

SENIOR INFORMATION

Class of 2013

PTSA AWARDS

DATE: April 29, 2013
TIME: 7:00p.m.
LOCATION: Bethany Church, Long Beach
By invitation only.

GRADUATION SPEECH/BACCALAUREATE SPEECH & PERFORMANCE TRYOUTS

DATE: April 30, 2013
TIME: 2:45-4:00p.m.
LOCATION: Room 500
Sign up in ASB by April 24, 2013. Graduation speeches will be limited to one or two people and will have a more formal approach. Baccalaureate speeches will be three to six people with a more inspirational and/or casual demeanor. For Baccalaureate you may also try out with a performance. See Ms. Miller for more details if you are interested.

PROM

DATE: May 4, 2013
TIME: 8:00p.m. – 12:00p.m.
LOCATION: Phoenix Club

Approximately 800-1000 students attend this dance. There is an abundance of cold hors d'oeuvres. The D.J., crowning of the court, and decorations are all magnificent.

Warning: Students who have been drinking or are under the influence will be escorted home by their parents and will be subject to our District Suspension/Expulsion policy. See Formal Dress Code guidelines. You will be sent home if you do not meet dress code standards. MUST have I.D. to enter. Doors close at 9:30pm. Couples' photos are taken in Room 500 from 4:00pm-7:00pm.

SENIOR MEETINGS

DATE: Tuesday, May 21, 2013 and Thursday, May 23, 2013
TIME: 8:00a.m. – 1:00p.m.
LOCATION: LAHS Gym

Important end-of-the-year information and distribution of graduation tickets. This is not an optional event, students need to attend both days. Students who do not attend will be marked absent/truant. Lunch will be provided for students both days.

SENIOR AWARDS NIGHT

DATE: May 22, 2013
TIME: 7:00p.m.
LOCATION: Performing Arts Center
DRESS: Nice, conservative

By invitation only, seniors who have received scholarships or various school, community or department awards are honored. The program is expected to last 2 hours and a reception will follow. Please limit guests as space is a concern.

CAPS AND GOWNS

DATE: June 5, 2013
TIME: 1:30p.m. – 3:00p.m. only (Must be picked up at this time)
LOCATION: Room 500

You CANNOT pick up your cap and gown if your name is on the Jeopardy List (in the Counselor's Office) or if you have any textbook bills, library fines (list is posted in the ASB display case on the south side of the building) or owe equipment to athletics or other programs. **For Seniors who have pre-ordered and pre-paid, you will pick up your cap and gown as follows: If you have not pre-ordered and paid for a cap and gown, you may purchase a gown for \$35 CASH ONLY.**

BACCALAUREATE

DATE: June 5, 2013
TIME: 7:00p.m. – 8:00p.m. (Graduates need to arrive by 6:15pm)
LOCATION: Seacoast Grace Church (Cypress, Ca)
DRESS:

Wear your cap and gown and appropriate attire underneath. Boys must wear pants and dress shoes. Girls must wear pants or skirts with nice shoes. NO flip-flops. Baccalaureate is an inspirational (not religious) ceremony that is done by students for students and we will recognize all students receiving academic honors by name. It includes senior speeches, music and vocal presentations. This program is a warm, unifying event not just for the students but also for their families. Please arrive on time as seating is limited.

YEARBOOKS

DATE: June 6, 2013 **Seniors Only**
TIME: 1:30p.m. – 3:30p.m.
LOCATION: Room 500

SENIOR LUNCHEON

DATE: June 12, 2013
TIME: Check in is 10a.m.-12p.m. (Students must arrive by 12:00p.m. to receive their ticket to the park and meal voucher. The staff distributing tickets leaves at 12:00p.m. The park is open 10a.m.-8p.m.)
LOCATION: Knott's Berry Farm – in front of the Lagoon area
COST: \$35 per person

This is a great opportunity for seniors to be together as a class. If there are any disturbances or any alcohol or drug related incidents, the student will be denied participation in the graduation ceremony.

GRADUATION PRACTICE – (Attendance is mandatory to participate in the ceremony).

DATE: Thursday, June 13, 2013
TIME: 8:30a.m. – 10:30a.m.
LOCATION: Home Depot Center Tennis Stadium

GRADUATION

DATE: Thursday, June 13, 2013
TIME: Arrive by 3p.m., ceremony starts promptly at 4p.m.
LOCATION: Home Depot Center – Tennis Stadium
COST: Graduation – By ticket only Parking - Free

You will need a ticket to enter graduation. Please drive carefully, as traffic will be heavy. **The ceremony will last approximately 1 hour and 45 minutes and will start promptly at 4:00p.m. No balloons, confetti or umbrellas are allowed in the stadium.** Graduates will have a close-up picture taken when receiving their diploma in the ceremony and a second photo where they pose with their diploma. South Coast Photographic will then mail each student a proof and an order form for any additional pictures. Parents will not be allowed on the court and are to greet graduates on the top level of the stadium. **DIPLOMA DISTRIBUTION – Immediately following the ceremony diplomas will be distributed by your counselor. DO NOT leave the area without picking up your diploma!**

GRADUATION TICKETS

You will need a ticket to enter graduation. Each student will be issued 7 tickets on Tuesday, May 21st at the senior meeting in the gym. Additional tickets will be on sale for \$10 in the Activities Office on Friday, May 24th from 2:45p.m. – 4:30p.m. and will be on sale until we are sold out (each student is limited to purchasing 5 additional tickets.)

Parents/legal guardians and students may begin to line up in front of the Activities Office starting at 2:30p.m. Ticket sales will not start until 2:45p.m. **Both parents/legal guardians and students must have their ID on them to purchase additional tickets.** Tickets will be available on a first come first serve basis until tickets are sold out. Any parent or student that tries to purchase a ticket outside of the designated date and time will be turned away.

Suites are available at the Home Depot Center for \$1800. The suites hold 18 people and catering service is available. If you are interested in purchasing a suite you need to contact Jeremy Epley at the Home Depot Center at (310) 630-2078.

GRAD NIGHT

DATE: Thursday, June 13, 2013
LOCATION: LAHS Gym
TIME: Check in begins at 9:30p.m. and doors close at 10:30p.m.
COST: \$165 - Checks are payable to: LAHS Grad Night
After May 27, 2013 cost is \$180 **CASH ONLY. NO REFUNDS**

No tickets will be sold at Grad Night. For ticket information, contact Debbie Neary at (714) 614-5701. Parents have arranged this alcohol free and safe celebration for your graduation. (Do not bring money, backpacks or sleeping bags.) **PARENTS: Please do not host a party for our students on this night! We would like to have as many students as possible participate in this celebration. Grad Night forms are available in the Activities Office.**

NOTE: The last day the Activities Office will accept checks is May 24 , 2013.
All purchases thereafter will be **CASH ONLY.**