

# Press Release



## Battle Ground Public Schools

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### Mock emergency at stadium March 30

Don't be alarmed by the sirens, emergency vehicles and moans of pain from the "victims" at District Stadium Wednesday morning, March 30.

Between 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. March 30, the stadium, behind Battle Ground High School, will be abuzz with police, fire and medical personnel and their emergency vehicles – perhaps even a LifeFlight medical helicopter.

They will be responding to a make-believe alcohol-related traffic accident at the stadium as part of the SKID program (Stopping Kids' Intoxicated Driving).

The dramatization "is a graphic and realistic portrayal of crushed vehicles and injured bodies," organizers say. Mock first aid will be administered to the mock injured.

SKID organizers wanted to alert residents and businesses in the area that the event will be occurring and is not an actual emergency.

**Questions?** Call Battle Ground Public Schools' prevention education office, (360) 885-6579.

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