Scooby-Doo movie has character huffing for 'fun'

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ter huffing ----

After providing information for National Inhalants Week, I want to share some e-mail information from the Center for Substance Abuse Prevention and the Regional Alcohol Drug Awareness Resource:

There is "a call to action because the latest Scooby-Doo movie has a character huffing nitrous from a whipped cream can for 'fun.' As you read this update, keep in mind that inhalant use is on the rise for sixth and eighth graders while there is a significant erosion of perceptions of inhalant risk and danger among this same group. This is a time for increased education and awareness efforts if we want to reverse these trends. We have a great opportunity at hand. . . .

tional Inhalant Prevention Coali- message that is going out to kids —



tion that the new Warner Brothers' PG rated Scooby-Doo movie, 'Scooby-Doo 2, Monsters Un- heard to keep our youths safe. If we leashed,' has a scene with Shaggy huffing nitrous oxide from a whipped cream can for 'fun."

To see the trailer, go to this site and click on "Under the Weather": http://movies.yahoo.com/ Just think about the target audi-"Reports are coming into the Na- ence for this PG rated movie and the

funny and OK to huff! In the last six weeks there were youngsters who died af-

that's not OK or cute.

"We must have our concerns work toward greater awareness with combined voices, people who create movies and advertisements will finally understand that there is nothing funny or cute about huffing. "What can we do? In partnership

shop?d=hv&id=1808412521&cf=trailer. with the Compressed Gas Association (see http://www.cganet.com for background and additional nitrous information), the National being used. Let's hope no tragedies

lieves that the immediate goal is to raise awareness about our concerns and the implications of the movie's message and about the dangers of inhalant use in general.

'We should urge Warner Brothers to remove or edit this scene before it goes to DVD and video and provide inhalant prevention educational materials at theaters and with future DVDs and videos.

whipping cream can be observed in the movie, then the manufacturer may have paid for this product placement. If this is the case, the manufacturer should be called to ask for their approval of using their product this way or for not paying attention to how their product is

it is cute, Inhalant Prevention Coalition be- occur as a result of this scene.... "We urge you write, call and email all parties involved to express hard enough (I don't hear about your concerns - get friends and colleagues to do the same.

> "Contact local and especially national media outlets and let them follow-up to National Inhalants know your concerns and encourage them to do stories.... our efforts should not be about blame, but about educating.

"Did the folks who were involved "If a specific brand of canned in this movie intend to do something wrong or inappropriate? I think not. This is an opportunity to educate Coalition web site is at http:// many communities and publics about the dangers of inhalant use.

on the top of the awareness list, ex- presentation regarding inhalant cept during NIPAW (National Inhalants and Poisons Awareness 3848 or e-mail me at crisl@st-Week) or after a tragic death. Maybe tel.net.

this is not Warner Brother's fault but rather mine or ours for not pushing coke use in PG rated movies).

"This is a particularly good time for an inhalant education effort as a And Poisons Awareness Week. Our efforts should be to advance people's understanding about the dangers of inhalant use so they are recognized as a broad public health issue...."

The National Inhalant Prevention www.inhalants.org.

If your local organization, class-"As we all know, inhalants are not room or other group would like a abuse prevention, call me at 899-

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the following new books, cassettes and compact disks as of April 1:

In adult fiction: "The Burglar on the Prowl," by Lawrence Block; "Whisker of Evil," by Rita Mae Brown; "Above and Beyond," by Sandra Brown.

"The Master Quilter," by Jennifer Chiaverini; "Life Goes On," by Philip Gulley; "Firestorm," by Iris Johansen; "Shadow Men," by Jonathan King; "Acorna's Triumph," by Anne McCaffrey; "The Gate of Heaven," by Gilbert Morris; "Bad Business," by Robert B. Parker.

"3rd Degree," by James Patterson; "The Body of David Hayes," by Ridley Pearson; "Guardian of the Horizon," by Elizabeth Peters; "Islands," by Anne Rivers Siddons; and "Pearl," by Lauraine Snelling.

In adult non-fiction: "The Two-Income Trap," by Elizabeth Warren; "The Red Hat Society," by Sue Ellen Cooper; "Kansas Legislative "Pie in the Sky," by Lois Ehlert; Handbook, 2004 Edition;""Social "Sidewalk Circus," by Paul

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"Slow Your Clock Down," by Guide to Sports Injuries," by H. Winter Griffith; "The New Harvard Guide to Women's Health," by Karen Carlson; "Low-carb, Quick and Easy," by Frances Geidt.

"The American Horticultural Society Great Plant Guide;" "The Official Major League Fact Book, 2004 Edition;""The Best Poems of the English Language;""The Revolutionary War," by John M. Thompson and National Geographic; and "In the Company of Soldiers," by Rick Atkinson.

In children's books: "The Answer," by Katherine Applegate; "The Beginning," by Katherine Applegate; "Babar's Book of Color," by Laurent de Brunhoff; "Perfect Princess," by Meg Cabot; "Princess in Pink," by Meg Cabot;

matters of record

Real Estate

The following real estate transactions were reported by the Sherman County Register of Deeds:

Meredith J. and Hilaria E. Huff of Arapahoe County, Colo., to the Secretary of Veterans Affairs of Washington D.C., an office of the United States of America, successors or E. Kellogg, Wichita, a tract com- T10, R39.

monly known as 120 Clark St., Goodland. Deed given in lieu of foreclosure of mortgage.

James E. Durham to the Durham Ranch LLC, Okeene, Okla., his right, title and interest in and to all of the minerals in and under and that may be produced from the N/2 of Sec. 30, T10, R39; the SW/4 of Sec. 20, T10, R39; the N/2 of Sec. 29, assigns, c/o director, VA Medical T10S, R30; the NW/4 of Sec. 28, and Regional Office Center, 5500 T10, R39; and the SE/4 of Sec. 28,

Home," by Paul Mantell; "Summer Judith Reichman; "The Complete of the Sea Serpent," by Mary Pope

Rebecca Emberley.

the Funny Lunch," by Cynthia (AC); "Above and Beyond," by Parker (CD); "3rd Degree," by "Look to the Hills: the Diary of Rylant; "Atomic Age (he's just my Sandra Brown (CD); "The James Patterson (CD); Black Creek "Prairies of North America," by Lozette Moreau, a French Slave dad)," by Jeff Weigel; "Scholastic Bookman's Promise," by John Crossing," by John Saul (CD); Girl," by Pat McKissack; "Stealing Atlas of Weather;" and "Piñata," by Dunning (CD); "Four to Score," by "Reckless Abandon," by Stuart Janet In audio books: "The Burglar on "Firestorm," by Iris Johansen (CD); Despereaux," by Kate DiCamillo Osborne; "Henry and Mudge and the Prowl," by Lawrence Block "Bad Business," by Robert B. (CDJF).

Evanovich (CD); Woods (CD); and "The Tale of





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