

**FHE Class of 2020
Senior Class Meeting
February 20, 2020**

Thursday, February 20, 2020 Country Meadows Baptist Church, 4901 Lee's Summit Road, Kansas City, MO 64136.

Meeting opened at 6:38PM with Holly Owen passing out Senior Surveys
Holly Owen welcomes everyone and announces there are only 2 more meetings before dress rehearsal.

Class Website: www.fheseniorclass.com This is where we will post graduation information, meeting notes, class information, event details, and dance registration.

Facebook: Find us on Facebook at *FHE Senior Class of 2020*. This is the easiest way to information out quickly, so we encourage all seniors and their parents to join our group.

Instagram: Find us on Instagram at *fheseniors2020*. Be sure to submit your upcoming birthday to be spotlighted, also watch for event info.

Graduation: Saturday, May 9, 2020 at 2:00PM Connection Point Church, 10500 E 350 Highway, Raytown, MO 64138.

Required rehearsal, Monday, May 4, 2020 at 6:00PM, this is mandatory for student and at least one parent or guardian. Ladies, if you plan to wear high heels for graduation please bring them to rehearsal. There are a lot of stairs and you'll want to make sure your shoes will work.

Class Meetings: Third Thursday of each month at 6:30PM. Country Meadows Baptist Church, 4901 Lee's Summit Road, Kansas City, MO 64136

March 19, 2020 – Cap & Gown Distribution

April 23, 2020 – (4th Thursday due to Prom) Mandatory for student and at least one parent or guardian.

After the meetings please join us at McDonald's (18910 E 40 Highway -near the intersection of 291 highway and 40 highway – for fellowship and snacking)

Cap / Gown / Announcements: All orders will now include shipping costs, and will be shipped directly to you (cap, gown, tassel). Log on to www.jostens.com . Search "Families for Home Education" we are listed under Independence, MO. Go to "graduation" then "all cap & gown" and "all cap & gown" again. The items included with your class fee are to be ordered under "cap & gown unit \$0.00". Need height plus one inch and weight. If you want to order additional tassels, key, rings, etc., the discounted packages are listed as well. You can also order announcements, senior apparel and other fun items.

Senior Bios / Photos / Quote: Due March 1, 2020. Must be emailed to fheseniors2020@gmail.com
Senior Bio samples and guidelines can be found at www.fheseniorclass.com in the November meeting notes. Please keep bio to 75 words or less.

3 Photos of graduate – 1 baby / child photo, 1 senior year photo, 1 photo of your choice. (Please keep photos in good taste and avoid “naked baby” photos)

New this year is the Senior Quote. This will be displayed under the pictures while the senior is announced and receives his / her diploma. Please include the Senior Quote with the Bio and Photos in the email. The Senior Quote should be one sentence or 2 short sentences. Please give appropriate credit when quoting someone else.

Military Tribute: To recognize a military member of your family during the military tribute song, performed by the music committee at the graduation. Due March 1, 2020. Please email a photo with name, branch, rank and how related (grandfather of John Smith) to fheseniors2020@gmail.com.

Special Accommodations: If a graduate or parent(s) need special accommodations for the ceremony (ie wheelchair access or help with stairs) please contact Holly Owen at fheseniors2020@gmail.com. There is space for wheelchair accommodations for the audience. This is for graduates and parents only.

Graduation Photos: This year's photography will be done by Mission Photography Kansas City. Families will receive digital photos with a release, so that you may print off the sizes and amounts you wish. Cost will be \$20. This will include; class photo, stage photos, and grad photos with family / friends at the portrait backdrop (taken pre- and post- ceremony). The photographer will be at dress rehearsal.

Q – How do we pay for graduation photos?

A – He will set up a webpage and we will pay that way.

Q – Will there be a sign up for appointment slots or just first come first serve?

A – I will ask and double check.

Class T- Shirts: We have a few extra shirts from the last order that are available to buy now. The new order window will open on February 26, 2020 at www.tonyrodscreenprint.com/products

Q – What time do we have to be there on May 9? (Graduation day)

A – 12:00 Noon.

Social Committee: Teresa Keene – Winter Dance update; 288 attended the Winter Dance, super successful! Ice Skating update; 10 people braved the cold fun time.

Coming up:

March Paint and Play

March 17, 2020 6-9pm

The Gathering Baptist Church, Noland Road Campus

4505 S Noland Road, Independence, MO 64055

Please enter through the main doors, at the “back” of the building near the large parking lot

Prom Great Gatsby 1920’s

Friday, April 17, 2020

The Cotillion

1717 NW Burdett Crossing, Blue Springs, MO 64015

Tickets \$50 by April 1st; \$60 from April 1st – 10th, no tickets sold after April 10th.

Online registration will be open on March 1, 2020.

Make checks payable to HEART; mail payment to 1609 NE Oak Tree Drive, Lee’s Summit, MO 64086

How to win a FREE Prom ticket!?!?! RSVP to our class events (on their respective Facebook event pages) and show up to the event. Names will go into a drawing for a FREE Prom ticket! *if you pay for your ticket before the drawing you will be reimbursed.*

Q – What is the age range for Prom?

A – Juniors and Seniors and their date (date should be sophomore – age 19)

Q – Will there be a Facebook sign up for parents to chaperone?

A – Yes we will work on that for shifts and decorating. Decorating to begin at 9:00AM on Friday, April 17, 2020.

Yearbook Committee: Angie Reber – February 8 meeting decided that the yearbook will be Instagram picture themed. 62 pages with senior pictures and bios, event pictures of all events up to and including the March Paint and Play event. (Prom and Graduation will be too late to get the yearbooks out in time) Senior bios will be in the yearbook. Senior Survey results from tonight will be in the yearbook and posted on Facebook once they are counted. Would like the winners of the voted on categories for the Senior Survey to be at the March meeting to have their pictures take for the yearbook. The company printing the yearbook is Tree Ring. Tree Ring plants a tree for every yearbook sold. The cost of the yearbook will be \$27 due at the March meeting. The yearbooks should be ready to distribute by the April meeting. Really putting in the effort to make sure that all of the seniors are in the yearbook. All previous years haven’t included every senior.

Next meeting is Thursday, March 19, 2020 – cap, gown, cords, etc handed out.