

March 23, 2018

To Graduating Seniors and their parents/guardians:

Graduation time is not too far away. This is a very busy and exciting time for you. A calendar of events is given below for your information. Please read this carefully and keep it somewhere so that you can refer to it as needed.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>EVENT</u>
March 26-30	Monday-Friday	Spring break
April 3-7	Tuesday-Saturday	Appalachian Trail Hike
April 9	Monday	NHS Induction at 7:00 p.m.—ProVia
April 13-15	Friday-Sunday	Spring Musical
April 18-21	Wednesday-Saturday	NYC music trip
April 28	Saturday	Junior-Senior prom at Harvest Barn Walk-in starts at 7:00 p.m. Dance 8:00-10:30 p.m. Post-prom at YMCA 11:00 p.m. –1:00 a.m.
May 1	Tuesday	Band spring concert at 7:00 p.m.—MS Gym
May 4	Friday	Arena Scheduling—no school for seniors
May 8	Tuesday	Honors Program—6:00 p.m. in MS Gym
May 9	Wednesday	Advanced Placement Physics exam
May 10	Thursday	Advanced Placement Government exam
May 11	Friday	Advanced Placement History exam
May 14	Monday	Choir spring concert at 7:00 p.m.—MS Gym
May 15	Tuesday	Industrial Tech/Art Show
May 16	Wednesday	Advanced Placement Language and Comp exam
May 16-17	Wednesday-Thursday	Mock trial at Tusc. Co. Courthouse
May 17	Thursday	Music award banquet at 7:00 p.m.—Belden Center
May 18	Friday	All senior fees must be paid today. Community service hours are due today. A list of seniors taking exams will be posted this afternoon.
May 20	Sunday	6:45 p.m. line-up for Baccalaureate at Sugarcreek United Church of Christ. Service begins at 7:00 p.m. All are encouraged to attend— GOWN REQUIRED (caps are not needed).

May 21-22	Monday-Tuesday	Senior exams: Students taking exams are required to be in attendance their scheduled day.
May 23	Wednesday	No school for seniors. Senior class picnic @ Belden Center at 11:30 a.m. Attendance required.
May 25	Friday	7:45 a.m.—senior breakfast at Belden Center. GRADUATION PRACTICE IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE BREAKFAST—<u>ATTENDANCE REQUIRED!</u>
May 26	Saturday	COMMENCEMENT AT BURKE WENTZ ATHLETIC FIELD. MEET AT 6:45 P.M. IF INCLEMENT WEATHER, COMMENCEMENT WILL MOVE TO THE HIGH SCHOOL GYM. CEREMONY BEGINS AT 7:30 P.M.

Dress for Baccalaureate and Commencement: Men must wear dress pants with a dress shirt and necktie as well as dress shoes. Women should wear a dress, suit, or skirt and blouse with dress shoes/dress sandals. **JEANS AND SHORTS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED! PROPER FOOTWEAR REQUIRED (No tennis shoes or flip-flops).** The ceremony is a solemn occasion and your attending it is a privilege. Students who choose not to follow the Garaway dress code or to demonstrate the dignified behavior expected should not attend the ceremony and may pick up their diplomas on Tuesday, May 29 in the school office.