



# Graduation Information Packet

Class Theme: *“The present is where everything begins.”*

As we come to the close of the year, the Senior Class of 2017 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 24—SENIOR ACTIVITY PACKAGE GOES ON SALE!**

**May 4<sup>th</sup>**

### **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 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 2:30pm.**

**April 26<sup>th</sup> & April 27<sup>th</sup>**

### **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 (C234) before April 26<sup>th</sup>. 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: ***The present is where everything begins.***

### **SENIOR CLASS GIFT**

Your senior class officers along with the senior committee have decided to purchase a mascot costume.

**May 5<sup>th</sup>**

### **ORDER DEADLINES**

**Lagoon and Dinner/Dance tickets by May 5<sup>th</sup>! May 5<sup>th</sup> is also the LAST DAY TO BUY THE SENIOR PACKAGE DEAL!**

**May 16<sup>th</sup>**

### **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 17<sup>th</sup>**

### **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, fill out the scholarship form in this packet and see Ms. Butler in the counseling office. Best dress is required.

**May 16<sup>th</sup>**

### **SENIOR DINNER DANCE—COST \$28**

The Senior Dinner Dance will be held at the UVU Ballroom. The time is from 6-10pm. Dinner will be served at 6:30pm. **This is not a date dance but is semi-formal and is for WHS seniors only.** The evening will include a dinner, followed by a night of superlatives, dancing and fun. **Tickets to this event must be purchased by May 5<sup>th</sup>. 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 Baked Ziti Primavera (with pesto sauce) for their dinner selection.**

**May 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**GRADUATION PRACTICE**

Seniors MUST report to the Main Gym for Graduation Practice at 8am on May 23<sup>rd</sup>. 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 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**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 / NC's must be cleared.** Yearbooks will be handed out immediately following distribution to those who have purchased a yearbook.

**May 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**YEARBOOK STOMP**

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

**May 24<sup>th</sup>**

**THUNDER AWARDS**

Thunder Awards will be held in the auditorium from 7-8pm. This is recognition for athletes of the 2017 school year.

**May 18<sup>th</sup>**

**SENIOR LAGOON DAY—COST \$55**

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 5<sup>th</sup>. 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 26<sup>th</sup>**

**GRADUATION**

**Graduates are to be at the Marriott Center at BYU by 7:30am. Graduation starts at 8:45am! 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 26<sup>th</sup>**

**ALL NIGHT GRAD PARTY—COST \$35**

The doors will open at 8:00pm. **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 (8:15pm 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 3am.

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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.**

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Senior Dinner Dance--\$28

- CHECK ONE:  Roasted Chicken Caprese  
 Baked Ziti Primavera (pasta with pesto sauce)

Senior Lagoon Day--\$55

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

Senior Shirt --\$12

**Total cost for Senior Activities = \$130**

**Package Deal #1= \$125** (Must Be Purchased By May 5<sup>th</sup>)

*\*package includes a discounted senior shirt\**

Online payments are also available @ Myschoolfees.com under "**Senior Activities 2017**".  
**YOU MUST BE A SENIOR AT WHS TO ATTEND ANY OF THE ACTIVITIES.**