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Press Release

Oakwood Village, OH – Hawthorne Valley Youth Council (HVYC) is sponsoring a FREE event on January 16, 2019 with Speaker, Nicole Walmsley, about her experience on opioids. Nicole was addicted for many years, but after struggling and spending time in jail, she found freedom. [Nicole Walmsley Link](#)

This free event is for all and will take place Wednesday, January 16, 2019 at the Oakwood Community Center located at 23035 Broadway Avenue, Oakwood Village at 7:00p.m. Space is limited, please contact Hawthorne Valley Youth Council Administrator, Debra Hladky, at 440.232.9988 for reservations or more information.

HVYC is a youth driven organization in which 7th through 12th grade students make a difference in the community. The program exists to give students in the Bedford City School District the opportunity to learn how local and state government runs through hands-on experience. Students run their own HVYC meetings, elect their own officers, participate and sponsor their own community outreach events and write legislation which could change state law. The purpose of the program is to give youth the opportunity to grow, learn valuable citizenship and leadership skills. This amazing program encourages and shapes our student leaders for tomorrow, while making a difference today.

Come hear Nicole's incredible journey from addiction, to despair, to hope, to living free from opioids. Join the students of HVYC for this informative multimedia presentation on the Opioid Crises where Nicole will tell her story and offer hope.

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