**Senior Year Cost Overview**

**Join the OBHS c/o 2023 News Remind**

The Class Sponsors will use this Remind to notify parents and/or seniors about senior activities, dates, and deadlines throughout the school year. Announcements are also made during school announcements, via Schoology, and voicemails to parents.

Last Names A – G: Text @9298hd2 to 81010

Last Names H – O: Text @7k7cbc to 81010

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Or, you can use the QR codes posted at this meeting.

***Senior Class Sponsors:***

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The following is a brief overview of typical costs for students over the course of their senior year. Dates are estimated based on previous years and are subject to change.

**August** – *Senior Football Jerseys* – **Cost $35** – If your senior missed purchasing a football jersey in the spring, they can still order. We will be accepting orders the first week of school. Order forms will be available from Mrs. Garrigan in A12. They will also be available via the senior class page on the school website. Payments can be made via cash or check, made out to OBHS (please include a phone number), or online on RevoPay.

*Yearbooks* – The yearbook staff will make announcements about book sales. Yearbook prices typically start at $65 in the first weeks of the school year, then the price will increase as the school year progresses. There will be announcements and posts sent out when they officially go on sale.

*Senior Yearbook Ads* – The yearbook sells ad space to parents of seniors. Packets will be available from all yearbook staff members and from senior sponsors. Ads typically cost $80 - $250, with a 50% deposit due inadvance. The yearbook sponsor is Mrs. Mandy Shackelford - mandy.shackelford@dcsms.org.

**November** – *Graduation Supplies* – **Cost- TBD** – In November, representatives from Graduate Services will take your orders for caps & gowns, invitations, and graduate supplies. The initial presentation will be at school in November. Students will receive a packet, including a catalogue and order forms. Orders will be taken a few days after. They typically ask for an initial deposit of $80. All students must purchase a cap & gown (students get to keep their regalia after the ceremony). Depending upon what you order, your total cost can run anywhere from $100 - $400. There are options available to pay monthly if you are interested.

**Deadline December 10** - *Senior Yearbook Photos* – **Cost depends on what you purchase** - Photos must be taken at Holland Studios to be included in the yearbook. If you have not scheduled your pictures yet, please call soon. The schedule will get full in the fall as deadlines approach. Students were given a brochure with information in the spring of their junior year. The number to call is 901-362-1818. Do not forget to take your casual pics with Holland if you want them included in the yearbook. There is a $10 fee to be paid to the yearbook, and your picture must have been taken at Holland Studio.

**January – April**

Graduate Services is typically here a few times to take payments in person. Students will provide contact numbers in the fall and the company will send out reminders about when they are coming.

**April** – *Prom* – **Cost – TBD** – No plans have been made yet for our upcoming prom. The school will announce details as soon as plans are made.

**April/May** – *Pay Graduate Services Balance* – Before seniors can pick up their caps & gowns, they must pay their Graduate Services balance in full. This balance is determined by how much students order in November, and how much of the balance has been paid down over the course of the school year. Graduate Services typically sets April 15 as the deadline for paying the balance in full.

**May** – *Senior May Day* – **Cost $10-$15** – This is our senior fun day at the end of school, just prior to exams. Participation is not mandatory, but it is encouraged.

**May** – *Graduation Breakfast* – **Cost TBD**– All graduates are invited to attend. This is a sit-down breakfast. In 2022, breakfast was held in the OBHS cafeteria in conjunction with cap and gown distribution, college signing day, and the graduate walk-through of all the lower schools.

**May** – *Graduation* – Holland Studios will be present during the ceremony taking pictures of each graduate as he/she receives a diploma, and as they walk back to their seats. These photos are completely optional. Holland Studios will provide us with ordering information the week of graduation.