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## Football....Frenzy....Fright!

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### *How are these words connected?*

**FOOTBALL** season is well underway. It brings lots of pre-game and game **FRENZY**. Alcohol is often part of the party. Did you know that it is often part of the party with your teenagers? Most parties occur in homes. Did you know that is where most underage drinking occurs?

Data from SAMSHA's recent report on underage drinking offer parents, teachers and other concerned adults information on where drinking occurs and how young people obtain alcohol. The same report shows over 5,000 kids under the age of 21 die as a result of drinking alcohol every year in the United States. Those stats bring **FRIGHT!**

The findings from this study are being incorporated into the Underage Drinking Prevention campaign. This campaign provides parents with valuable information about the problem of underage drinking as well as tips on how to talk to their children about it.

Further information about the campaign can be obtained at:

[www.stopalcoholabuse.gov](http://www.stopalcoholabuse.gov).

### *Will you join with us at OHSa in this campaign?*

