



- PROUDLY PRESENTS -



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YOUTH SUMMIT

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Mission:

- Today's Youth is our Nation's most valuable resource and largest spending demographic.
- The goal of the Summit is to revive the hope in our youth focusing on practical and motivational strategies to stay safe and focused as they navigate their ever-changing environments on their journey to greatness. Never lose hope, make good choices and **anything is possible!**

Outline:

- One-day Summit to be held at the Stockton Arena and Ballpark.
- Youth will hear messages from different speakers reinforcing positive life metaphors and encouraging them to achieve greatness and make good choices. The speakers bring their stories to life on stage through different mediums...music, art, real-life video and participation.
- Special appearance and time on the field with our own "Hometown Hero" showing the youth that they have every potential to achieve greatness.
- Health faire/expo on concourse featuring local businesses/non-profits sharing important information for this demographic.
- Opportunity to Educate and Entertain - **"EDU-TAINMENT!"**

Facts:

- 31% of students fail to graduate high school in the United States.
- A US teen commits suicide every 100 minutes.
- 19-24 year olds are the fastest growing group filing bankruptcy.
- 87% of high school students lack clearly defined goals.

Program Schedule:

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| 8:30am - 9:00am: Arrival | 1:10pm - 1:30pm: Hometown Heroes |
| 9:15am - 9:30am: Introductions | 1:30pm - 1:45pm: Wrap up |
| 9:30am - 11:00am: Hope Dealer | 1:45pm: School Departure (optional) |
| 11:00am - 11:30am: Lunch | 1:45pm - 6:00pm: Health Expo |
| 11:45am - 1:00pm: Impact | Meet & Greet |
| | Autographs & Photo Ops |

Program Highlights

TRU HOPE:

Jeremy Bates, one of the nation's leading youth speakers, fills the stage with some of the best talent in the world. Using mediums our youth love to reinforce positive life metaphors and encourage youth to achieve greatness. Live music, art, poetry and free-running all play a part in this production, inspiring youth to wake-up, drop their baggage, have courage to dream and commit to making healthy choices in life.

IMPACT:

The Impact program takes the audience into the real-life drama experienced by a paramedic as he works to save lives of individuals who have made poor choices when it comes to drinking or using drugs, texting and distracted driving, or non-compliance of seat belts. Students learn the stories behind the crashes, hear the choices that the individuals were given and see how the irresponsible actions played out with the help from a "lucky" victim in the audience.

DALLAS BRADEN "HOMETOWN HERO":

Dallas Braden is a former major league pitcher who played for the Oakland A's from 2007-2011. He was born in Phoenix, AZ and grew up in Stockton, CA. On May 9, 2010, Dallas pitched a **perfect game**, the 19th in baseball history. He is currently a sports analyst for Baseball Tonight on ESPN. Dallas is a "Hometown Hero" always supporting several local charities. Each Thanksgiving he proudly collects and distributes food to those less fortunate. Dallas is living proof that life can be a **"perfect game"** when you work hard and make good choices.

TYRONNE GROSS "HOMETOWN HERO":

Tyronne Gross is a former American football running back. He was born in Stockton CA, and attended Lincoln High School. He played football for Cal State Sacramento and Eastern Oregon University. In 2006 he signed with the San Diego Chargers and was later drafted by the New York Sentinels in 2009. Tyronne still has a strong connection with the Stockton community always supporting local programs, especially youth oriented, and giving back to his hometown.