

Bathurst High School
GRADUATION INFORMATION

Dear Potential **BHS** Grad;

Congratulations! You are getting close to high school graduation.

The following are important dates and information that you will need to know and be aware of.

- **Scholarships**
 - Scholarship Meeting is on April 24th. Watch deadlines, prepare resumes, and get transcripts and reference letters ready. (For help see Guidance at lunch).
 - Apply to the Annual Kent Scholarship. This is a must. There are 2 parts for the Kent. Part 1 needs to be RECEIVED by the KENT FOUNDATION on JUNE 1st. Part 2 needs to be RECEIVED by JUNE 30th.
 - **** IMPORTANT** – If you won any scholarship from a Post-Secondary School or other scholarships please bring in a copy of what you won so it can be used in our PP Presentation at the Graduation Ceremony.
- **Grad Fees are \$120.00** & \$20.00 for your date if not a 2019 BHS Grad.
 - Cheques are made out to Bathurst High School. Included in the Grad Fees are:
 - **2019 Yearbook – Available in October-November 2019**
 - **Graduation, Prom, and Safe Grad Activities, Prizes (only grads can win a prize and you need to be present to win), food, cleaning of gowns, decorations, flowers, certificates, diploma cases, printing, etc.**
 - If you only plan on coming to the graduation ceremony the fee is \$75.00 – you will not receive a yearbook.
- Guidance Department has lots of dresses available if you need one and they also have some suits.
- **Grad Banquet** – Tuesday May 28th @ 5:00
 - Grads only
 - It is FREE!
 - Most Likely to & The King and Queen Awards are presented.
 - Grad Shield unveiled.
 - Certificates to the Male and Female Grads of the year Nomination.
- **Activity Awards Ceremony** - also Tuesday May 28th @ 6:30
 - Students and Parents are welcome and encouraged to attend.
 - It is FREE!
 - Male and Female Grad of the year will be announced
- Last day of classes are June 7th while exam week is June 10th – 14th
- June 7th at approximately 2:30 we have our official grad gathering in the garden. If you are not at school this day you are not at the gathering.

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- Tuesday June 18th @ 10:30 AM - Official Grad list is posted – Main Office
- Tuesday June 18th @ 11:00 AM **mandatory** rehearsal in large theatre and gown pick-up for all graduates.
- Report Cards go out on Thursday June 20th – BHS Gymnasium
- **Graduation Day at Bathurst High School is on Friday June 21st @ 3:00PM.** *All Graduates need to be in the School's gymnasium at 2:00*
- Prom starts at 9:00 – 12:30 on Friday June 21st
- Safe Grad starts at 1:30 AM on Saturday June 22nd and finishes at McDonald's at 6:00 AM.
- **Media Permission Form** must be turned in to main office or your name is left off the grad list ☹. Please check with Elaine at the Office to make sure she has your form.
- **GRAD PACKS**
 - Your official Grad pack will be given out the first week in June.
 - Inside you will find 4 tickets to graduation, a single prom ticket for your date (only needed if you date is not a 2019 graduate), a numbered piece of paper (you need this for your car at prom).
- Extra Tickets – you will receive 4 tickets to graduation. If you need extra tickets **you** will need to come and see Mr. MacDonald personally and sign your name for more. **No emails or phone calls accepted.** Extra tickets will be given out after the mandatory grad rehearsal on Tuesday June 20th.
- **Grad fees & School Fees** need to be paid before you can graduate.
- Right to refuse – the administration has the right to refuse anyone from attending graduation, prom, and safe grad ceremonies.
- **All guests must be signed in by Mr. MacDonald – just come see me.**
- In order to come to safe grad you must come to prom and stay at prom.
- LAST DAY OF CLASSES – WHITE T-SHIRTS – Must be school appropriate and comply with the school dress code policy. Have fun without doing inappropriate things.

Enjoy
Mr. S. MacDonald