

GRADUATION INFORMATION PACKET

CLASS THEME: "Now this is not the end. It is not even the beginning of the end. But it is, perhaps, the end of the beginning."

As we come to the close of the year, the Senior Class of 2016 would like to present to you a look at the upcoming events we are planning and the costs associated with them. Please remember that in order to participate in these activities, you must be a registered student at WHS or walk at graduation.

MARCH 28—SENIOR ACTIVITY PACKAGE GOES ON SALE!

May 2nd

CLEARANCE FOR GRADUATION BEGINS

The clearance for seniors to graduate begins. If you are NOT on track, you will want to get this resolved immediately as it becomes more difficult the longer you wait. Students will work with their counselor to resolve any issues. **The last day to be cleared for graduation is May 20nd @ 2:30pm.**

April 28th & April 29th

GRADUATION SPEAKERS

If you would like to audition for a speaking part at graduation, you need to fill out the application form and sign up in Ms. Bos' room (D258) before April 28th. Auditions will be held in the front office conference room after school on these days. Please prepare a 2-minute speech based on our senior class theme: ***This is not the end.***

SENIOR CLASS GIFT

Your senior class officers along with the senior committee have decided to purchase a large flag that is spread across the student section at sporting events and activities.

May 12th

ORDER DEADLINES

Lagoon and Dinner/Dance tickets by May 12th!! May 12th is also the LAST DAY TO BUY THE SENIOR PACKAGE DEAL!

May 17th

SENIOR ACTIVITY DAY

This afternoon includes the traditional painting of the "W" and getting a picture taken with the senior class gift. More information on this event will follow. There is not a cost for this activity.

May 17th

SENIOR EVENING OF EXCELLENCE

This evening is to honor and recognize seniors for their outstanding academic performance, scholarship, attendance, etc. It will be held in the auditorium at 7:00pm. If you have received a scholarship or award this year, please see Ms. Davis in the counseling office. Best dress is required.

May 18th

SENIOR DINNER DANCE—COST \$25

The Senior Dinner Dance will be held at the UVU Ballroom. The time is from 5:30-10pm. Dinner will be served at 6pm. **This is not a date dance but is semi-formal and is for WHS seniors only.** The evening will include an amazing dinner, followed by a night of awards, dancing and fun. **Tickets to this event must be purchased by May 12th. No exceptions or refunds will be granted. Tickets will NOT be sold at the door. Seniors will have their choice of Roasted Chicken Caprese or Cheese Enchilada for their dinner selection.**

May 24th

GRADUATION PRACTICE

Seniors **MUST** report to the Main Gym for Graduation Practice at 8am on May 24th. You will not be going to UVU for practice. Seniors will need to be cleared for graduation by this time so you can attend practice. It is important for you to understand what will happen at graduation.

May 24th

CAP & GOWN DISTRIBUTION

Cap & gowns will be distributed from 11am – 1pm in the main gym. This will be immediately following the graduation practice, which will also be held in the main gym. (see above) **In order to receive your cap and gown, all fees must be paid and all grades and NC's must be cleared.** Yearbooks will be handed out immediately following distribution to those who have purchased a yearbook.

May 24th

YEARBOOK STOMP

The Yearbook Stomp will be held in the Commons Area from 8-10pm.

May 25th

THUNDER AWARDS

Thunder Awards will be held in the auditorium from 6-8pm.

May 19th

SENIOR LAGOON DAY—COST \$50

Seniors will be going to Lagoon. Buses are scheduled to leave WHS at 8am and return around 6pm. No private vehicles will be allowed in the park. Students must ride the buses up and back. Students will be responsible to bring money for their own lunch. **Tickets are presale only and must be purchased from the finance office by May 12th. No exceptions or refunds will be granted. There is a limit of tickets and seats on the buses so don't wait to buy your ticket!**

May 26th

GRADUATION

Graduates are to be at the UCCU Center at UVU by 3:00pm. Graduation starts at 4:00pm! Do not be late—we will not wait for you to start! We stress the importance of this day and the kind of behavior that belongs at this event. Semi-formal dress is required i.e., shirt/tie, dress shoes, dresses/skirts.

May 26th

ALL NIGHT GRAD PARTY—COST \$35

The doors will open at 9:30pm. **If you purchase a ticket at the door, the cost will increase to \$40.** Comedy Sportz will be starting the night off at WHS with a comedy show (10pm in the auditorium) – seniors then travel by bus to Boondocks in Draper. There will be all you can eat pizza from 11pm to midnight and unlimited drinks throughout the night. Buses will return to Westlake at approximately 4am.

Please fill out this portion and return to the finance office. They need to get a count for the senior dinner dance how many meals to order. **EVEN IF YOU PAY ONLINE, YOU WILL NEED TO BRING YOUR CHOICE OF MEAL TO MS. HILL IN THE FINANCE OFFICE. SHE WILL BE COLLECTING THEM FOR MR. ROBERTS.**

Senior Name _____

Senior Dinner Dance--\$25

CHECK ONE: Roasted Chicken Caprese
 Cheese Enchilada

Senior Lagoon Day--\$50

All Night Grad Party (Pre-paid)--\$35

Senior Shirt --\$12

Total cost for Senior Activities = \$122

Package Deal #1 = \$111 (Must Be Purchased By May 12th)

The Senior Class will donate a senior shirt to every senior who buys the entire package! 😊

Package Deal #2 = \$105 (Must Be Purchased By May 12th)

For entire package without the shirt included. 😊

Online payments are also available @ Myschoolfees.com under “**Senior Activities 2016**”. **YOU MUST BE A SENIOR AT WHS TO ATTEND ANY OF THE ACTIVITIES.**

WESTLAKE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION CLEARANCE FORM 2016

STUDENT: _____ DATE: _____

Parents Phone # _____ Cell # _____ e-mail _____

In order to graduate you must pass all your classes. **It is your responsibility to talk to each of your teachers and have them sign this form. You must return this form signed to your counselor no later than May 20th in order to be cleared for graduation.**

**CLEARED FOR GRADUATION
Student Will Pass Qtr 4 Class**

Period	Class	Print Teachers Name	Teachers Signature
A1			
A2			
A3			
A4			
B5			
B6			
B7			
B8			

Additional Credit Needed: _____

To be completed through the following: _____

STUDENTS ARE NOT CLEARED FOR GRADUATION UNTIL:

- ALL TEACHERS SIGNATURES ARE OBTAINED
- ALL NC'S ARE CLEARED
- ALL ADDITIONAL CREDIT IS COMPLETE
- THIS FORM IS RETURNED TO YOUR COUNSELOR

THIS FORM IS DUE TO YOUR COUNSELOR NO LATER THAN
Friday May 20, 2016 @ 2:30 PM

I Understand **I WILL NOT GRADUATE** unless this form is Completed and returned to the counseling office by the due date.

Student Signature _____

***Deadlines:**

BYUIS & EHS May 15, 2016
East Shore @ WHS-
May 23, 2016 - Last Day to Turn in
Homework
May 24, 2015 - Last Day to Test

Westlake High School

Class of 2016

Attention all
Seniors! You have
represent the Class
graduation. If you



Westlake High School
the opportunity to
of 2016 as a speaker at
are interested in trying

out, please prepare a 2-minute speech based on the graduation theme:

This Is Not the End

What is the process of becoming a speaker at graduation?

- Fill out an audition form (on the back of this sheet)
- Collect signatures clearing you for graduation by administration, counseling, and attendance
- Sign up for an audition time **before April 27th**--Mrs. Bos' classroom (D258)
- Come prepared to audition in front of a faculty panel after school in the front office conference room--**April 27th or April 28th**

What should I bring to the audition?

- A typed copy of your speech--given to the faculty panel when you audition

On which categories will my speech be evaluated?

- Presentation (2-minute time limit) and Personality
- Content--relation to the theme
- Organization
- Style

*If you are interested in trying out, or have any questions, please contact Mrs. Bos (D258)

Graduation Speech Audition Form

Name: _____

Contact Information

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Speech Information

Title of Speech: _____

Length of Speech: _____ pages _____ minutes

Graduation Clearance

Administrator's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Counselor's Signature: _____

Date: _____

(Students who have incomplete Eastshore packets are ineligible to tryout.)

Attendance Office Signature: _____

Date: _____

*Sign up for an audition time **before April 27th**. Sign up sheet is located outside Mrs. Bos' classroom (D258).

