

DELTA HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Delta Student and Family:

Wednesday, June 8th: Delta High School's Commencement Ceremony will be held at 2:00 p.m., at Santa Maria High School's Dave Boyd Field (football field). Graduates are required to meet at the SMHS Gymnasium, at 1:00 p.m., to assemble and receive last minute instructions. Students must pick up a name card before lining up for the ceremony. Parking will be available in the SMHS parking lot off Thornburg Street. A parking ticket is not required. The gates will open at 1:00 p.m. for public seating on the bleachers. Visitors are asked to arrive before the commencement at 2:00. The processional begins at 1:30 p.m.

<u>Tuesday, June 7th:</u> All graduates are to meet in the SMHS Gymnasium at 8:00 a.m. for a required practice. Students can only enter through South Thornburg Street (the side of the field). You must arrange your own transportation to SMHS. *Only the school buses from Guadalupe and the north end of town will drop off seniors at SMHS*. IF YOU DO NOT MAKE IT TO PRACTICE, YOU MAY NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY. You will be excused from your classes while you are at graduation practice. If you do not have a walking partner, we will pair you up with another student.

All students participating in the ceremony should dress appropriately for this celebration. No leis, flowers, or any other object allowed on your cap or gown. **No stilettos or heels will be allowed. Only wedges and platform shoes, please.**

No balloons, noisemakers, or distractions of any kind are allowed at the commencement ceremony – whether in the gym or on the football field. These policies will be strictly enforced. All graduates will be checked at the door by Security and staff before entering the gym area. Students violating commencement policies will be removed to a restricted area and will be released to a parent/guardian or law enforcement (if necessary) before the ceremony. In these situations, the diploma will be withheld, pending a parent/administrator conference.

<u>Cap and Gown Unit:</u> A cap and gown is required to participate in the ceremony. **Delta will have caps & gowns on sale for \$35**. Please see the order form included in this mailer.

<u>Friday, May 13th:</u> Prom Night, "A Starry Night" will be held on May 13th, from 7:30 – 10:30 p.m., at The Element Hall. The cost is \$10. Tickets will be on sale soon!

<u>Friday, June 3rd:</u> Our Senior Barbecue will take place. In order to participate, you must turn in a permission slip (included in this mailer). If you are a mid-year graduate, you will need to arrive at Delta by 9:30 a.m. in order to ride the school bus to the barbecue. Seniors currently enrolled will arrive at usual at 8:00 a.m. **YOU MAY NOT DRIVE YOURSELF TO, OR BE PICKED UP FROM THE BARBECUE.** The barbecue will end at 1:30 p.m. and you will return to Delta at 2:00 p.m. **You will need your own transportation home from Delta.**

Diplomas will be distributed immediately following the ceremony.

<u>Textbooks/Tablets:</u> If you have any textbooks from your previous school, you may turn them in to Nicole in room 401 at any time. Tablets may be turned in as well, but if you are still using it, you may turn it in at the end of the school year. If you are unsure if you have any textbooks/tablets checked out, please see or text Nicole to get confirmation, (805) 354-5406.

<u>Yearbooks</u> will be available the first week of June. The cost is \$20.

If you have questions, please contact the school office.

Sincerely

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DELTA HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION CEREMONY

June 8, 2022, 2:00 p.m.

(processional begins at 1:30 p.m.)

