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Douglas J. Huber Chief of Police

To: School Superintendent Rui Dionisio

From: Juvenile Officer Joel Martin

Re: press release for school event

Date: April 8, 2015

On Thursday April 16, 2015 the Verona Police Department will be hosting an event at H.B. Whitehorne School in celebration of National DARE Day. The event is for the positive promotion of the Fifth Grade students who recently completed a five day class with the Verona Police Department that included the following topics:

- Daily activities of Police Officers
- Harmful effects of tobacco, alcohol and drugs
- Dangers of prescription drug abuse
- Types of Peer Pressure, Bullying, Conflict resolution
- Cyber safety and security

Local, County and State Police Officers have been invited to participate including Sheriff's Incident Command Post, Bomb Squad and State Police Helicopter. The event will be held during the fifth grade lunch period and local pizzerias will participate by providing lunch.