WELCOME TO

ROTHESAY HIGH SCHOOL

HOME OF THE RED HAWKS

UPDATES

Pretty in Pink Fundraiser

Wow!! The support on Saturday night was amazing! Huge thank you to the Parents who made this happen. Without you, events like this could not happen. Shout out to Tiffany McKay-French for heading up the event this year, as well as Sean O'Neill and Mark Anderson for heading up their subcommittee. The Rothesay community is truly one of a kind!

Staff Appreciation Week!

Although we would like to acknowledge our staff each day, this week will have an emphasis on our appreciation. Each day we will be providing treats to the RHS staff. If you would like to voice your gratitude towards a staff member, please email Beverlee.macdonald@nbed.nb.ca and we will place the thanks you note for them in their mailbox.

Grad Meeting— Last Friday we met with all Grads during period 2. I have attached the memo all grads got at the meeting, for parents to view as well. The information on Prom and Safegrad are separated this year, as this is now a parent run event. More info to come on that.

Grad—grad will be held on June 20th, 2pm in the RHS gym. Info on tickets coming soon! Our first 2024 Grad meeting with all potential graduates will be February 9th. More info to come.

Course Requests for 2024-2025 — Next week, we will be starting the presentations regarding next years course requests. All forms will be due on March 1st.

Alternate Schedule on Wednesday—there will be an alternate schedule on Wednesday to accommodate our Valentines assembly.

Important Dates:

Feb. 12—Grade 9, 4th specialty starts

Feb. 19—Family Day (no school)

Mar. 4-8—March Break

Mar. 29—Good Friday (no school)

Apr. 1—Easter (no school)

Apr.11—Report Cards

Apr. 15—Parent teacher (no school)

Jun. 20—2pm Class of 2024 Graduation

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH

Period 1	9:00—9:45
Period 2	9:50—10:35
Break	10:35—10:45
Period 3	10:45—11:30
Assembly	11:30 —12:25
Lunch	12:25—1:25
Period 4	1:25—2:25
Period 5	2:25—3:30

Graduation Memo #1 – February 2024

Greetings to the Class of 2024,

We are writing today with the initial details for our Graduation Ceremony so that families can plan for Graduation. The memo addresses the following:

Graduation 2024 Structure
Grad Fees
Valedictorian Selection Process

On Thursday June 20, 2024, we will be hosting a traditional graduation ceremony in the RHS Gymnasium.

Key Dates for Ceremony & Planning:

Monday, June 17 – PROM and Safe Grad.

Wednesday, June 19 – Mandatory Grad Rehearsal and Grad Ticket Pick-up 11:00

Thursday, June 20 - Graduation Ceremony, RHS Gymnasium 2:00

<u>Grad Fees – Payable via Cashless Schools</u>

Your Grad Fee is structured as follows:

Grad ceremony-\$70 (covers cap, gown, diploma, gym set-up, reception, photographer)

*Prom and Safe Grad are not included in this fee. They are being organized by a parent committee and information will follow.

Selection of Valedictorian and calculation of Honour Standing.

Honour Standing for Graduating Students – Distinction = 95% and above High Honours =90-94.9% & higher, Honours =85%-89.9%.

Honour standing for graduates from Rothesay High School will be determined as follows:

A student will be registered in a full course of study in their graduating year unless they are on a preapproved academic plan in place by administration.

Only courses taken in the graduating year will be counted for Honours.

In calculating the average, English 12 must be counted.

Of the other courses the lowest mark will be dropped. If a student has INC, they will not be eligible.

To determine honours, the sum of the marks on the courses counted (English to be included) will be divided by one less than number of courses taken.

A 1% bonus will be applied to the calculated average for each Level 1 course, and Advanced Placement (AP) course.

The Valedictorian will be the student with the highest average after all bonuses are applied.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call the school at 847 6204.