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## TIPS Trains 206 in 2010; Announce 2011 Dates

In 2010, 206 servers, clerks, managers, etc. were trained in the Training for Intervention Procedures



(TIPS). TIPS is the Responsible Beverage Server Curriculum currently being offered for Buffalo County.

The Responsible Beverage Coalition formed in 2007, with the mission of eliminating alcohol sales to minors and intoxicated persons. We would like to say “Thank You,” to those businesses and patrons who have been a part of this great accomplishment.

A special thanks our TIPS trainers for their support of the program and for giving of their time. Trainers for Buffalo County include: Doug Kramer, Linda Neemeyer, Ryan Ohri and Amy Softley.

Trainings are held monthly for owners, servers, management staff and employees for \$30 per person. Upcoming classes will be held in Kearney on the following dates: Jan. 20; Feb. 7 and 10; and March 7 and 31.

For more information or to register for the Responsible Beverage Server Training, please contact: Lacrica Olson at 308.865.2283 or by email [lolson@bcchp.org](mailto:lolson@bcchp.org)

## December Partner With Us! Online Donor

Thank you to our new donor: Dr. Sri Seshadri.

Thank you to all of our financial partners.

It is now possible to become a financial partner with Buffalo County Community Partners online by clicking the “Donate” button in the upper right-hand corner of our website: [www.bcchp.org](http://www.bcchp.org)

You may also contact Denise Zwiener, by email [dzwiener@bcchp.org](mailto:dzwiener@bcchp.org) or phone, (308)865-2280 for more information.

## YAB ‘Take a Stand’ at Storm Hockey Game

On Jan. 1, the Buffalo County Youth Advisory Board took their message, “Take a Stand” to the Tri-City Storm hockey game. The “Take a Stand” message encourages students that two out of three high school students choose not to drink.

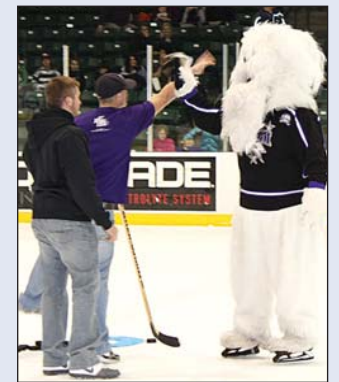
Board members supported the Storm with their purple “Take a Stand” shirts and promoted their message during the first intermission, as four board members participated in Tic-Tac-Toe on ice.

The youth also partnered with two Storm players, Scott Diebold and Matt Johnson, for a poster that was given to every fan that attended the game. Diebold and Johnson are quoted on the poster, “We choose to take a stand because we have a lot of family members who are looking up to us. We’re being watched all the time.”

The players were available following the game for an autograph session. They will also be traveling to local schools in January to share the message, **Take a Stand.**



From left: Victoria Harmoney, Jack Anderson, Alyssa VanArnham, Shelby Behrendt, Dalton Meier and Spencer Lowe played Tic-Tac-Toe on ice during the YAB-sponsored Storm hockey game.



Dalton and Spencer give Stormie a high-five after winning the Tic-Tac-Toe game.



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## Calendar of Events

- **Activate Buffalo County** meets on the first Monday of each month, 1:30-3 p.m., Cash-Wa Board Room.  
 For more information: [staff@bcchp.org](mailto:staff@bcchp.org) or [www.ActivateBuffaloCounty.org](http://www.ActivateBuffaloCounty.org)
- **Positive Pressure Coalition** meets on the first Tuesday of each month, 12-1 p.m., Region 3 Conference Room.  
 For more information: [lolson@bcchp.org](mailto:lolson@bcchp.org) or [www.bcchp.org](http://www.bcchp.org)
- **Buffalo County Tobacco Free Coalition** meets on the first Thursday of each month, 1:15-1:15 p.m., Region 3 Conference Room.  
 For more information: [jbrown@region3.net](mailto:jbrown@region3.net)
- **Buffalo County Health Ministry Network** meets on the second Thursday of each month, 12-1 p.m., Holy Cross Lutheran Church.  
 For more information: (308)865-7741
- **Youth Advisory Board** For more information: [www.bcyab.org](http://www.bcyab.org)
- **Buffalo County Housing Coalition** meets on the fourth Monday of each month, 1:15 p.m., Miller & Associates.  
 For more information: [candy@miller-engineers.com](mailto:candy@miller-engineers.com)
- **Buffalo County Housing Senate** meets on the fourth Monday of each month, 7 p.m., Location TBD.  
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- **TIPS Trainings** For more information: [lolson@bcchp.org](mailto:lolson@bcchp.org) or [www.bcchp.org](http://www.bcchp.org)

### Our Mission

Buffalo County Community Partners is a county-wide, non-profit organization with a mission to assess, promote and strengthen the health of Buffalo County citizens. Community Partners facilitate change through the recruitment and training of volunteers and the creation of coalitions to impact priority issues that reach all corners of the county.

### Partner with us!

If you would like to be a partner with Buffalo County Community Partners through a financial donation, please contact Denise Zwiener or donate online at [www.bcchp.org](http://www.bcchp.org)

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