



Capital Hill Day 2024

Prevention Day on Capitol Hill is an opportunity for youth and prevention coalitions, including the San Juan County Youth Coalition, to engage directly with Utah lawmakers. The event empowers young people to advocate for policies that promote health, safety, and well-being in their communities.

Key Highlights:

Meet with Legislators: Discuss important issues and prevention efforts.

Learn the Legislative Process:

Gain hands-on experience in how government works.

Advocate for Healthy Communities:

Support policies that benefit youth and promote community well-being.

Prevention Day allows youth to make their voices heard and drive change in Utah's legislative decisions.

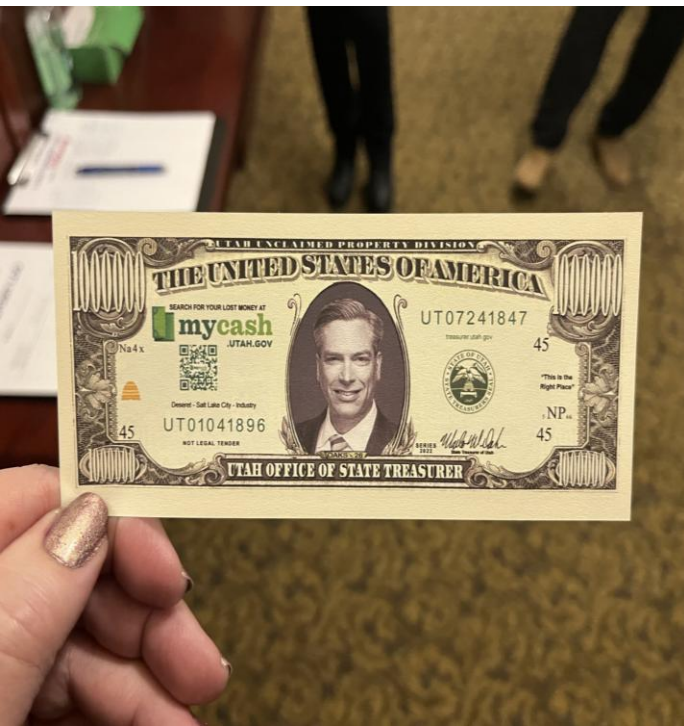


Felipe w/ Rep Lyman on the House Floor

Monument Valley High School on Tour of the Capital



During Capitol Hill Day, Youth Coalition members met with state legislators, educated them on prevention initiatives, and shared key issues affecting San Juan County. They toured the Capitol, attended legislative sessions, and reinforced the importance of using their voices to drive positive change in their community.



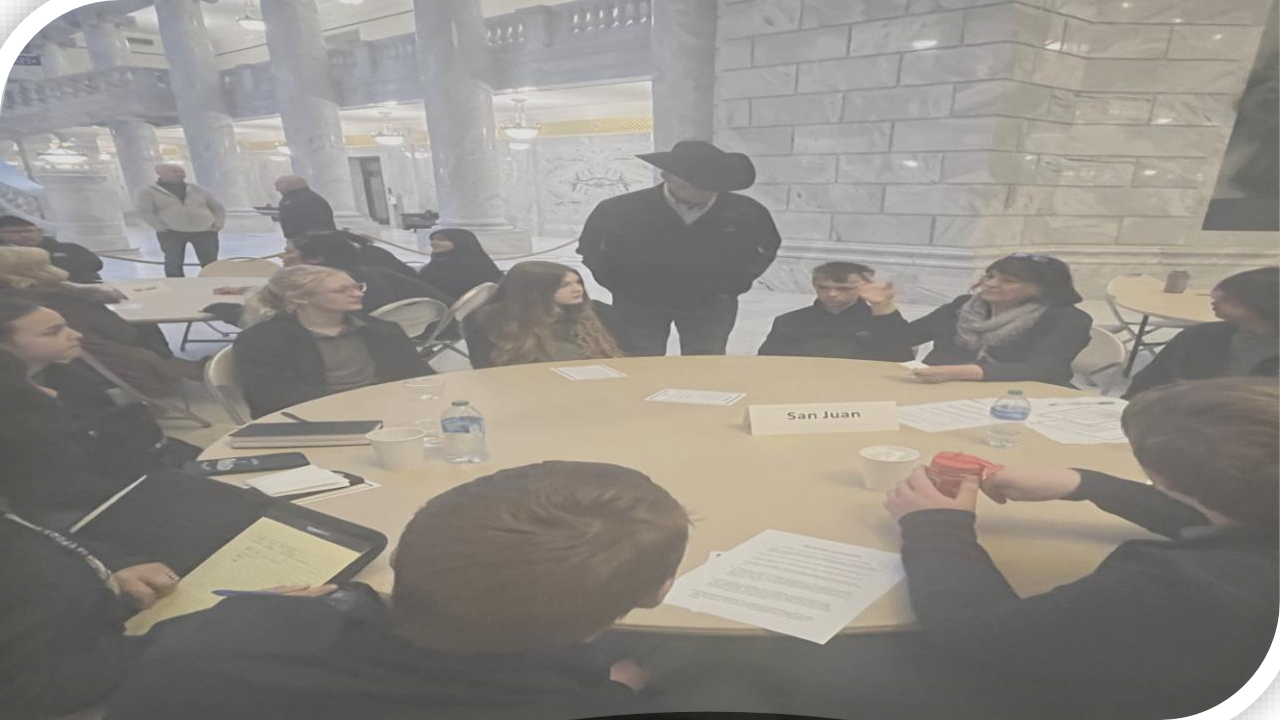
Capital Hill Day Breakfast W/ Phil Lyman

- ▶ During Capitol Hill Day, students had breakfast with Representative Phil Lyman, who shared insights into a typical day on Capitol Hill. They also met with state legislators to educate them on key issues in San Juan County and advocate for continued support of prevention programs. This experience deepened students' understanding of the legislative process and the challenges lawmakers face.



Youth Coalition experience different perspectives within the Capitol





Senator Hinkins and Commissioner Sylvia Stubbs spent quality time with youth from different schools across San Juan County, engaging in meaningful conversations about the legislative process. These interactions provided students with a comprehensive understanding of the responsibilities and challenges faced by their representatives in Utah. The Youth Coalition is truly gaining a well-rounded experience to bring back home and share with their families, fostering a deeper appreciation for civic engagement and leadership..





- ▶ Thank you for learning about our Capitol Hill Day experience! We're excited to announce that **Capitol Hill Day will take place on January 24th**. This is a great opportunity for youth to engage with legislators, gain valuable insights into the legislative process, and bring back what they learn to their communities.
- ▶ If you have any questions or would like more information, please feel free to reach out to the **San Juan County Youth Coalition**. We're happy to provide additional details and help anyone interested in participating or learning more about this meaningful event.
- ▶ SJCPAC Coalition would like that give a special thanks to Commissioner Sylvia Stubbs, Commissioner Bruce Adams; and County Administrator, Mack McDonald. Along with Representative Phil Lyman and his wife Jody. These were some of the key leaders that took time to visit with the kids.