Do you know how to keep your children safe on the internet?

With new electronic devices, social networking sites, online games, and mobile apps being introduced on a seemingly daily basis, children, more than ever, are vulnerable to being victimized by online predators who have unrestricted access to them 24/7.

Eastwood Local Schools is hosting David Frattare, Ohio Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force Commander, who will lead an interactive presentation to educate parents and community members on the potential dangers associated with online activity.

What: "Is it Worth the Risk?", a presentation to make parents aware of the dangers on the internet and tips to keep children and families safe

When: September 12th, 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Where: Eastwood High School Auditorium

Who: Parents, Educators and Community Members

Program topics include:

- Sexting
- Cyberbullying
- Dangers of the internet and mobile apps
- Warning signs to look for and how to react if you find your child has been victimized
- Tips to stay safe online
- Statistics and actual examples of popular apps and internet sites that should be monitored
- Recommendations and rules for keeping kids safe online
- Informal Q&A

David K. Frattare is the Director of State Investigations for the Cuyahoga County Prosecutor’s Office, and the Ohio ICAC Commander and is responsible for the investigation, coordination and supervision of undercover online investigations involving the sexual exploitation of children. David serves as the national representative for the Internet Crimes Against Children program in Ohio and provides training to law enforcement officers in the areas of undercover online investigations and peer-to-peer investigations. David was employed for 12 years as a Special Agent with the Pennsylvania Office of Attorney General’s Bureau of Criminal Investigation. From 2005 to 2009, he was assigned to the Attorney General’s Child Predator Unit and was responsible for more than 60 arrests throughout the United States and Canada involving the online sexual exploitation of children.