

To: Seniors  
From: Mr. Kifer and Mr. Irwin, Class Advisors  
Re: March Bulletin – Senior Class Update  
Date: March 30, 2017

### **CLASS PICTURES – CAP & GOWN / CLASS SHIRTS**

1. **The large group class picture date will be THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 2017.** You should report to the Main Gym after homeroom. We will take the class picture in the form of a 17 before the class picture in caps and gowns. The class officers will let you know what to wear for the “17” picture. This could occur on the athletic field. Bring your cap and gown and the clothing you will wear under it when you come to the gym. You will be dismissed to the locker rooms to change into your caps and gowns.
2. **Individual cap and gown pictures will be taken this day as well.** This will happen after the group pictures. Remember: ALL SENIORS MUST HAVE AN INDIVIDUAL CAP AND GOWN PICTURE TAKEN, even if you are not ordering any of these pictures.
3. You have received your cap and gown. ***Take it out of the bag and iron it or steam out the wrinkles.*** Use a cool iron only. Try it on. If it is way too large or too small, bring it back to school as soon as possible and we will get you one that fits better if time allows.
4. Bring your gown to school on group picture day (April 27) on a hanger. Also bring your cap and tassel. Use a marker to put your name inside your cap and mark your name on a piece of masking tape to label your gown on the inside of the yoke (the thicker part that rests on your shoulders).
5. Gentlemen should wear **dark slacks** and **dress shoes** with **dark socks** and a **white collared shirt and long necktie** under their gown.  
  
Ladies should wear **white shoes**, a **light colored skirt** and **blouse** or a **light colored dress**.  
  
You **must** have these clothes for the April 27 picture day.
6. Honors pictures will also be taken. These pictures must be ordered separately. Academic honors pictures will be taken on the basis of the cumulative GPA at the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter. Students qualifying for Honors, High Honors, or Highest Honors will receive cords for these pictures. Changes in your graduation honors status will be made during graduation practice. ***Your honors designation may change.***
7. NHS stoles will be issued for the pictures to NHS members. These will be returned after commencement.
8. Order forms for the full class and individual pictures will be distributed in April through Mr. Vaughn’s class. If you are ordering pictures, bring payment for your order on the day of pictures. Pictures will be distributed at commencement. Picture prices range from \$10 - \$25. Honors pictures, as mentioned above, are ordered separately. More info will be given.
9. Additional group and class yearbook pictures may be taken in casual dress. Be attentive to the instructions given by your officers regarding what to wear. You will be given time to change in the locker rooms after the cap and gown picture. You will not be permitted to go elsewhere in the building until the pictures are completed.

### **CLASS FLOWER / COLOR / QUOTE**

**Flower:** White Rose

**Colors:** Carolina Blue, White, Silver

**Quote:** “In life you can choose to be sad or happy. I chose to be happy.” – Francis J. Nesta

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

### **Thursday, April 27 – Cap and Gown Pictures and Class Photo**

Photos begin promptly at 7:45 a.m. There is **no make-up** date for this.  
Bring order forms with you for these photos.

### **Thursday, May 18 – Pirates Game** (for those who qualified through magazine sales)

Depart from KHS at approx. 8:30 a.m. / Return by 6:00 p.m.

### **Sunday, May 21 – Baccalaureate – Time TBA**

If you are interested in helping plan this event, see a class officer.

### **Thursday, May 25 – Senior Banquet / Scholarship Awards Program**

Dinner at 5:30 p.m., with the awards ceremony to follow. Your meal is covered by the School District. Meals for parents and other guests will likely cost \$12.00. If the senior video is completed, it will be shown after the awards.

[The following dates are subject to change.]

### **Tuesday, May 23 – Last day of classes for seniors.**

### **Wednesday, May 24 / Thursday, May 25 / Friday, May 26 – Commencement Practice**

These days have **mandatory** attendance requirements. **Plan ahead - - do no schedule anything during these days.** If you are not here, you will not walk at commencement. You may leave when the business for each day has been completed.

### **Friday, May 26 – Commencement – 7:00 p.m.**

## **OTHER EXPENSES**

1. All **indebtedness** to the school must be settled or you cannot participate in commencement practice or commencement. This needs to be completed by the last day of classes for you. We will delay the start of commencement practice until all debts have been settled with the school.
2. **Class reunion start up money** will be \$5.00 and may be paid in cash. If you write a check for the reunion account, make it out to KHS Class of 2017.
3. **Commencement Flowers** – Graduating seniors will wear the class flower as part of the attire for commencement. This flower will be purchased with the Class of 2017 funds. One additional flower for each student to give to a mother, grandmother, etc. will be purchased for the student using Class of 2017 funds if the balance in the account allows. Additional flowers may be purchased at the expense of the student (usually around \$5 to \$8 per flower). Order forms will be available in May for these flowers.