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Penn Glade Lions Club help Penn Township parents identify drug use

(Penn Township, May 24, 2010) -- If you suspect that your child is experimenting with Marijuana, you now have a way to find out for sure. Penn Glade Lions, in partnership with the Penn Township Police, are making the effort to help you keep children drug free.

Penn Township residents may purchase marijuana drug tests, anonymously, at the Penn Township Building, 157 East Airport Road, Penn Township, PA. Cost is five dollars. The drug tests give results in minutes. If the test is positive, a phone number and web address are included in the testing kit. The parent can either call or use the web to get a list of local places to get help.

Marijuana is often the drug that starts the path to other drugs and addiction. It is important to get help for a child that is using marijuana and stop the cycle of drug abuse as soon as possible. The knowledge by a child that their parents now have a way to test them can also help prevent use. Peer pressure often plays a part in a child using marijuana, but a child can say "my parents may test me, so I won't try marijuana."

The Penn Glade Lions Club has 30 members and meets on the second and fourth Thursday of each month at Penn Glade Lions Park, 140 Church Road, Penn Township, PA. Lions clubs are a group of men and women who identify needs within the community and work together to fulfill those needs. For more information or to get involved with the Penn Glade Lions Club, please contact Helen Eisler at 724-287-6899 or visit www.penngladelions.org.

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