## Twin Valley Middle School Peace Keepers Referral

A Peacekeepers Referral is the first step in allowing students to resolve their own conflicts without the disciplinary action of the school administration. Students will be referred by administrators or counselors with the expectation that students can resolve their problem without adult intervention. The Restorative Process involves getting two people together who are in conflict and helping them to come up with their own solution to ending the conflict and restoring any harm done.

The Peer Facilitators are students who are trained in the Restorative Process. Both parties will be assigned a peer who will discuss the issue with them. A third peer will conduct a meeting together to gain understanding and help develop a resolution agreeable to all. The agreement will be written down and signed by both parties. The facilitators will follow up to determine if the contract is working and if the contract has been successful. If either party violates the agreement, or refuses to resolve the conflict, school consequences will be assigned. All information shared in the Restorative Process is confidential.