

Graduation

Frequently Asked Questions

When and where is Graduation held?

The ceremony is scheduled for Sunday, June 16th, and begins at 10:00 AM. Graduation is held at the Bank of NH Pavilion at Meadowbrook.

What happens in the event of inclement weather?

The ceremony is held in the outdoor Amphitheater. The sides of the theater are open, while the seating is protected by a roof.

When should we arrive for the ceremony?

Seniors are asked to report at 9:00 AM on the morning of graduation. Parents and guests frequently arrive one hour early to take pictures and identify their seats. Seating is on a first come, first-served basis. Seniors should arrive wearing their gowns (caps will be distributed at arrival time).

Are tickets required for admittance to the Graduation?

No.

What is the length of the Graduation ceremony?

The graduation ceremony typically lasts about 90 minutes.

What do seniors wear to Graduation?

All seniors wear caps and gowns, which are purchased by the Senior Class. Male seniors are expected to wear a dress shirt, tie, and pants under their gown, and female seniors are expected to wear a dress, skirt/pants and blouse. All students should wear appropriate formal footwear. Graduation is a formal occasion and seniors and guests are encouraged to dress appropriately.

In addition, only National Honor Society and Tri-M Honor Society cords are to be worn with the cap and gown. We ask that there be no flowers, corsages, boutonnieres or decorations on the mortarboard.

Seniors may keep their cap and tassel, but gowns must be returned in the receptacles provided prior to departing Bank of NH Pavilion.

Is there a speaker at Graduation?

Typically the class president, valedictorian, and salutatorian speak at Graduation in addition to an invited guest speaker.

Where do we park?

There is plenty of parking at Bank of NH Pavilion. You will be directed to the closest available location.

What are the arrangements for guests with physical disabilities?

A special drop-off place is available for guests with physical disabilities. Handicapped parking and seating are available.

Does anyone take photos?

A professional photographer from Hockmeyer Studios takes pictures throughout the graduation and specifically takes a photo of each graduate as they receive their diploma as well as a class picture. The photos will be available for purchase through Hockmeyer online service at www.hockstudio.com or you can call them directly at 603-974-0198.

Where can I get Graduation announcements?

Graduation announcements are not provided through GHS. Families wishing to purchase personalized announcements can order through any company providing this service.

When is Awards Night?

Thursday, June 13th, at 6:00 PM in the GHS auditorium. Attendance is mandatory for seniors who will be receiving an award.

What do seniors wear to Awards Night?

Seniors will be dressed in their graduation gown; caps are not worn. Attire is the same as graduation.

When and where is the Yearbook Dinner?

A pizza party will be held Wednesday, June 12th, from 5:30-7:00 PM in the GHS cafeteria. This dinner, for graduates only, is a special time to socialize, reminisce and revel in the camaraderie developed during their high school years. The evening will climax with the distribution of the 2019 yearbook.