



Truancy, Cliques, and Gangs: The Police & School Connection

Thursday, March 11, 2010
Center for the Arts, University at Buffalo, North Campus
8:30am – 1pm
Attendance is Free!

Summary: In the management of a school environment, Federal, State and Local Police, along with School Administrators require education based management solutions to school safety issues. The management and elimination of gangs and negative behavior cliques are no exception.

Gangs exist in ALL communities, including suburban and rural communities. This seminar will provide current information on street gang involvement in schools and the rise of negative youth movements such as Straight Edge and the increasing danger of Juggalos.

This program provides a detailed look at the development of gangs through school related problems. It will also discuss how the lack of an effective truancy program provides the impetus for the development of negative behavior cliques in school and how these cliques develop into organized gangs. This program will address techniques for dealing with gangs in your community/school.

THIS HALF DAY SEMINAR IS FREE AND OPEN TO ALL WHO DEAL WITH SCHOOL SAFETY ISSUES, INCLUDING GRADE SCHOOL, MIDDLE SCHOOL, HIGH SCHOOL AND DISTRICT FACULTY, STAFF (ADMINISTRATORS, COUNSELORS, PSYCHOLOGISTS, SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS, ETC) AND SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS; COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATORS, POLICE OFFICERS AND OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS.

Presenter: Dale Yeager, Criminal Analyst – CEO of SERAPH Corp.

Mr. Yeager began his education as a criminal analyst in 1988. He has extensive training in criminal psychology, forensic psychology, sex crimes investigation, and crime scene forensics/procedures and domestic terrorism analysis. Mr. Yeager also had advanced training at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center from 2005 to 2008.

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