



Class of 2022 Senior Notes

Dates to Remember

- May 17ALL Textbooks and Library Materials Due
- May 24.....Class of 2022 Graduation Walks at 9:00am
- May 24.....Yearbook Distribution, HUB, 1:30pm-3:45pm
- May 24.....Senior Assembly Parent Night (Time TBD)
- May 25.....*Last Day of School!!!*
- May 25.....Senior Assembly (Seniors Only)
- May 25.....ALL fines MUST be paid before 3:00pm
- May 25.....Baccalaureate @ 7:00pm in the Auditorium
- May 27.....Graduation Rehearsal @ 10:30am,
Pacific Steel & Recycling Center Arena/Montana Expo
Park. Senior Luncheon @ 1:00pm, Old Gym, followed by
the Senior Stairs walk.
- May 29.....**GRADUATION!** Graduates are to report
to Montana ExpoPark @ 5:00pm, as graduation will begin
PROMPTLY at 6:00pm.
- June 13.....Final Transcripts will be available

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

All fines must be paid in the Finance Office before 3:00pm on May 25th.

Senior Luncheon will be catered by local food trucks, costing \$10 per student. Start time is 1:00pm @ GFHS.

The Project Graduation Senior Party begins at 8:30pm and ends at 2:00am at the Fairgrounds. Tickets are \$25 and will be sold at GFHS on the dates listed below.

***If your fines are not paid, you WILL NOT be presented with a diploma at the graduation ceremony.**

***Baccalaureate** is optional and is scheduled for Wednesday, May 25th, at 7:00pm. Look for a letter the week of May 9th with more information.

***Senior Luncheon** will be held in the Old Gym between 1:00pm and 3:00pm. It will be catered by local food trucks at a cost of \$10 per student, to be paid at the time of ordering. RSVP to Mrs. O'Leary via the link in your school/student email ASAP. Scholarships are available to those who qualify. Visit with your counselor for more information.

***Graduation rehearsal** is **MANDATORY** and will be at Montana ExpoPark (no cap and gown required). Please find your assigned seat, which will be marked with a name tag, and be seated by 10:30am.

***Project Graduation Senior Party** will begin at 8:30pm in the Exhibition Hall at the Fairgrounds and conclude at 2:00am. Tickets are \$25 and will be sold on 5/5, 5/10, 5/17, and 5/19 during both lunch periods at the top of the Learning Stairs. Contact Sierra Barker at 781-2187 for more information, including the availability of scholarships for those who qualify.

***Early graduates:** If you have not already done so, please contact Mrs. Willis at 268-6315 **ASAP** if you **DO NOT** plan to participate in the graduation ceremony.

***Shot records** will be returned to each graduate at rehearsal. **PLEASE** be sure that this information is stored in a safe place, as your student may be asked to provide proof of immunizations for academic or employment opportunities in the future.

***Graduation pictures** will be taken by Big Sky School Portraits. Students will register for graduation portraits during rehearsal. If your student is unable to attend rehearsal, he/she can register prior to the ceremony. A link to the gallery of your student's portraits will be sent within 72 hours of the event. No minimum purchase is required and you may order only what you like!! Orders will be shipped directly to the address provided. Email robthefrog@bigskyschoolphotos.com if you have questions.

*** Commencement** is a dignified ceremony; please dress and behave accordingly. As members of the audience, please do not bring air horns or other noise makers. Please keep your applause brief, so that the name read after your child's will be heard clearly.

***Caps and gowns:** Due to its light color, clothing under the gown may show through to the audience; keep that fact in mind when choosing your attire for the evening. Remember to use a cool iron if pressing the gown. The plane of the cap is to be worn parallel to the floor, **NOT** tilted. Only tassels issued by GFHS are to be worn and should be placed on the **RIGHT** side of the cap at the start of the ceremony. **NO** corsages, lei's, or sunglasses are to be worn, **NO** decorations and/or writing on the cap. **BEADING** on the caps and gowns of American Indian students is not considered decoration, but is regalia and is allowed. Please wear appropriate footwear, as you will be walking across a stage. Lastly, **NO** chewing gum!

***DO NOT** bring cell phones, purses, yearbooks, etc., to the ceremony. If you must do so, GFHS staff will be available to secure your items during the ceremony and can be claimed afterwards.

***Final Transcripts will be available June 13th.** If your student has been accepted to a college, university, technical school, etc., please notify the Records Office at 268-6315 and a copy of his/her "final" transcript will be submitted after the 13th. Your transcript **WILL NOT** be considered "official" if you have outstanding fines.

***Graduates** are asked **NOT** to be on the Great Falls High School campus between May 31st through June 3rd (the exception being to pay a fine or pick up a diploma) as school is still in session for the underclassmen.

CONGRATULATIONS TO YOUR GRADUATE!!