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Drink plays a part in rail deaths

Drinking alcohol then taking short cuts across railway tracks is often a tragic combination. There are many tales of young teenagers who have made a fatal mistake – here are just two.

Live rail horror on school mates camping trip



Danger
Live rails

Girl, 13, was drinking before railway death

By THOMAS MARTIN
A 13-YEAR-OLD girl who was electrocuted on a railway track was found to have been drinking alcohol before her death, it has emerged. The teenager, Jenny Williams, had been drinking cider with friends on a camping trip. The thirteen year old was with friends from High School and all of them had been drinking bottles of cider. The thirteen year old was with friends from High School and all of them had been drinking bottles of cider.



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At 2am they decided to walk to an all-night supermarket to buy food.

Instead of walking over a motorway fly over bridge they decided to take a short cut across railway tracks.

Whether it was because of the drink or not, Jenny tripped and fell face first on the live rail. Despite the attempts of a one of her friends to pull her off, Jenny was electrocuted.

It was discovered the drink had been bought for the young girls by an unknown woman. As a result Jenny's blood alcohol level was nearly twice the drink drive limit when she died.

Real lives. Real regrets



Tragic stories after nights out

Teenage party ends in track tragedy

16 year old Patrick Cummins was described as 'very drunk' at the inquest into his death on the railway tracks.

Teenage party ends in tragedy on the railway

A 16-YEAR-OLD boy was "very drunk" before he fell on a live railway line and died from electrocution, a Working Inquest heard this week. Patrick Cummins, of Great Road, Worsing, had been making his way home from a party in Augusting, when the party had broken up. He had spoken to Patrick on his mobile phone and sent text messages during the night. Dr Keith Roberts said after hearing that after 11pm he was not

Patrick was seen by school friends at a party drinking beer and vodka.

He missed his last train home when he decided to stay at the party until 2am. He was last seen alive near the railway station.

Following the railway line was a shorter way home than walking along the road. The next morning Patrick's body was found on the railway track and was identified from his fingerprints. He had been electrocuted having fallen on to the live rail.



Beware of trains