

# ***KEEP AT HOME***

**Included in this packet is our schedule for May/June AND detailed information regarding graduation requirements and activities!**

***READ THROUGH ALL INFORMATION CAREFULLY!***

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Dear Graduating Seniors, Parents, and Guardians,

Due to all of the upcoming graduation activities, this time of year always proves to be busy for seniors and their families. I hope you find this information helpful in planning for all of the activities that need to be scheduled in the months of May and June. If you have any questions, please contact us at 724-736-9507.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and congratulations to the Senior Class of 2022!

Ms. Lindey ([rlindey@fraziersd.org](mailto:rlindey@fraziersd.org))

Mr. Rafail ([vrafail@fraziersd.org](mailto:vrafail@fraziersd.org))

Ms. Rohm ([crohm@fraziersd.org](mailto:crohm@fraziersd.org))

# ***ACTIVITIES CALENDAR and DUE DATES***

- **SENIOR CLASS MEETING:** April 20th @ 7:45 a.m.  
Future Plans Survey , Cap and Gown Distribution and Information Packet
- **CIVICS EXAM REQUIREMENT DUE:** By April 28th  
Refer to the email sent to you by Mr. Pappas on April 4th.
- **COMMENCEMENT PERFORMERS:** By April 29th @ 8 a.m.  
Any talented senior wanting to sing and/or play a musical instrument at graduation must email Mr. Rafail, [vrafail@fraziersd.org](mailto:vrafail@fraziersd.org) by April 29th to schedule an audition.
- **SENIOR SLIDESHOW PHOTOS DUE:** By May 6th
- **ALL SENIOR FORMS DUE:** By May 13th
- **SENIOR RECOGNITION/AWARDS DUE:** By May 23rd @ 8 a.m.  
All senior honors/awards/scholarships that you want recognized at Awards Day need emailed to Ms. Hohol, [sholol@fraziersd.org](mailto:sholol@fraziersd.org), by May 23rd @ 8 a.m.
- **AWARDS DAY PRACTICE:** May 27th @ 8 a.m.
- **AWARDS DAY PROGRAM/PROMENADE:** May 31st @ 8 a.m.  
Decorated caps must be reviewed and approved by a senior class sponsor in advance of the Awards Day program.
- **COMMENCEMENT LUNCHEON:** May 31st @ 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
- **BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM:** May 31st @ 7p.m.
- **COMMENCEMENT PRACTICE:** June 1st @ 7:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.
- **ALL HOLD SLIPS NEED TO BE CLEARED:** By June 1st  
You will not receive your official diploma until all debts, disciplines and/or unexcused absences have been cleared by the office. Email Mrs. Shepler, [gshepler@fraziersd.org](mailto:gshepler@fraziersd.org), with any questions.
- **COMMENCEMENT:** June 2nd @ 7 p.m. (arrive by 6:20 p.m.)

# ***SENIOR SLIDESHOW PHOTOS***

- **ALL PHOTOS NEED TO BE SUBMITTED BY FRIDAY, MAY 6th.**
  - **SUBMIT EACH PHOTO SEPARATELY** by using the **2022 Senior Slideshow Google Form**. This form was sent to your gmail AND is located at <https://www.frazierschooldistrict.org/news> under Frazier High School.
  - **Each form submitted will require the following:**
    - Your name
    - Photo topic (see topics listed below)
    - Photo upload
    - List of student names that appear in the photo.
  - **NO PHOTOS will be accepted after Friday, May 6th.**
  - Email David Kieta ([dkieta@fraziersd.org](mailto:dkieta@fraziersd.org)) with any questions.
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## **REQUIRED BABY PHOTO**

- The Baby photo should have already been submitted by you for the yearbook.
- If you did NOT submit your baby photo for the yearbook, but would like it to appear on the SENIOR SLIDESHOW, then you have until **Friday, May 6th** to submit it.

## **OPTIONAL PHOTO TOPICS**

- Elementary School Photos
- Middle School Photos
- Band Photos
- Sports Photos
- Vo-Tech Photos
- Club Photos
- Musical Photos
- Prom Photos
- Senior Day Photos
- ANY group photos that are not school related but school appropriate.

# ***AWARDS DAY and COMMENCEMENT ATTIRE***

- **EVERY GRADUATE MUST BE DRESSED APPROPRIATELY!**

Males wear: DRESS SHIRT, DRESS PANTS, TIE, and DRESS SHOES

Females wear: DRESS OR PANT SUIT, DRESS SHOES

- **NO TENNIS SHOES OR FLIP FLOPS!**
- **USE CAUTION WHEN IRONING/STEAMING GOWNS. A COOL IRON IS BEST.**
- **STUDENTS NEED TO BRING ALL ITEMS WITH THEM... CAP, TASSEL, GOWN, HONOR CORDS...IT IS A GOOD IDEA TO HAVE EVERYTHING THAT YOU NEED ORGANIZED THE NIGHT BEFORE.**
- **CAPS MUST REMAIN ON AT ALL TIMES... THE MORTARBOARD MUST BE WORN PARALLEL TO THE FLOOR (NOT TILTED) WITH THE TASSEL HANGING TO THE RIGHT.**
- **Decorating your cap is not required. IF YOU CHOOSE TO DECORATE YOUR CAP, THEN YOU DO SO AT YOUR OWN RISK. You must adhere to the RULES FOR DECORATING YOUR GRADUATION CAP. If your cap gets damaged while decorating, we have NO extra caps.**
- **THE SPONSORS HAVE NO EXTRA PARTS TO THE CAPS AND GOWNS...IF YOU ARE MISSING AN ITEM THEN TRY TO CONTACT A GRADUATE FROM A PREVIOUS YEAR..THERE ARE NO EXTRAS!**

# ***RULES FOR DECORATING YOUR GRADUATION CAP***

**Decorating your cap is NOT a requirement and is done at your own risk!**

**Graduation caps must be reviewed and approved in advance of the Awards Day program. You must see a senior class sponsor.**

**The mortarboard MUST be worn parallel to the floor (NOT TILTED).**

**Follow these rules when decorating your graduation cap. Failure to follow these rules will result in your cap being taken away and you will not be able to participate in the ceremony.**

- Nothing obscene, profane, vulgar or lewd.
- No symbols, advertisements, initials, abbreviations, words, slogans, patches or pictures that refer to drugs or controlled substances, tobacco, alcohol, weapons or be of a sexual nature.
- Can not denote an affiliation with gangs or which advocate drug use, violence, illegal activity, or disruptive behavior which is detrimental to the safety and welfare of other students.
- Can not threaten the safety or welfare of any person.
- Only the flat, top area of the cap may be decorated.
- Nothing can be hanging off from the sides.
- Decorations must be flat on the surface, 3-D creations are prohibited.
- No blinking lights, nothing battery operated.
- Make sure the decorations will not come off your cap.
- Do not use anything that will make noise...no bells, whistles, etc.

**The following examples are appropriate to put on your cap:**

- Thank a parent, grandparent, teacher, or friend.
- Recognize the university you will attend.
- The year you are graduating.
- The branch of the military you will be joining.

# ***AWARDS DAY PRACTICE, AWARDS DAY PROGRAM and PROMENADE***

## **AWARDS DAY PRACTICE**

**May 27th @ 8 a.m. AUDITORIUM**

## **AWARDS DAY PROGRAM**

**May 31st @ 8 a.m. AUDITORIUM**

- Seniors will report to the Lindey/Rohm hallway to line up.
- Seniors must dress appropriately! Refer to the AWARDS DAY and COMMENCEMENT ATTIRE information sheet.
- Families of the graduates are invited to attend. Enter the school through the Field House doors.

## **SENIOR PROMENADE**

### **DIRECTLY FOLLOWING THE AWARDS DAY PROGRAM**

- We will be walking from the High School to the Middle/Elementary School...you may want to change into more comfortable walking shoes.

# ***COMMENCEMENT LUNCHEON***

**Tuesday, May 31, 2022**

**10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. @ Sampey Park**

- **ALL seniors must complete and turn in the COMMENCEMENT LUNCHEON FORM.**
- **ONLY seniors that plan on attending the luncheon must complete the FIELD TRIP PERMISSION FORM.**
- There is no cost to attend the luncheon.
- Students will provide their own transportation to Sampey Park.
- Students will be required to sign in at the luncheon no later than 10:45 a.m. AND sign out no earlier than 1:00 p.m.
- **If you cancel your reservation for the luncheon after Friday, May 13th OR skip the luncheon, you will owe the Senior Class \$25 for your meal. A hold slip will be filed with the office.**
- **Students who skip the luncheon or leave early without permission will NOT walk at commencement.**
- Students will be given time after the SENIOR PROMENADE to change into more comfortable clothing before heading to Sampey Park.
- For added fun, please feel free to bring a frisbee, football, volleyball, cornhole, etc. with you to Sampey Park.

# **BACCALAUREATE**

**Tuesday, May 31, 2022**

Baccalaureate is a **nondenominational** service hosted by the area's ministerial association to honor the graduating class. Attendance is voluntary and is open to all faiths.

The program begins at **7:00 PM** at the **St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Perryopolis**. A social, including refreshments, will take place after the program. Again, it is open to all faiths and all are encouraged to attend.

- **Any senior that would like to participate (read, sing, play instrument) can contact:**

Adelle Slebodnik

Call: 412-691-1071

Email: [aslebodnik@dioceseofgreensburg.org](mailto:aslebodnik@dioceseofgreensburg.org)

- **Seniors must dress appropriately! Refer to the AWARDS DAY and COMMENCEMENT ATTIRE information sheet.**
- **Report at 6:30 PM** to the church.



# **COMMENCEMENT TICKETS / SEATING**

- **EACH graduate will receive 4 TICKETS at the end of commencement practice.**
- **Due to auditorium capacity and number of graduates, there will only be a SMALL number of extra tickets available. Any graduate requiring an extra ticket will need to line up near the stage AFTER commencement practice. Again, there are only a limited number of extra tickets available.**
- **If any HANDICAPPED SEATING is required, then notify the sponsors by May 31st.**
- **Allow yourself and the graduate plenty of time to arrive at school.**
- **Auditorium doors will open at 6 p.m. for commencement seating.**
- **Seats MAY NOT BE SAVED.**
- **ALL FAMILY AND FRIENDS MUST BE SEATED BY 6:50 P.M.** Aisles and doorways of the auditorium must be clear at this time. We understand that everyone is excited, but help us by controlling your family and friends. We want commencement to be a special day for each graduate. **Do not stand or walk in the aisles during the processional.** Your cooperation is greatly appreciated in advance!
- **COMMENCEMENT IS FINISHED ONCE EVERY GRADUATE HAS EXITED THE AUDITORIUM.** Do not attempt to walk between the graduates. Allow them to exit the auditorium! The graduates will proceed directly to the front offices so that they can receive their official diplomas. Your graduate will meet you after he or she has checked out of the office.

# COMMENCEMENT MULTIMEDIA

## SENIOR SLIDESHOW

- Viewing of the slideshow will take place after the Awards Day program AND before the Commencement ceremony. Approximately 30 minutes.
- Graduates will NOT be given a copy of the slideshow nor will copies be sold.
- The slideshow can be **viewed** from the Frazier Media YouTube page:  
<https://tinyurl.com/3eyyj2fj>
- The slideshow can be **downloaded** from:  
<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1QNKrVBi5nOCIUaRVD-UxmAIK8Vs9Jjpt?usp=sharing>
- Email David Kieta ([dkieta@fraziersd.org](mailto:dkieta@fraziersd.org)) with any questions.

## COMMENCEMENT PHOTO

- All graduates, upon receiving their diploma on stage, will have a photo taken by Gray's Photography.
- These photos will be available to view and purchase on the Gray's Photography Facebook page.
- Contact Dana if you have any questions: [d1gray@hotmail.com](mailto:d1gray@hotmail.com) OR 724-366-0468.

## COMMENCEMENT LIVESTREAM

- Graduates will NOT be given a copy of commencement nor will copies be sold.
- Commencement can be **viewed** from the Frazier Media YouTube page:  
<https://youtu.be/7DLVUUyB7c>
- Commencement can be **downloaded** from:  
<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1QNKrVBi5nOCIUaRVD-UxmAIK8Vs9Jjpt?usp=sharing>
- Email David Kieta ([dkieta@fraziersd.org](mailto:dkieta@fraziersd.org)) with any questions.

# **GRADUATE CHECKLIST**

- **ALLOW YOURSELF PLENTY OF TIME.**
- **SENIORS ARE NOT PERMITTED IN THE AUDITORIUM PRIOR TO THE PROCESSIONAL!**
- **SENIORS ARE TO REPORT DIRECTLY TO ROOM 125 (Rohm) or ROOM 127 (Lindley) BY 6:20. NO SENIOR SHOULD BE IN FRONT OF THE AUDITORIUM...NO SOCIALIZING IN THE HALLS...GET TO WHERE YOU NEED TO BE WHEN YOU NEED TO BE THERE!**
- **YOU ARE TO DRESS APPROPRIATELY AS YOU DID ON SENIOR DAY AND AWARDS DAY...COMMENCEMENT ATTIRE...NO TENNIS SHOES OR FLIP FLOPS!**
- **STUDENTS NEED TO BRING ALL ITEMS WITH THEM...CAP, TASSEL, GOWN, HONOR CORDS...IT IS A GOOD IDEA TO HAVE EVERYTHING THAT YOU NEED ORGANIZED BY THE NIGHT BEFORE.**
- **NO FOOD OR DRINKS!! THERE WILL BE WATER IN THE ROOMS.**
- **THE SPONSORS HAVE NO EXTRA PARTS TO THE CAPS AND GOWNS...IF YOU ARE MISSING AN ITEM THEN TRY TO CONTACT A GRADUATE FROM A PREVIOUS YEAR...THERE ARE NO EXTRAS!**
- **CAPS MUST STAY ON YOUR HEAD DURING THE ENTIRE PROGRAM. MORTARBOARDS SHOULD BE PARALLEL TO THE FLOOR (**NOT TILTED**) WITH TASSEL ON THE **RIGHT**.**
- **GIRLS...EITHER BOBBY PIN THE CAP TO YOUR HEAD AT HOME OR BRING THE NECESSARY ITEMS WITH YOU TO SCHOOL.**
- **GIVE ALL VALUABLES...PURSES, CAR KEYS, CAMERAS, ETC. ... TO A PARENT OR GUARDIAN... VALUABLES CAN NOT BE LOCKED UP...WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY STOLEN ITEMS!**
- **NO GUM!!!!**
- **ALL FACULTY AND STUDENTS WILL BEGIN TO WALK AT 6:50 TO THE AUDITORIUM...WE DO NOT WAIT FOR ANYONE...YES, WE WILL START WITHOUT YOU...FACULTY WILL ENTER THE AUDITORIUM AT 6:57...FOLLOWED BY THE GRADUATES.**
- **REMEMBER...YOU WILL RECEIVE A BLANK DIPLOMA AT COMMENCEMENT...AFTER THE CEREMONY, YOU WILL PROCEED UP THE RAMP TOWARD THE OFFICE...YOU MAY THEN PICK UP YOUR DIPLOMA IN THE HIGH SCHOOL OFFICE...ALL DEBTS AND/OR DISCIPLINES MUST BE CLEARED BY THE OFFICE BEFORE YOU WILL BE GIVEN YOUR DIPLOMA.**