

# S.A.D.D.



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The doorbell rang through the quiet night air. Mrs. Jones shook her husband and sent him yawning down the hall. The 'bing-bong' impatiently came again.

'I'm coming, I'm coming', the sleepy man grumbled as he reached for the doorknob. As the door slowly opened, he saw the shiny badge of a Sheriff's Deputy. His heart sunk.

'Mr. Jones, I'm Deputy Brown. There's been an accident. Would you please come with me to the morgue to identify your son? We think that alcohol was involved.' This was just the scenario that S.A.D.D. worked to prevent. All through the school year, its members did their best to impress upon their fellow students that mixing alcohol with driving leads to only one thing—destruction. They had floats in two local parades—the Old Home Days parade and the Homecoming parade—that bluntly got their message of sober driving out to the community.

In the spring, S.A.D.D. worked in conjunction with WNGZ-105 FM and provided a safe-driver hot line for the Prom. At Graduation, for the second year in a row, a chemical-free party was held for the Senior Class

It was through these efforts that S.A.D.D. attempted to save the lives of young people. It was their hope that their message touched both students and community members and led to a greater awareness of the danger of having a few drinks and getting behind the wheel of a car.