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Chris Herren, “Basketball Junkie”
Visits Yorktown to Address the Community
On Substance Abuse

Wednesday, February 26, 2014 at 7:00pm

Lakeland High School

1349 E. Main Street, Shrub Oak, NY 10598

- Former NBA player for the Denver Nuggets and Boston Celtics
- Founder of Hoop Dreams, offering player development clinics and training
- Star of the Emmy-nominated ESPN documentary “Unguarded”
- Author of *Basketball Junkie: A Memoir*

Chris Herren’s unique ability to speak from experience and reach out to all, especially our youth, on the subject of substance abuse, has made him one of the most sought-after speakers on this topic in America today. Even though he is booked for appearances through 2015, Herren has agreed to make a special appearance in Yorktown to share his story. After battling drug addiction for more than 14 years, Herren entered recovery and has devoted himself to helping others, especially our youth. An important part of Herren’s recovery was his stay, following a rehabilitation program, in a sober living residence similar to the one proposed by Compass Westchester for Yorktown, from which he greatly benefited.



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