MEET OUR PREVENTION TEAM

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Santa Cruz County, formed on March 15, 1899, out of what was then Pima County, is named after the Santa Cruz River.

**Fun Facts about Santa Cruz County**

- Santa Cruz County (1,238 sq mi) is the smallest county in Arizona.
- The county seat is Nogales. And towns include Rio Rico, Patagonia, Elgin, Sonoita, Amado and Tubac.
- The Nogales, AZ border is one of the main land-crossing points between Mexico and the U.S.; and the most important one in Arizona.
- The #1 attraction from trip advisor is the Nogales-SCC Chamber of Commerce Visitor Tourism Center.
- The NHS stunt and cheer team won the 2020 AIA State Championship title.
- The Hangover 3 filmed in Nogales, AZ in 2012.
EVIDENCE BASED PROGRAM BEING FUNDED

THE STRENGTHENING FAMILIES PROGRAM (SFP) IS AN EVIDENCE-BASED FAMILY SKILLS TRAINING PROGRAM FOR HIGH-RISK AND GENERAL POPULATION FAMILIES THAT IS RECOGNIZED BOTH NATIONALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY. PARENTS AND YOUTH ATTEND WEEKLY SFP SKILLS CLASSES TOGETHER, LEARNING PARENTING SKILLS AND YOUTH LIFE AND REFUSAL SKILLS. THEY HAVE SEPARATE CLASS TRAINING FOR PARENTS AND YOUTH/CHILD THE FIRST HOUR, FOLLOWED BY A JOINT FAMILY PRACTICE SESSION THE SECOND HOUR.

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SUCCESS STORIES

SFP PROGRAM DURING COVID-19

Online sessions

Facebook lives

Youth on the border

Virtual presentations

Netflix party
SUCCESS STORIES

DRIVE-IN MOVIE

• 75 CARS
• 130 CARE PACKET BAGS DESSIMINATED
• ASK ME BOOTH
• FREE POPCORN, NACHOS WITH CHEESE, AND SODA
SUCCESS STORIES

COLLABORATIONS
• SUPPORT EACH OTHER
• COMPLETE NOT COMPETE

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY
DRUG FREE COMMUNITY
COALITION

Y.A.D.A.
Youth Against Drugs & Alcohol

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY
COMMUNITY ALLIANCE

PIMA COUNTY
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

NO MORE VICTIMS

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Arizona

Argentina Youth
Development Center

Los Padres

SOUND ACTION
WORKS

LPKNC
Community in Action

Santa Cruz County
School Superintendent
Alfredo I. Villegas

BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF SANTA CRUZ COUNTY

CHILD-PARENT
CENTERS

THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA
Cooperative Extension

MACERIA YOUTH COALITION

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Trauma & ACES milestones since 2019:

- Over 200 community members have received TIC/Trauma Trainings
- Over 80 teachers and educators have been certified as TI Educators
- Over 100 educators have been equipped with mindfulness tools for their classrooms
- Over 50 behavioral health professionals trained in 3 modules of ACES
- 5 environmental scans implemented in 5 community schools
- Mindfulness rooms in the works at 5 local schools
- Increased funding for trauma-informed programs in Santa Cruz County
- Youth-Serving subcommittee has been formed to promote TI practices among youth-serving organizations
QUESTIONS?
THANK YOU