



Drink dangers

UNDERSTANDING the responsible service of alcohol to prevent intoxication in young people was the focus of a B4U Drink - Think program aimed at year 12 students.

The end of the school year is the optimum time for celebrations and parties, but sadly it can be a time of ruthless drinking that can lead to tragedy.

This program is designed to make young people aware of the effects alcohol has on them and the signs to look for in someone who may have had too much to drink.

In addition the two - day program included the opportunity to obtain a Responsible Service of Alcohol certificate. This made the program a terrific opportunity for students interested in the hospitality industry. This program could lead students into employment, provide them with leadership skills, hospitality industry contacts, independence, personal responsibility and lifestyle choices.

Funding for the program was obtained through a partnership between the Drug Action Prevention Awareness committee, Singleton High School, St Catherine's Catholic College, Singleton Christian College, Singleton Liquor Accord and Hunter Life Education.



AWARENESS: Rob Leonard discussed how young people can identify the signs of intoxication in their mates at a B4U Drink - Think program.