



TAKE A STAND
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Dear

Bullying is a National problem. Bullying is a Local problem. The **Bully Project** is a National Program to raise awareness of the cause and effect of bullying on the Local level. The **Bully Project** film actually chronicles the life of an Iowa boy as one of the four examples of bullying and the effect on the lives of children. There is currently **NO active Bully Project in the State of Iowa.**

Bullying does not just happen at school. It happens on our streets, in our homes, at the work place, at sporting events, in government agencies, and on the internet to name a few. Who is a Bully? Aside from the stereotype, the guy who gets the lunch money, the bully is ANYONE who mocks, belittles, intimidates or abuses someone for sport, to prove a point, for status, or for gain, (whether it be legal or illegal). Children actually have committed suicide as the result of bullying.

This has to stop! In order for us to accomplish real change, we need children, parents, school staff and administration, community leaders, local law enforcement (Police and Sheriff), elected officials (Mayors, County Supervisors, State Senators and Legislators, Governors, US Senators and Representatives and the White House) to come together to find and enact solutions to this terrible problem. We want to make our community, county, state and nation a safe and caring place where both our children and ourselves can thrive. We need to do something BIG to begin the process of educating each other and eliminating this terrible problem.

Please join us

***February 21, 2015 @ 1 - 5 PM**

Jefferson Elks Lodge (BPOE #2306), 103 W Harrison St, Jefferson, IA
as we launch:

B.I.G.

(Bully Project In Greene County)

Dave Dideriksen (Coordinator)

Cheryl Dideriksen (Coordinator)

Steve Haupert (Greene County Sheriff)

* If the weather is bad, we will be meeting on February 28, 2015
Call 712-652-3310 to RSVP and for postponement information