

# Girl betrayed by friend over date; mom seeks reason for youth to smoke

Dear Dr. Brothers: One of my friends stole my date to a dance at our community center. She felt bad because no one had asked her, and Imade her feel better by telling her that I was asking one of our friends who's an underclassman. The very next day, she called up the guy Iwas planning on asking, and asked him before I did. I've had a crush on this guy for a really long time, and she knows that. How could she do this? What should I do now?



Dr. Joyce Brothers

• Ask Dr. Brothers

Dear M.G.: Problems like this are what make high school a very confusing and hard time. There is no easy solution to feeling betrayed by a friend, especially one whom you've gone out of your way to help. You will need to take stock of your friendship with this girl, and figure out whether this is a common pattern or a one-time mistake. First, you should talk to your friend and make sure that her inviting this boy wasn't a misunderstanding. In her emotional state, she may have thought you were suggesting that she invite him, not telling her that you were planning to.

If this isn't the case, and she really did invite him knowing full well that you were planning to, you should ask her to explain why she did that and what she was thinking. She might not

know why she did it, but you asking her will force her to confront her feelings about your friendship, and the value she places on her relationships in general.

Dear Dr. Brothers: I just caught my 12-year-old son smoking cigarettes with his friends after school. I really don't want him to get addicted, especially because he's so young. I've punished him, but he's going through a rebellious phase, and I have a feeling that he's going to keep smoking. I know I can't control what his friends do or what their parents allow, and I'm afraid that some of them have pressured him into smoking. What can Itell him that won't just make him want to rebel against me and continue smoking?

Dear S.C.: Interestingly, a study was done last year at the University of Georgia that looked at kids' responses to anti-smoking advertisements, and this study found results similar to your words about your son.

Many anti-smoking campaigns actually increase adolescents' desire to smoke, because they pique their curiosity and appeal to the rebellious nature of that age. Fortunately for the parents out there, there are some advertisements that are successful — these are the ones that convince kids that their friends are paying attention to the ads. Kids are much more likely to be immediately influenced by their peers than by media.

With this in mind, the best strategy for getting your son to stop smoking is to convince him that his friends are stopping. It's not likely that he feels actively pressured or bullied into smoking, but simply that he wants to fit in with his crowd. Another tactic might be to turn his rebellious phase in your favor on this issue -- try to convince him that because his friends smoke, he would be asserting his individuality by not just going along with the crowd.

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# Greeley County youth teach lessons through simulated accident

By Ron Wilson, director  
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Sirens scream in the distance as the ambulance dashes to a stop between the two battered vehicles. A drunk driver has taken the life of two young passengers. It's a scene all too familiar to police, fire, and emergency personnel, but in this case, it is not real.

This is a simulation of a drunk driving accident scene. But it wasn't created by some Hollywood film company or an agency in Washington. It was initiated by two high school seniors in rural Kansas.

Andrew Miller and Bret Mangan are spring 2008 graduates of Greeley County High School in Tribune, Kansas. They are the creators of this remarkable project.

Andrew and Bret are both interested in health care careers. They were in a school-sponsored work study program at Greeley County Health Services and went through training as emergency medical technicians or EMTs. A speaker from the Finney County EMS was giving a talk at their school. It inspired these two young men to come up with the idea of a video simulation of a drunk driving crash.

They ran the concept by their school principal, Mr. Bockwinkel, who vetoed it for being too graphic. But after they refined the idea into a more specific plan, he encouraged them to go forward. After months of work and high cooperation from many local entities, the plan went into action.

Bret says, "We've had tremendous support here." The police department donated two impounded vehicles which were battered to simulate the accident. A field at the high school was painted with lines and used as the accident scene. The school donated five video cameras to do the filming. Andrew and Bret used the school's computers and video editing software to produce the final product.

On Oct. 24, 2007, the filming took place. The entire student body was brought to the bleachers at the football stadium where vehicles blocked the mock accident scene from view. A narrator said, "Close your eyes and imagine it is a typical school day. You are at the convenience store getting a snack when you hear a large crash outside."

As the narrator spoke, the vehicles which blocked the view were moved. Then the narrator told the students to open their eyes, and what they saw was two battered vehicles and five bloody crash victims.

Andrew and Bret had arranged all this with the emergency response units in advance, and it worked like clockwork. A call was made to the sheriff's department which paged all the relevant departments. Police, firefighters and EMTs hurried to the scene and tended to the victims.

The audio and video were captured electronically and packaged into a compelling fifteen minute video production on DVD.

This show is not for the squeamish. Student volunteers used moulage to simulate the blood.

And what was the student's reaction? Bret says, "Have you ever

tried to keep a bunch of teenagers quiet for 45 minutes? We had them in complete silence."

Andrew says, "We never thought it would turn out as well as it did."

What about the cost of this high quality production? Bret says, "We didn't spend a dime. Everything we used was loaned or donated."

That's a sign of total community support, which one can find in a rural community like Tribune, population 814 people. Now, that's rural.

This production is so outstanding that it has been presented to the Kansas Board of EMS and the Governor's Advisory Council on Trauma. Andrew and Bret are headed to college, but they would like to find funds to contract with a professional company for commercial production and distribution.

Andrew says, "When people tell you how this video touched them emotionally, it's powerful."

The ambulance drives to the hospital as technicians clean up the crash scene. It's the aftermath of a drunk driving accident, but this mock accident has been captured on film and is serving as a compelling reminder not to drink and drive. We salute Andrew Miller and Bret Mangan for making a difference with their creative initiative. Their video can help others to drive safely and arrive alive.

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SATURDAY													JULY 26		
	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30			
KLBV/ABC 4 6	Good Morning Kansas Saturday		Good Morning America (N) (CC)		Good Morning Kansas Saturday		That's-Raven	That's-Raven	Hannah Montana	Zack & Cody	Emperor New	Replacements			
KSNK/NBC 8 8	Today (N) (CC)		Jane-Dragon	Zula Patrol	Jane-Dragon	Zula Patrol	Pen-guins	Veggie-Tales	Babar (E) (CC)	Friend Rabbit					
KBSL/CBS 12 11	The Early Show (N) (CC)				News (N)				Sushi Pack (E)	Dino Squad	Paid Program	Paid Program			
K15CG 2	Busi-ness	Market-Market	Beren-Bears	Make-Noddy	Bob the Builder	Thomas-Friends	Signing Time!	Biz Kid\$ (CC)	Lassie's Pet Vet	Motor-Week (N)	Wood-wright	Victory Garden			
ESPN 28	SportsCenter (CC)		SportsCenter (CC)		SportsCenter (CC)		SportsCenter (Live) (CC)			2008 World Series of Poker Las Vegas.					
USA 37	Paid Program	Debt	Paid Program	Paid Program	Movie: Friday After Next ★½ (2002, Comedy) Ice Cube, Mike Epps. (CC)				Movie: Barbershop (2002) A barbershop owner considers selling his establishment.						
TBS 38	(4:00) Movie:	Movie: While You Were Sleeping *** (1995, Romance-Comedy) Sandra Bullock.				Movie: Fools Rush In ** (1997) one-shot lovers into a difficult marriage. (CC)				Pregnancy pushes the owner considers selling his establishment. (CC)				Movie: Save the Last Dance (2001)	
WGN 39	Paid Program	Adelante Chicago	Steam Mop	Paid Program	Real Estate	Paid Program	mag-icJack	Paid Program	Lifestyle Life (CC)	Paid Program	Funniest Pets	Funniest Pets			
TNT 40	(5:00) Movie: Copycat (1995)		Law & Order Ambitious		Law & Order Slave (CC) (DVS)		The Closer Speed Bump (CC)		Law & Order Shield (CC) (DVS)		Movie: Legally Blonde 2				
DSC 42	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Mostly True: Urban Legends		Dirty Jobs Vomit Island Workers (CC)		Deadliest Catch (CC)		Deadliest Catch (CC)				
A&E 47	Movie: Lean on Me ★½ (1989) A principal takes a hard line on school violence and drugs. (CC)				Sell This House!		Sell This House!		Sell This House!		Flip This House (CC)		Flip This House Giant old house.		
HIST 48	Heavy Metal P-38: Lightning Strikes		American Eats The pizza industry. (CC)		Wild West Tech Gang Tech (CC)		UFO Files Majestic 12: UFO Coverup		Hooked: Illegal Drugs		The True Story of Killing Pablo (CC)				
NICK 55	Jimmy Neutron	Jimmy Neutron	OddPar-ents	OddPar-ents	Spon-geBob	Spon-geBob	Barn-yard	Mighty B	Spon-geBob	Spon-geBob	Spon-geBob	Spon-geBob			
DISN 56	The Wiggles	Johnny-Sprites	Bunny-town	Tigger & Pooh	Mickey Mouse	Mickey Mouse	Handy Manny	Ein-steins	Higgly-town	Charlie & Lola	Movie: Dr. Dolittle 3 (2006) John Amos.				
FAM 58	Step by Step	Step by Step	Sabrina-Witch	Sabrina-Witch	Full House	Full House	Movie: The Baby-Sitters Club ** (1995) Seven girls run a summer day-care camp.								
HALL 60	Little House on the Prairie Centennial		Little House on the Prairie (CC)			Movie: Rose Hill (1997) Homeless New York boys rescue a baby and head West.				Movie: Love Comes Softly (2003, Drama) Katherine Heigl, Dale Midkiff. (CC)					

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	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30	
KLBV/ABC (4) (6)	NBA Access	Golf: Senior British Open -- Third Round.			Paid Program	Paid Program	Horse Racing: Breeders' Cup Challenge. Saratoga Springs, N.Y. (Live)				Paid Program	ABC News	
KSNK/NBC (8) (8)	Pen-guins	Veggie-Tales	Babar (EI) (CC)	Triathlon: Iron Girl. (CC)		World of Adventure Sports (CC)	Beach Volleyball: AVP Crocs Tour -- Men's Final. (Live) (CC)				Bring Wall St	NBC News	
KBSL/CBS (12) (11)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Bring Wall St	PGA Tour Golf: RBC Canadian Open -- Third Round. From Oakville, Ont. (Live) (CC)						Paid Program	CBS News	
K15CG (2)	Yankee Shop	This Old House	Ask This Old House	Home-time	For Your Home	Food	Barbe-cue	School-Fine Art	Love of Quilting	Place-Our Own	Antiques Roadshow (CC)		
ESPN (28)	2008 World Series of Poker Las Vegas.		2008 ESPY Awards		Los Angeles. (CC)		Mix Tape Tour	Mix Tape Tour	IndyCar Racing: Rexall Edmonton Indy. Edmonton. (Live)				
USA (37)	Movie: Barbershop 2: Back in Business *** (2004, Comedy) Ice Cube. (CC)			Psych (CC)			NCIS Driven (CC)		NCIS Suspicion (CC)		NCIS Sharif Returns (CC)		
TBS (38)	(11:00) Movie: Save the Last Dance *** (2001) Julia Stiles.			Movie: Enough (2002) A woman takes her daughter and flees her abusive husband.			Friends (CC)		Sex and the City	Sex and the City	Seinfeld The Visa (CC)	Seinfeld (CC)	
WGN (39)	MLB Baseball: Florida Marlins at Chicago Cubs. Wrigley Field. (Live) (CC)					Tenth Inning	Soul Train Vanity: Kool Moe Dee. (CC)		American Idol Rewind Top 10 to 9		America's Funniest Home Videos (CC)		
TNT (40)	(11:00) Movie: Legally Blonde 2		Movie: The Perfect Man ** (2005) A teen invents a secret admirer for her mother.				Movie: My Best Friend's Wedding *** (1997, Romance-Comedy) Julia Roberts.				Movie: The Wedding Date **		
DSC (42)	Deadliest Catch Mortal Men (CC)		Deadliest Catch Fresh Blood (CC)		Deadliest Catch Changing Tides		Deadliest Catch Catch as Catch Can		Deadliest Catch The Final Hour		Deadliest Catch: Behind		
A&E (47)	Paranor-mal	Paranor-mal	Paranor-mal	Paranor-mal	Psychic Kids: Paranormal		Psychic Kids: Paranormal		Movie: Erin Brockovich *** (2000, Drama) Julia Roberts, Albert Finney. (CC)				
HIST (48)	The True Story of Killing Pablo (CC)		The Works Steel (CC)		The Works Power Tools (CC)		The Works Garbage (CC)		Quest for Dragons	Dragons appear in most cultures. (CC)			
NICK (55)	The Fairly OddParents (CC)		Mighty B		Mighty B	Barn-yard	Barn-yard	Barn-yard	Spon-geBob	Spon-geBob	Spon-geBob	Spon-geBob	
DISN (56)	(11:00) Movie: Dr. Dolittle 3 (2006)		Hannah Montana	Hannah Montana	Hannah Montana	Hannah Montana	Hannah Montana	Hannah Montana	Hannah Montana	Hannah Montana	Hannah Montana	Hannah Montana	
FAM (58)	(11:00) Movie: Nanny McPhee		Movie: The Parent Trap *** (1998, Comedy) Reunited twin girls try to get their parents back together. Lindsay Lohan. (CC)						Movie: Overboard **½ (1987, Comedy) Goldie Hawn, Kurt Russell. (CC)				
HALL (60)	Movie: Love's Enduring Promise (2004, Drama) Katherine Heigl, Dale Midkiff. (CC)				Movie: Love's Long Journey (2005, Drama) Erin Cottrell. (CC)				Movie: Love's Abiding Joy ** (2006) A pioneer family faces numerous challenges.				

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KLBV/ABC 4 (6)	News (N) (CC)	Kake News	Movie: Peter Pan *** (1953) Animated. Peter, Tinker Bell and kids go to Neverland.				Eli Stone Heartbeat (CC)		News (N) (CC)	American Idol Rewind Top 9 to 8		Ent. Tonight	
KSNK/NBC 3 (8)	News (N)	Wheel of Fortune	The Office	The Office	Law & Order Driven (CC)		Law & Order: Criminal Intent		News (N)	Saturday Night Live Rainn Wilson; Arcade Fire. (CC)			
KBSL/CBS 12 (11)	News (N) (CC)	Paid Program	48 Hours Mystery		EliteXC Saturday Night Fights (Live) (CC)				News (N) (CC)	M*A*S*H (CC)	Without a Trace Without You (CC)		
K15CG (2)	Taste- Midwest	Shrine Bowl	High School Football: Kansas Shrine Bowl All-Stars -- East vs. West. Emporia, Kan. (Live)						Austin City Limits (CC)		Soundstage Daughtry (CC)		
ESPN (28)	Sports- Center	Count- down	NASCAR Racing: Nationwide Series -- Kroger 200. From Indianapolis. (Live)				Baseball Tonight (Live) (CC)		SportsCenter (Live) (CC)		Baseball Tonight (Live) (CC)		
USA (37)	NCIS Blowback (CC)		NCIS Friends and Lovers (CC)		NCIS Dead Man Walking (CC)		NCIS Skeletons (CC)		Psych (CC)		Movie: Friday After Next ***½ (2002)		
TBS (38)	King of Queens	King of Queens	Movie: Men in Black II ** (2002) Tommy Lee Jones. (CC)			Movie: Men in Black II ** (2002, Comedy) (PA) Tommy Lee Jones. (CC)			Movie: Diary of a Mad Black Woman *** (2005) (CC)				
WGN (39)	Funnies Pets	Funnies Pets	Movie: Planes, Trains and Automobiles *** (1987, Comedy) Steve Martin. (CC)			WGN News at Nine (N) (CC)	Scrubs My Office	RENO 911!	RENO 911!	24 (CC)			
TNT (40)	(5:15) Movie: The Wedding Date **		Movie: Monster-in-Law (2005) A shrewish woman clashes with her son's fiancée.				Movie: Monster-in-Law (2005) A shrewish woman clashes with her son's fiancée.		Movie: Bewitched ***½ (2005) (CC)				
DSC (42)	MythBusters Ninjas. (CC)		MythBusters Western myths. (CC)		MythBusters Time- honored sayings. (CC)		MythBusters (CC)		MythBusters Ninjas. (CC)		MythBusters Western myths. (CC)		
A&E (47)	(4:00) Movie: Erin Brockovich (2000)		Movie: Die Hard ***½ (1988, Action) A New York policeman outwits foreign thugs in an L.A. high-rise. Bruce Willis. (CC)						The Sopranos Live Free or Die (CC)		Movie: Die Hard ***½ (1988) (CC)		
HIST (48)	Modern Marvels Crashes (CC)		Indiana Jones and the Ultimate Quest (CC)			Batman Tech (CC)		Batman Unmasked: Psychology		Indiana Jones and the Ultimate Quest			
NICK (55)	iCarly (CC)	iCarly (CC)	iCarly (CC)	Naked Brothers	Dance, Sunset	Drake & Josh	George Lopez	George Lopez	Home Improve.	Home Improve.	Family Matters	Family Matters	
DISN (56)	Hannah Montana		Movie: Hannah Montana/Miley Cyrus: Best of Both			Movie: Hannah Montana/Miley Cyrus: Best of Both		Zack & Cody	Hannah Montana	That's- Raven	Phil of Future		
FAM (58)	(4:00) Movie:		Movie: Father of the Bride *** (1991, Comedy) Steve Martin, Diane Keaton. (CC)				Movie: Father of the Bride Part II ***½ (1995) Dual pregnancies play havoc with an anxious family man.						
HALL (60)	Movie: Love's Unending Legacy (2007, Drama) Erin Cottrell, Dale Midkiff. (CC)				Movie: Love's Unfolding Dream (2007, Drama) Erin Cottrell, Dale Midkiff. (CC)				Movie: Love's Enduring Promise (2004, Drama) Katherine Heigl, Dale Midkiff. (CC)				

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