IMPORTANT GRADUATION INFORMATION

February 2023

Dear Fellow Hall High School Senior Parents,

Believe it or not, graduation is in less than 130 days! Although June 13th is several months away, it will be here before we know it. It is time to start thinking and talking about the Safe Grad party, which will send off our graduates in a fun and safe way. We think it's a good idea to print or save this email, as it contains many important Safe Grad details! Information can also always be found on our Safe Grad website Hall Safe Grad.

Planning for the Hall Safe Grad Party 2023 began last fall. This **student-only** substance-free annual event is traditionally held from 10:00 PM - 4:00 AM on graduation night, hosted by the Hall PTO and staffed by parent volunteers as a final celebratory send off. Graduating seniors will be treated to a fun filled night of food, entertainment, raffles and - most importantly - lasting memories with their classmates.

There are many ways you can help with Safe Grad, and celebrate your senior, including:

- ★ Purchase tickets for the Safe Grad Party on 6/13 The majority of the funding for this event comes from parents of seniors, who purchase a ticket for their student to attend. This year, the suggested contribution is \$65 per student (which is a savings of \$10 from the previous 5 years!). As in previous years, every graduate is invited and encouraged to attend regardless of ability to contribute. If you have the ability to support another graduate with an additional donation, any extra contribution is appreciated. Sending in your ticket order as soon as you can will help our party planners!
- ★ Flocking Send your graduate (or anyone else) a fun message. Your recipient will wake up to your message...as well as a flock of flamingos on their lawn! Flocking begins in March, when ground thaws.
- ★ <u>Lawn Signs</u> Congratulate your senior with a Class of 2023 lawn sign! Order now, limited number of signs available. Signs to be delivered starting in March.

<u>Use this link to register your child, purchase Safe Grad tickets, order a flock and/or reserve a lawn sign:</u> <u>Safe Grad Order Form</u>

(this order form requires payment by credit card, should you need to pay by check, please contact us at Hallsafegrad2023@gmail.com for a hard copy order form)

We will continue to fundraise to help offset more of the Safe Grade party costs, and you can help out by participating in those fundraisers. Upcoming events include a Super Bowl Raffle (\$10 per square, email hallsafegrad2023@gmail.com), more Safe Grad nights at local restaurants, the beloved community Go Card (email hallsafegrad2023@gmail.com), and a springtime Savers clothing drive. **Also, save the date for an adult night out event, Night at New Park, which will be held at New Park Brewing on March 30!** We are hoping to also be able to offer a graduation night parking/VIP seating raffle, as well (stay tuned!).

There are a few other things you can do to help the Safe Grad Committee and your senior:

- Baby Board The Baby Board Committee is requesting two photos. One baby photo (under the age of 3, no nudes, please) and one recent photo of your child. These photos will be displayed at the party for the students to view and guess which baby photo goes with the graduating senior. Please save the photographs in JPEG format and name the file(s) your student's name. Please email to https://doi.org/10.1007/jheart.com
- 2. <u>Donations/Sponsorships</u> We are always looking for more support for Safe Grad from our community. If you or your business would like to donate an item for a fundraising auction or make a monetary contribution, please contact the Co-Chairs at Hallsafegrad2023@gmail.com.
- 3. <u>VOLUNTEERS NEEDED</u> If you would like to help in planning this night, we would love the help. In fact, we <u>NEED</u> your help. There are still so many ways to get involved in planning the night and of course we will need your help the night of graduation. Mark your calendars for our upcoming meetings: February 22, March 22, April 26 and May 17.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions at Hallsafegrad2023@gmail.com. We appreciate and thank you for your generous contribution(s) to the Hall Safe Grad Party 2023.

Sincerely,

Becky Azia & Heather Fronczek Co-Chairs Hall Safe Grad Party 2023

Find us on Facebook at <u>Class of 2023 Hall Safe Grad</u>, Instagram at <u>Hall Safe Grad 2023</u> and our website <u>Hall Safe Grad</u>.