coordinator, Underage Drinking Prevention, at 471-1359, or prose@preventionnetworkcny.org.

Prevention Network has been making CNY a healthier community since 1949 by providing proven and measureable programs to prevent addictions and address other problem behaviors.