For a program to be most effective, the opening of the presentation means a great deal to the setting it creates with students. For this reason, please stay true to the precise wording of the below introduction – this introduction has been found to create a strong response from students and to get them in the right frame of mind. Please try not to add any discussion about sexual assault or rape prior to Mike's program beginning. One of the reasons audiences say Mike's opening is so powerful is that they never feel like they are about to hear a "typical" sexual assault or rape awareness lecture.

## For K12 Student Presentation



Introduction for Mike "Dom ish"

Pronounced like the "Amish" culture with a "D" in front of it. Listen to the pronunciation at: https://vimeo.com/201285280

Before we get started, please raise your right hand. Now with that hand, grab your phone . . . and **TURN IT ON TO VIBRATE**. All electronics are to be turned off.

Today's show will involved the discussion of intimacy and relationships. While lots of the show will be fun, there will also be serious matters discussed. For this reason, if any part of the program makes you uncomfortable, counselors will be available at the back of the room to talk with at any time during the program. Now, lets get started . . .

Get Ready!! When it comes to dating in high school (or middle school – if

speaking to middle school students), do you have friends who could use some help?

Then today is for you.

As the Founder of The Center for Respect, our guest speaker has produced 2 critically-acclaimed books, a FUN T-shirt line, and spoken on 4 continents to TENS OF THOUSANDS of people EACH YEAR. On TV & Radio, he has appeared in over 40 shows – including being on "Dateline NBC."

Our guest loves traveling the country speaking with students! Prepare to get involved by standing up and giving a warm & WILD welcome to ... Mike "Dom ish"

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