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Mock crash planned at Fairfield High School on Friday, April 28

Fairfield, OH – The City’s Fire Department in cooperation with Fairfield City Schools will be conducting a mock crash at Fairfield High School starting at 8:30 a.m. on Friday, April 28, 2017.

The live depiction of a crash scene will involve students from the high school drama department in full make-up as injured victims, in damaged cars. Police and fire personnel will respond to and manage the scene like an actual accident.

Junior and senior students watch the mock crash as part of a school assembly in advance of prom night.

“We will run the event like it is an actual crash, starting with the 911 call and tone-drop as the students are in the assembly,” said Fire Lt. Jamison Ruhl. “It will involve fire and police personnel as well as the coroner, air care, and chaplain. We want to show the dangerous consequences of making poor choices while driving, especially on prom night, with the goal of preventing tragedy.”

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