

2018 SVHS Grad Class Newsletter

Below is a list of fees and other details associated with graduation activities to help potential graduates plan for events.

All fees associated with graduation may be paid at the main office. A receipt will be given when payments are made.

Graduation ceremony fees are \$50 and may be paid now, but can be paid up until the day of pick-up for cap, gown, and invitations. Gowns, caps and supplies have been ordered. We can only offer a small partial refund if you do not graduate as things are bought in advance. Potential grads please pay special attention to your required courses for graduation. This fee covers the following expenses: gown rental, graduation cap & year date pendant (yours to keep), diploma, diploma cover, invitations, gifts for dignitaries and chaperones, and decorations and flowers. Please note that all items on the Delinquent List must be paid or returned before students can pick up graduation gowns and invitations.

Graduation CD's will be available for purchase and may be reserved now. Please see Mrs. McPhail, Jayden O'Keefe or Megan Plant for order forms. **Cost is \$25.** Bruno Sirois, a professional photographer and videographer, will be videotaping all the graduation events, except safe grad. If purchased, this will be mailed directly to you from the videographer. **Please include your correct mailing address on the order form.**

Prom will be Saturday, June 16th. Prom in the Southern Victoria High School gymnasium will commence with the graduates arriving outside the tunnel door for the **Grand Entrance starts at 7:00 pm(Graduates will be expected to meet across from the Perth Elks Legion for the lineup at 6:30).** **The Prom fee is \$40** and the decorations will be in a neutral color scheme. The presentation of couples will occur outside as they arrive. They will be announced as they disembark from their vehicle before they enter through the tunnel to the school where the prom will be held. **This fee is due Friday, April 13th, 2018.**

Graduation Banquet will be Monday, June 18th. Graduation Banquet Brunch will be at the Southern Victoria High School Cafeteria and will be arranged by Mrs. De Merchant. This event is limited to graduates, teachers and guest speakers. We have set the serving time as 11:00 a.m. Potential grads should be there by 10:45 am. Any special presentations will happen after the meal and/or between the main course and dessert. **The price is \$15 per person** (This price may be lowered.). Graduates will be leaving immediately after the banquet to attend Safe Grad.

Safe Grad will be Monday, June 18th with students returning Tuesday, June 19th. Safe Grad is at Green Hill Lake Camp. All participants must be ready to depart at 12:30 pm right after the Grad Banquet. Buses will be departing at 12:45 pm SHARP. The event will start at 3:00 pm and will consist of the following activities: pool and lake activities (water trampoline, kayaking, slip and slide, games, movies, etc.). The departure time from Green Hill Lake Camp is 6:00 am on the 19th. Students will arrive back at SVHS for parents to pick them up at 8:30 am. **The cost per graduate for Safe Grad is \$45.00 (T-shirt included).**

Please note: Graduation Banquet fee and Safe Grad fee are both due by Friday, May 28th as food has to be ordered and the venue for Safe Grad paid for in advance.

Graduation Rehearsal will be Wednesday, June 20th at 2:00 pm. Everyone will meet at the high school at 2:00. If you haven't picked up your gown yet you can still do so but today will be your last chance (if you need to pick up your gown please come earlier than 2:00). At 2:15 we will get in our gowns and head over to Andover Elementary for a final walk through in front of the elementary students. **Rehearsal is not optional.**

Graduation Ceremony will be Thursday, June 21st at 4:00 pm at the River Valley Civic Center.

Graduates need to meet in the main lobby of SVHS no later than 3:30 pm, with their cap and gown items. Late arrivals are NEVER allowed on stage. Male students need to wear long pants under their gowns, shorts will not be permitted.

This form is also placed on the SVHS Website.

Website: google SVHS and you will find us.