

To: Parents of Seniors

Century's graduation is going to be here before we know it. Graduation is May 26, at 7 pm at the Bismarck Event Center. Mr. Madler will be meeting with all the seniors on Monday, May 20th to give them all the details. However, in case your senior does not always relay all that information to you, here are some of the details.

The Senior Banquet is on the evening of Monday, May 13th, from 6:30-11pm. **Seniors only** are invited and all are welcome to come. This includes our early graduates, as well. Parents frequently ask if parents are included in this event and they are not. Sorry....it is for students only. Tickets for this event are currently on sale. They are \$20. The banquet will take place at the Radisson Hotel, and includes dinner, prizes, and a dance.

May 20st is Senior walk day, when all the seniors will dress in their caps and gowns, load up in busses, and go to our feeder schools (elementary and Horizon) and parade through the schools. We then come back to CHS for a lunch provided by the National Guard. Mr. Madler meets with them and gives them graduation information. After lunch, these seniors will have a meeting and take a survey and then they are excused for the remainder of the day.

Century High School has 46 (WOW!) Valedictorians. These valedictorians will wear a gold cord around their neck for the graduation ceremony. They have already received this gold cord, and hopefully it is somewhere in safekeeping where they will find it.

CHS has 42 Students of Highest Distinction. These students have also received their silver cord. These students have a cumulative grade point average of 3.75 or higher.

CHS has 293 seniors in total. We are so very proud of each one of them! They have worked hard and have earned this right to graduate as a member of the Class of 2019.

To close the year, seniors must have all outstanding bills paid to walk through the graduation ceremony. If you have auto pay with MyPaymentsPlus for lunch, please remember to turn that off. If you do not it will continue putting money into their account. The week prior to graduation, the seniors can cash out their lunch balance. This balance can also be donated, transferred to a sibling and anything over \$50 a check will be issued to the family by the district.

Important information will be added to the CHS website under the Graduates tab. This is a great resource to start watching for graduation details including line-up.

<https://www.bismarckschools.org/domain/675>

I hope this has given you a bit of information that is helpful. If you have, any questions feel free to contact me. Thanks for letting us share in the growth of your child. We have loved having your children here with us, but we cannot wait to see what their future holds.

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