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BUSINESSES DOING THEIR PART OF KEEP ALCOHOL AWAY FROM YOUTH

96% Pass Latest Round of Compliance Checks in August

A test of 54 Burnsville businesses that sell alcoholic beverages revealed that 96% of them followed proper procedure and did not sell to underage youth during a recent round of compliance checks. Burnsville's compliance rate compares with the 88% in Dakota County for 2003 and a maximum of 85% statewide.

"Burnsville is committed to working with our alcohol license holders to eliminate underage access to alcoholic beverages," commented Karen Laine, Alcohol Compliance Specialist. "Our Best Practices program provides training and incentives to help reach our community goal, with compliance checks serving to measure our results," added Laine.

The Burnsville Police Department coordinates a "Best Practices Program" for Alcohol License holders that provides training to clerks and servers along with other resources to assist businesses in deterring sales to underage patrons. Here is list of the businesses passing the latest round of checks, with those involved in the "Best Practices" program noted with an asterisk.

Applebee's *	J's Family Restaurant
Benchwarmer Bob's *	Kwik Trip - Buck Hill Road *
Black Dawg Bar & Grill *	MGM Liquor Warehouse *
Blue Max Liquors *	Mr. B's Car Wash and Conoco *
Buca di Beppo	Nina's Steakhouse *
Bumper's Sports Bar *	Original Roadhouse Grill *
Burnsville Bowl *	Outback Steakhouse *
Burnsville Liquor Outlet	PDQ - Nicollet and 42 *
Cam Ranh Bay *	Q-Sharks Billiards
Champp's *	Rainbow Foods
Chili's Southwest Grill and Bar *	Red Hawk Liquors
Chinese Gourmet *	Red Lion Liquors *
Chuck E. Cheese's *	Red Lobster *
Ciatti's Chianti Grill *	Roasted Pear *
Crosstown Amoco *	Romano's Macaroni Grill *
Crosstown Liquors	Southside Music Café
Cruiser's Wine and Spirits *	Stephano's Italian Cuisine
Cub Foods - County Rd 42 *	Super America - Burnsville Pkwy & County Rd 5 *
Cub Foods - Hwy 13 *	Super America - County Rd 13 & 5

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Dakota County Steakhouse *	Super America - County Rd 42 & 5 *
Davanni's	Super America - County Rd 42 & Lac Lavon Dr *
El Loro Mexican Restaurant *	Super China Buffet
Famous Dave's Barbeque *	TGI Friday's
Godfather's Pizza	The Liquory *
Holiday Superstore - Irving and 42 *	The Olive Garden
JR's Family Reunion *	Timberlodge Steakhouse

For more information regarding alcohol compliance checks or the Best Practices program, please contact Karen Laine, Alcohol Compliance Specialist at 952-895-4628 or karen.laine@ci.burnsville.mn.us.

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