

# Community Prevention and Wellness Initiative

## *Partners for Healthy Communities*

### **Vision**

Healthy Kids,  
Healthy Families.

### **Mission**

Uniting kids, families  
and agencies in support  
of healthy youth  
in Chimacum.

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## **Chimacum Prevention Coalition, A CPWI Community**

### **About the Community Prevention and Wellness Initiative (CPWI):**

CPWI is a partnership of state agencies, counties, schools and local prevention coalitions supporting communities in preventing alcohol and other drug abuse and its negative consequences. Our highest priority is to reduce underage drinking among 8<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade students. By providing evidence-based practices and promoting positive changes, we can build healthier communities.

### **About Chimacum Prevention Coalition:**

#### **Our Community and Our Schools Working Together**

The Chimacum Prevention Coalition (CPC) is a volunteer prevention advocacy organization that brings youth, parents, schools, businesses, healthcare professionals, youth-serving agencies, law enforcement, religious/fraternal organizations, civic/volunteer groups, local government, substance abuse organizations, media, and community members together to work on preventing youth substance use and abuse in the geographic area specific to the Chimacum School District. CPC works in collaboration with the Chimacum School District, Olympic Educational Service District 114, and Jefferson County Public Health. Founded in the fall of 2013, CPC is governed by citizen volunteers and representatives from local agencies.

UPCOMING PROGRAM: In the fall of 2014 and the winter of 2015 CPC, in collaboration with Jefferson County 4-H, will be sponsoring two series of the evidence-based parenting program, Strengthening Families. For more information, contact:

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STAY TUNED: CPC will be sponsoring a series of presentations on issues related to youth alcohol and drug use, as well as sponsoring a Community Adult Social Norms Campaign.

INTERESTED IN BEING INVOLVED? Contact:

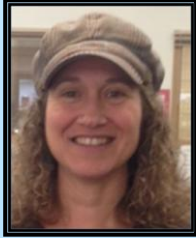
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**About Our Community**

Chimacum is a rural, unincorporated community in eastern Jefferson County, on the Olympic Peninsula. It was named after the Chimacum group of Native Americans who lived there until the late 19th century. It is an agricultural area with many small farms and a farmers market.

The Chimacum School District serves the unincorporated communities of East Jefferson County to the south of Port Townsend and north of Quilcene, including Chimacum, Port Hadlock, Irondale, Marrowstone Island, Oak Bay, Paradise Bay, Port Ludlow, and Shine.

**General Statistics**

Chimacum School District OSPI Data from Fall 2012 - 2013

Zoning:	Rural
Population:	1,069 students
White	81.9%
Hispanic	7.5%
2 or more races	6.8%
Asian/Pacific Island	2.2%
Asian	1.8%
American Indian & Alaska Native	1.4%
African American	0.8%
Two or more races	6.3%
Free/Reduced meals	50.8% (May 2013)
Unemployment:	Jeff. Co. – 8.4%, State – 6.5%
Median household income:	Jeff. Co. – \$46,651, State – \$56,444
Children living in poverty:	Jeff. Co. – 20.8%, State – 16.8%
Transportation:	Limited public transportation.

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For more information about CPWI visit  
<http://www.dshs.wa.gov/dbhr/dapreventionservices.shtml>

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