

Youth Awareness - "Say No to Drugs," and get Community Service Credit



The Youth Awareness Congresses for 2010-2011 are now complete and now planning for the 2011-2012 year. This year the winning students will get to go to White Plains, New York for the Youth Awareness Intl. Congress. The date for the Congress is April 26 -30th. 2012. The Scholarships will remain at \$2,000, \$3,000, \$5,000, \$8,000 and \$12,000 dollars plus any local incentives.

We currently have Youth Congresses scheduled for California and Nevada as follows:
Youth Awareness Congress dates and location are as follows:

Nevada		California North	
Fernley	October 1	Orland	October 8
South Lake Tahoe	October 2	Grass Valley	November 5
Parumph	October 15	Richmond	November 6
Red Rock/ Las Vegas	October 29	Ebbetts Pass	TBD



I would like to recognize Joe Rigazio of the Fernley Moose Lodge who will be the Chairman for Nevada. He will work closely with the Youth Awareness Coordinator Larry Marshal who resides in Southern Nevada. We thank them both for continuing on with the Youth Awareness program for 2011-2012.

Please note the cost of sponsoring a student remains at \$35 dollars per student for the 2011-2012 year.

Please note all participants **are winners** just for participating in our program. The students are winners because many students get Community Service credit for High School graduation. The Lodges are winners for the Community Service, membership opportunity for of the parents of the students, and of course the opportunity to meet one of the criteria required for the Premiere Award.

In addition, please try to go by and thank those lodges who will be sponsoring the local Youth Congress. It takes a lot of effort, support and teamwork to put on a Youth Congress at a Moose Lodge.

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