
Several **new** items in this week's senior news

Mark your calendars for March 24 pickup event

On March 24 we will hold a second senior pickup event from noon to 4 PM:

- Caps & Gowns--It's not too late to order yours.
 - Order by March 22 to receive your senior garb at the March 24 event.
 - To order Cap & Gown, log on to [Jostens](#) to make your purchase or call 1-800-567-8367.
 - To order capes and cords, log on to your [Touchbase](#) account.
 - Orders received after March 22 will be distributed at a later date.
 - Contact Office Manager [Shelley Anderson](#) to request **scholarships** for cap, gown, cape and cords.
- A surprise treat for our seniors.
- Yard signs for those who missed the last event.

We need volunteers. Lots of fun with our joyous seniors. [Click here to sign up.](#)

A dark blue rectangular graphic with white and orange text and illustrations. At the top, there are illustrations of a rolled diploma, a star, a graduation cap with 'Canso' written on it, and another star. The main title 'Senior Video' is written in a large, white, cursive font. Below it, the text 'Next Submission:' is followed by a star. The main instruction reads: 'Please send pictures/videos (upto 1 minute) of assemblies and school dances'. Below this, the deadline is stated: 'Deadline is: March 31'. A side note follows: 'Side note: We have been keeping track of who has submitted pictures/videos, so please make sure to send in something by the final deadline in April'. At the bottom, the email address 'Email: seniorknights21@gmail.com' is provided. The graphic is decorated with stars and illustrations of a graduation cap and a rolled diploma at the bottom corners.

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Fundraising approaching goal; \$2K still needed!

The senior class community is getting closer to our goal and a HUGE thank you to the families that have donated.

Less than 100 donations make up the current total of ~\$9K, we have 458 seniors. PLEASE **consider making the \$25** (or more) donation to support our seniors to ensure we can surprise and delight them between now and graduation.

The senior committee wants to BLOW the goal out of the water so we can do even more than was originally planned. **We are still over \$2K short of our goal**

- Special Thank you to **Maria Chesney** for her help in asking local Factoria business for sponsorships.
- Special Thanks to **Shannon Froslan** for helping get the Krispy Kreme donuts
- Special thanks to the parent volunteers on 3/10: **Indira Pallinti, Sophie Fawcett, Margaret Russ, Irene Endow, Kate Vanover, Vivian Gilroy Maria Chesney & Kelley Myers**
- **BIG THANKS to Senior class's officers for making signs and helping on Wednesday!!**

[This link takes you to the PTSA website](#) where you can contribute to Class of 2021 celebration activities. We have reached 50% of our goal.

Please share with friends and families on your social media accounts. See more details below.

- Can your company match?
- We have **Microsoft & Alaska Airlines** matches available so far.
- **Sandi Tampa Real Estate** has provided a sponsorship!

Raffle treats for seniors taking shape

We are adding a raffle to the Senior Celebration activities. Students will receive entries into the raffle when they pick up their signs, cap & gown and any additional items that come up in May and June.

We will draw the winners for the raffle prizes at the beginning of June before Graduation.

The committee will plan prizes based on your response to the fundraiser above.

Celebration leaders start planning

Alison Wai and Faye Wu have agreed to organize our Baccalaureate events to highlight the accomplishments and talents of our teens.

Please contact [Kris Baserman](#) if you can work with them.

Senior class officers play a significant role in planning for this celebration. Remind your student to watch their email for messages from their officers and respond with input.

Class of 2022 planning committee

Huge thank you to these 2022 parents who have stepped up to plan for Class of 2022 celebrations. Please reach out if you are interested as they will need many volunteers and ideas.

- **Emmerlee Park**
- **Tisha Valverde_Westwood**
- **Danielle Brzusek**
- **Netti Mittal**
- **Katherine Sneed**
- **Bianca Tse**

Would you like to know what students are thinking for graduation? What activities they plan this spring?

You Can Follow the Student Leaders' Planning on Social Media

- **Your student** can follow the Class of 2021 on the [CLASS of 2021 TEAM](#) in Microsoft Teams.
- **Families** can follow these information sources:
 - the Class of 2021 Instagram [@newport2021](#) and
 - <https://bsd405.org/nhs/2020/11/class-of-2021-graduation-information/>



Graduation Webpage Has Gone Live

Track graduation news on [Newport's graduation webpage](#). A variety of information including deadlines and gatherings is posted there.