The Floral Park-Bellerose School District Invites you to Attend The Courage to Speak® Foundation Presentation

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By Ginger Katz,

CEO/Founder of The Courage to Speak® Foundation and Author of *Sunny's Story*

PLEASE JOIN US!

November 13, 2014
7:00PM — JLCS Auditorium

<mark>10 Elizabeth Street</mark> Floral Park, NY 11001

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The Courage to Speak Foundation, Inc. was founded by Ginger Katz in an effort to foster open communication about the prevention of alcohol and other drug abuse among young people. Ginger has been inspired to speak out by the untimely death of her son Ian from a drug overdose. Since 1996, she has given over 1,000 presentations nationally to hundreds of thousands of parents. The Courage to Speak Foundation provides drug prevention presentations, school-based curricula developed by experts for elementary, middle and high school and *Courageous Parenting 101* for parents, evaluated by Yale University.

Issues to be addressed:

- Signs to look for
- Alcohol and drug prevention
- The code of silence and its dangers
- Addiction and its impact on families
- What to do if your child is using drugs including alcohol
- How to recognize risky behaviors and relationships

This presentation is open to all students and parents in grades 6 and up. Please note that all students attending must be accompanied by an adult.

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