

David Fornshell Presentation

Wayne Local Schools is honored to have David Fornshell speak with our students on March 31, 2021. He will be talking to our students about various topics that affect our teens every day. He will speak of the dangers and legal ramifications of school threats, sexting, sexual offenses (as they pertain to juveniles) and online dangers. His presentation will be about 45 minutes in length. The middle school will have a separate presentation from the high school so the topics can be tailored for age appropriateness. The information covered in this presentation is key in preventing circumstances our teens find themselves in often, and gives them information and strategies on how to possibly avoid them.

Presentation Opt-Out Form

Please complete this form ONLY if you do NOT want your child to be included in the informational presentation on various teen issues and possible legal ramifications. Students that are not part of the presentation will be moved to a study hall area where they may work on assignments if desired.

(Name of Student) PLEASE PRINT

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION:

Parent/Guardian Name:

Parent/Guardian Signature:



Biography

David P. Fornshell was sworn-in as the 38th Prosecuting Attorney of Warren County on February 17, 2011. David came to the Prosecutor's Office after serving as a partner in the litigation department at Dinsmore & Shohl LLP in Cincinnati, where he started his legal practice in 1999. From 1999-2007, David also served as Prosecuting Attorney for the City of Blue Ash, Ohio.

David is actively involved in the community and serves as a member of the FBI Joint Terrorism Task Force, Ohio Prosecuting Attorney's Association Executive Committee, Warren County Drug Task Force Policy Board, Child Advocacy Center of Warren County Steering Committee, and various other boards and committees. David is also the former Chairman of the Warren County Board of Elections, former Chairman of the Warren County Republican Party, and former Secretary of the Warren County Board of MR/DD.

Since becoming Warren County Prosecutor, David has expanded the Prosecutor's Office's community outreach efforts. Most recently, David developed and conducted training for board members, officers, and volunteers of charitable, church, booster, youth sports, and other not-for-profit organizations on how to protect against internal organizational theft. He has also developed and conducted age-appropriate presentations for numerous Warren County high school, junior high school, and middle school students on topics such as school threats, sexting, date rape, and juvenile decision-making. David has also trained other county prosecutors from around the state of Ohio on topics ranging from the handling of death penalty cases to Ohio's grand jury process and procedures.

David received the 2018 Prosecutor of the Year Award for the state of Ohio by the Ohio Prosecuting Attorney's Association, and has prosecuted cases receiving international and national attention, including cases profiled by the BBC documentary series *Life and Death Row*, Good Morning America, Fox News, CNN, MSNBC, *The Washington Post*, *The New York Times*, *The UK Daily Mail*, and numerous other international and national publications. David also served as a legal consultant for a network television series crime drama.

A seventh-generation Warren County resident, David grew up in the Lebanon/Turtlecreek Township area where he graduated from Lebanon High School. David graduated *summa cum laude* from Ohio University where he received degrees in Finance and Business Prelaw. David received his Juris Doctor from Pepperdine University School of Law in Malibu, California, finishing in the top 10% of his graduating class.

David and his wife Amy reside in the Lebanon area with their three children. Over the past decade, David has served as volunteer coach for Lebanon youth football, basketball, baseball, and fast-pitch softball organizations, and also serves as an OHSAA basketball official. He and his family are active in Lebanon Presbyterian Church.