

RED RIBBON WEEK YOUTH CONTESTS

Celebrating A Drug Free, Violence Free Community!

RED RIBBON WEEK 2026

Teachers!

Red Ribbon Week 2026 is right around the corner and we need **YOUR** help expressing the importance of living a drug-free life to the youth in our community.



Door Judging

Wednesday, October 28th

Bouse, Salome High, Salome Elementary, Wenden Elem, Ehrenburg Elem & Le Pera

Thursday, October 29th

Blake, Wallace Elem, Wallace Jr. High, Parker High, Preschool, Headstart, Alternative, PACA, Monument Peak

SCHOOL DOOR DECORATING CONTEST

Teachers & Students: Display your Red Ribbon Week support by participating in our door decorating competition! Our High School Youth 4 Youth club members will choose one winner from each participating school to receive a prize and winner banner for your classroom! Winning teachers will receive a coffee gift card!

POSTER CONTEST

Create your very own Red Ribbon Week Poster around the theme of "Lights, Camera, Take Action" to showcase how to live a drug free life! Entries must be submitted on standard size 8x11 piece of paper. To be eligible for prizes, students must right their name, school, grade and teachers name. One winner will be chosen from each grade across the county. Each winner will win a Red Ribbon Week swag bag!

VIDEO PSA CONTEST

This is your opportunity to create a fun 1 minute PSA explaining why it is important to you to live a drug free lifestyle and how do you take action against substance use? What are your dreams? What keeps you busy? What is your reasoning for making healthy choices? How do you take action to help your friends make good choices? Submit via instagram using the hashtag #TakeActionRRW2026 - Winner will receive a Red Ribbon Week Swag Bag and a \$100 Giftcard!

ESSAY CONTEST

PAACE is holding a new Red Ribbon Week Essay contest for students across the county. The winning essay will receive a \$200 scholarship prize! The essay must be a minimum of 500 words and focus on the prompt "Why is it important for youth to live drug free?" Entries must be submitted typed, double spaced, and include student's full name, school and grade. The use of Ai is not permitted.

ALL ENTRIES ARE DUE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23RD, 2026!