Graduation Commencement for the Class of 2023

There will be <u>one mandatory</u> day of practice which will be a dress rehearsal. This practice/ dress rehearsal is Friday, June 2 from 1:00—3:00 pm. At this practice/dress rehearsal parents are invited to come out and take pictures as this will be the only time parents are allowed in front of the stage.

Graduation/Commencement is scheduled for Sunday, June 2, 2023, at 6:30 pm.

Final details will be on the website and sent out in the spring.

Dates and time are always subject to change.

Please check the announcements daily for important information and deadlines.

Updated information can always be found on our website at www.wbrc.k12.mi.us and on our Ogemaw Heights High School Facebook page.



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Important Dates:

October 21: Seniors receive cap and gown information

October 28: Cap and Gown orders due

January 23: Senior Pictures due to Mr. Miller

January 23: Senior Information Sheets due

March 1: Deadline for most scholarships

April 28: Outstanding fines due

April 28: Last day to turn in marching partner*

*(If you do not turn in a marching partner you will be assigned one.)

May 10: Cap, Gown & Announcement Delivery (all fines must be paid)

May 18: Senior Awards /Scholarship Program

May 25 & 26: Senior Exams

May 29: No School Memorial Day

June 2: Mandatory Graduation Practice (Dress Rehearsal) 1:00-3:00 pm

June 2: Graduation (Commencement) 6:30 pm

Important Information

YEARBOOK PICTURE

A picture is needed for the yearbook. Do not assume your photographer has sent your picture. Check with the yearbook advisor, Ms. Duell, to be sure your photographer sent the picture and it is the picture you want in the yearbook.

The deadline to turn in your yearbook picture is January 23, 2023. Any questions concerning yearbook pictures should be addressed to the yearbook advisor, Ms. Duell. See guidelines for pictures below.

A hard copy or digital copy is acceptable, although a digital copy is preferred. Digital pictures can be sent to Mr. Miller at millera@wbrc.k12.mi.us and/or Ms. Duell at duelln@wbrc.k12.mi.us.

This picture will also be used in the Ogemaw Herald Senior Insert. If no picture is provided, a school picture will be used.

The guidelines are as follows: Senior pictures should be a <u>portrait</u> finished wallet 2.5×3.5 in size.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mr. Miller or Ms. Duell.

CAP AND GOWN ORDERS

Jostens will be taking orders on Wednesday, October 28, 2022 during lunches for your cap and gown and announcements. Information will be distributed on Wednesday, October 21, 2022.



OUTSTANDING FINES

You will be expected to pay **all** fines before you receive your cap and gown. The deadline for current and old fines to be paid is **Friday**, **April 28, 2023** or your cap and gown will be held. These fines include, but are not limited to, library fines, candy sale fines, athletic fines, book fines, shop fines, food service, band and choir debts or other outstanding debts <u>from</u> **your entire school years.** Students with outstanding fines will not be allowed to march with their class. Check in the office to see if you have any fines. **Don't wait - pay fines now. See Mr. Miller with any questions.**

SENIOR AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Senior Awards & Scholarship Program will be held **Thursday**, <u>May 18, 2023</u> at 6:00 pm. During this program, students will be presented with honor cords, class and athletic awards as well as scholarships that they have applied for earlier in the school year. Information regarding these scholarships can be found at <u>http://www.wbrc.k12.mi.us/our-district/esp---</u> <u>educational-support-partnership/</u>. Students should also listen to the announcements for additional scholarship opportunities. Students will receive an invitation via Skyward Student Access for this program.



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

As a reminder, students must meet <u>all</u> graduation requirements to participate in commencement. If you have any questions regarding your student and their graduation status, please contact their guidance counselor. A—K Mr. Williams 989-343-2028, L—Z Ms. Hofer 989-343-2021