



High School Students Learn Real Life Lessons

January 7, 2003 Waterford, Mich. - Discovery High School, 6370 Cooley Lake Road, Waterford, along with The Honorable Phyllis McMillen, 51st District Court Judge, will conduct court at the school on Tuesday, January 14, 2003, from 8:30-9:30 a.m.

Students will have the opportunity to witness, firsthand, the sentencing of defendants who have committed criminal misdemeanors, for which the maximum penalty can be up to one year in jail. The defendants involved have volunteered to come to Discovery High School and participate so that students may learn from their mistakes.

The cases may include driving under the influence and minors in possession. Sentencing could involve a fine, jail time, community service and/or participation in a rehabilitation program. Judge McMillen will handle four to six cases.

Judge McMillen will also make a presentation to the students that will include showing a powerful video on alcohol related driving accidents, as well as taking questions from the students.

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