

# **Adirondack Senior High School**

Heidi Smith, Principal Daniel Roberts, Assistant Principal Michael O'Donnell, Interim Director of Athletics

May 21, 2024

### Dear Parent/Guardian:

The faculty and staff of Adirondack High School are very proud of the Class of 2024 who are about to graduate. I hope that each of the seniors will be going on to bigger and better things. We have been working very closely with the senior class advisors, class officers and students to plan and confirm upcoming senior events and graduation. Please review the following information and feel free to give me a call if you have any questions.

### **REGENTS EXAMINATIONS**

Regents examinations will be June 14-25, 2024. Please encourage your seniors to know their exam schedule and to be on time and well prepared to take the exam. Failure to successfully complete an exam or course may cause a senior not to graduate.

# CHROMEBOOK COLLECTION

Seniors will be required to turn in their Chromebooks and chargers during ELA classes on Tuesday, June 11, 2024. If their device is needed for Regents review, they may turn it in on the day of the Regents exam. Failure to turn in Chromebooks and/or chargers will result in charges of \$335 per Chromebook and \$35 per charger.

## YEARBOOKS / CAPS AND GOWNS / GRADUATION WALK

Yearbooks will be distributed to seniors during 1<sup>st</sup> period on June 6, 2024. Caps and Gowns will also be distributed to seniors on this date and they will participate in a Graduation Walk throughout the district. If a student is unable to receive their cap and gown during this time, they may see me at any time in the office and I will be happy to give them to your student. The school purchases and provides the caps, gowns and tassels. Your student may keep them after graduation. Guidelines for decorating graduation caps will be included in the cap and gown package. Students must have a school provided cap, gown and tassel in order to participate in the ceremony.

# GRADUATION REHEARSAL & SENIOR PARADE THROUGH BOONVILLE VILLAGE

Graduation rehearsal is **mandatory** and will be held on **Friday**, **June 28**, **2024**, **at 9:00 a.m.** Rehearsal will be held on the high school athletic field. Please help the students arrive at rehearsal on time.

Adirondack High School Main Office 8181 State Route 294 Boonville, NY 13309 Phone: (315)942-9200, ext. 5500 Fax: (315)943-2900 www.adirondackesd.org A Senior Salute/Trunk & Treat event will be held at the high school on Friday, June 21st at 5:00 pm. Followed by the Senior Parade through the village of Boonville at 6:00 p.m. Safety guidelines and details will be sent out as the date gets closer.

#### GRADUATION

Graduation will be on Friday, June 28, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.. In the event the weather is uncooperative for an outdoor ceremony, the ceremony will be held in the High School Auditorium.

The Graduation ceremony will be live streamed. A link will be provided on the District website at <a href="https://www.adirondackcsd.org">www.adirondackcsd.org</a>. There is also a YouTube link on the website to allow for viewing anytime.

Please continue to watch for messages via Parent Square, FaceBook, Google Classroom, and the local newspapers for senior announcements and acknowledgements.

#### **GRADUATION CLOTHING**

Because the graduation ceremony is a dignified occasion, we ask the students to dress in an appropriate manner. All shoes must have a wide heel or flat sole. Spike heels will damage our track and are a trip hazard for this event.

#### **GRADUATION: Arrival**

We would like the students to arrive at 5:45 p.m. for the 6:30 p.m. ceremony.

We want our students to participate. If there are some unavoidable occurrences that evening, (car accident, flat tire, etc.) and the student arrives late for the ceremony, the student will be allowed to take their place among the seniors even after the ceremony has started.

# **GRADUATION: Celebrations**

We wish for this to be a joyous and dignified occasion, and we hope that there will be no events that will detract from the joy that we should feel at this time. Please encourage your child, and the friends of your child, not to drink and drive as they celebrate their graduation. Help us to make one more effort to teach our children that they must act responsibly and sensibly.

I offer to you my sincere congratulations for all that you have done to help your child to this point in their life. It probably hasn't always been easy for you, and this ceremony is as much a celebration for you as it is for the students.

Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Heidi L. Smith

High School Principal



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# <u>SENIOR AGENDA – 2024</u>

June 3 Senior Trip to Hershey Park - Students to be at ACS at 4:45 a.m.

June 6 Distribution of Senior Yearbooks, Caps & Gowns, Graduation Walk - 8:00 a.m.

June 11 BOCES Student Awards (South Lewis) - 9:15 a.m.

June 11 Chromebook Collection (during ELA Classes)

June 12 BOCES student picnic

June 5-7 BOCES Final Exams

June 14-25 Regents Examinations - 8:00 a.m.

June 21 Senior Salute/Trunk & Treat High School - 5:00 p.m.

Parade to follow - 6:00 p.m.

June 28 *Mandatory* Graduation Rehearsal - 9:00 a.m.

Graduation Ceremony - High School Athletic Field - 6:30 p.m.

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will be held in the High School Auditorium

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