

**From: Principal Clark**  
**Subject: Senior Activities and Graduation**  
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Good morning Enfield High School seniors and families,

The 2018-2019 year is flying by, and graduation is rapidly approaching. The spring of senior year is filled with excitement, and we want to make sure all our students and parents are aware of upcoming events and celebrations. In addition to this letter, a packet will be mailed home to seniors, and we will hold an assembly with seniors on April 30<sup>th</sup>. Additional detail can be found on our website using this link: [http://enfieldhigh.sharpschool.com/activities/senior\\_announcements](http://enfieldhigh.sharpschool.com/activities/senior_announcements) . **Please take special note of some changes related to ticket requirements for an outdoor graduation described below.**

#### **CLASS DUES**

Mrs. Lamagna will collect class dues in the main office from Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup> to Friday, June 7<sup>th</sup>. Students should place class dues in a sealed and labeled envelope and make checks payable to: ENFIELD HIGH SCHOOL. Any other payments **MUST** be made in cash in the exact amount. Class dues include payment for cap and gown (\$25) and a class gift (\$5). In order to participate in graduation ceremonies, all class dues/obligations (accountabilities for books, uniforms, etc.) must be paid by Friday, June 7<sup>th</sup>.

#### **AWARDS/SCHOLARSHIP NIGHT**

Our Academic Awards/Scholarship Ceremony will be held on Monday, May 20, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium. This event honors students who receive academic awards and scholarships. Students receiving awards will be notified in writing at least 1-2 weeks prior to the event. All are cordially invited to attend.

#### **SENIOR PROM**

The Senior Prom will be held on Friday, May 31, 2019, at Maneeley's in South Windsor, from 6:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Tickets for prom are \$70.00 and will be sold in the cafeteria and ticket booth from 4/22-5/3. The Senior Class Picnic is scheduled for Friday, June 7, 2019 at the Knights of Columbus on Washington Road from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. This is an optional Senior Class activity that includes games, food, refreshments, and medals. Casual picnic attire as well as personal swimsuits and towels will be required. This activity will require a fee of \$25 for each student who wishes to attend. Money is collected by Mrs. Macintosh (12th Grade Dean's Office) no later than Friday, May 24, 2019.

#### **CLASS NIGHT**

The annual Class Night banquet will be held on Friday, June 7, 2019 at Twin Hills in Longmeadow, MA from 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm. Please submit your payment of \$35 for this function to Mrs. MacIntosh no later than Friday, May 24, 2019. Formal dress is encouraged. Yearbooks will be distributed at this event.

#### **GRADUATION REHEARSALS**

All seniors who intend to participate in the graduation ceremonies must take part in all rehearsals. Graduation rehearsals will be:

- Friday, June 14: 8:00am - 12:00pm in the gymnasium
- Monday, June 17: 8:00am - 12:00pm in the gymnasium
- Tuesday, June 18: 8:00am – 12:00pm, if needed

#### **GRADUATION**

Graduation will be held on Tuesday, June 18<sup>th</sup> at Enfield High School on the turf field. In the event of inclement weather, the ceremonies will be held in the gymnasium. This year, **tickets will be required for entry to both an outdoor or an indoor graduation.** This is to ensure a safe and orderly commencement ceremony for our students and families. Each senior will be provided 8 outdoor tickets and 4 indoor tickets at the graduation rehearsal on June 14th. Due to limited space, no additional tickets are available. To access seating on the turf field, each individual must present an outdoor ticket (**NO EXCEPTIONS**). Additional seating/standing room will be available outside of the fence of the turf field. In the event of an indoor graduation, additional seating will be available in the auditorium where the ceremony will be streamed live. Absolutely no silly string, food, or drink is allowed at graduation due to allergies and the potential for expensive damage to our facilities. Bottled water will be permitted. Parking will be available at Enfield High School and at St. Bernard's school with a shuttle service. Handicapped parking and seating are available through Ms. Lamagna in the main office at (860) 763-8804.

Please note that we will have a professional photographer at graduation. We ask that guests not come forward to take pictures since this may interfere with the photographer and obstruct the view of the audience. All graduates will be photographed receiving his/her diploma and in a formal portrait pose. An E-TV representative will be recording the graduation ceremony. DVD's will be available for pick up after July 4th. The cost of the DVD is \$10.00 (cash only) and can be picked up at the Board of Education Administration offices, 1010 Enfield Street at Alcorn school.

If you have any questions about senior activities, please contact Mrs. Macintosh in our 12<sup>th</sup> grade dean's office at (860) 763-8849. Our seniors have worked hard for this moment, and we look forward to celebrating the class of 2019 with all our students and families.

Thank you,

Erin E.Clark

Principal

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