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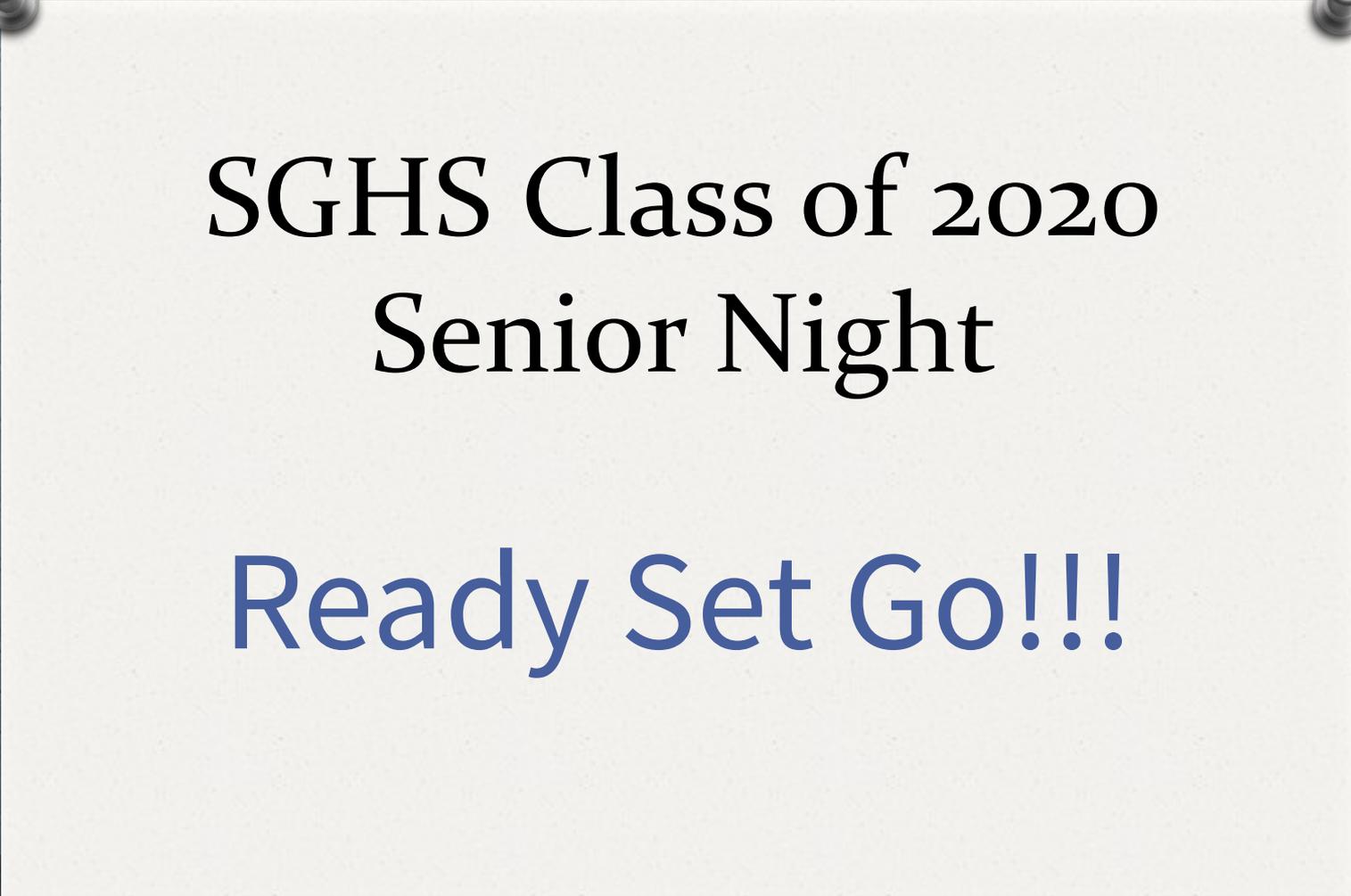
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SGHS Class of 2020  
Senior Night

Ready Set Go!!!

# Agenda

## **Introduction (Auditorium) Presenters:**

- Meghan Burris, Senior Counselor
- Brooke Satterwhite, Senior Counselor
- Teresa McCollum, Senior Advisor

*Topics: Senior Fees, Grad Process, Athletic Eligibility, Requesting Transcripts, Senior Honors & Awards, Brag Sheets, Scholarship Bulletin*

## **Financial Aid (Media Center) Presenter:**

- Frederick Holding, Director, Office of Financial Aid & Scholarships at UNCW

*Topics: All-things-financial aid for community colleges, public and private institutions, including (but not limited to) the FAFSA, Federal and State funding sources, scholarships, and useful tips.*

## **Post-Secondary Planning (Auditorium) Presenter:**

- Malik Hines, College Advisor

*Topics: Introduction of Advisor, Thinking about Post-HS plans, Applying for College, Scholarships, RDS*

## **Visual Resume (Cafeteria) Presenter:**

- Trina Rodriguez, CEO, F.E.M.E. Work

*Topics: What is your Visual Resume? What is your body language communicating? Preparation is the key to a successful interview.*

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# Senior Fees

- ❖ \$45 (price goes up after Christmas)
  - Senior Week
    - Tshirt
    - Breakfast
    - Senior Banquet/Awards Night
    - Picnic
  - Graduation Expenses
- ❖ Cap & Gown currently \$56 (price increases in April 2020)
  - Must have cap & gown if you plan to participate in the graduation ceremony

# Senior Conferences

- ❖ Counselors have begun senior conferences (Sept 3-Sept 27) through individual appointments.
- ❖ The purpose of the senior conference is to verify appropriate senior courses that will lead to a high school diploma, post high school planning support, and answer specific questions.
- ❖ This is a brief “let’s get started” meeting and seniors are expected to schedule follow up meetings with their counselors as needed.

# Graduation Requirements

- ❑ 4 English
- ❑ 4 Math
- ❑ 3 Science (Earth, Biology and a Physical Science)
- ❑ 4 Social Studies (World History, American History I, American History II and Civics & Economics **OR** World History, AP US History, Civics & Economics and a social studies elective)
- ❑ 2 Electives from Career-Technical Education, Art, or World Languages curriculum
  - \* (2 credits of Foreign Language required for College)\*
- ❑ 10 Electives (four are recommended to be in Career Technical, Arts, or Core Subject Areas)
- ❑ 1 Health & PE

**= 28 Credits Total**

# Latin Honors & Recognition

- ★ Summa Cum Laude: Students who have earned a 4.250 or higher weighted GPA
- ★ Magna Cum Laude: Students who have earned a 4.0-4.249 weighted GPA
- ★ Cum Laude: Students who have earned a 3.750-4.0 weighted GPA
- ★ North Carolina Scholars Program



# Athletic Eligibility & NCAA

- ❖ Spring Athletes must pass **THREE** classes in the **fall** to be eligible to play
  - Must be enrolled in at least **TWO** classes during the season you play
- ❖ If you plan on playing a sport in college, you must register with the NCAA Eligibility Center!

# Sending Transcripts & Test Scores

## Transcripts

If you need to send a transcript...

- CommonApp
- Complete Transcript Request form in Main Office and submit to Mrs. O'Neal

## Test Scores

- Standardized tests scores MUST be sent directly to the college from College Board (SAT) or from ACT
- **Request must come from the student**

# Letters of Recommendation

- ❖ Some colleges require teacher recs
- ❖ Consult individual college applications/admissions criteria
- ❖ Students must give counselors and teachers at least 2 weeks notice
- ❖ Please provide teachers & counselors with a copy of resume and/or **brag sheet**

# Scholarship Bulletin

- ❖ Located on Ms. Burris' and Mrs. Satterwhite's websites!
  - [goo.gl/X3BdUK](http://goo.gl/X3BdUK)
- ❖ Updated frequently
  - More & more scholarships become available in the Spring
- ❖ Reminder is sent with each new scholarship
- ❖ Applying for Scholarships and Financial Aid is ALWAYS, ALWAYS, ALWAYS FREE!!!



# Events & Reminders

- September 18th: CACRAO College Fair @ GCHS
- September 20th: NC State Representative @ SGHS
- October 1st: FAFSA Opens
- October 3rd: FAFSA Night
- October 8th: Davidson College Representative @ SGHS
- October 16th: ECU Field Trip
- October 21st-25th: College Application Week!

**\*\*\*NCRDS Should be COMPLETE before this week\*\*\***

- October 26th: FAFSA Day
- November 1st: Early Action/Decision Deadline for MOST colleges
- May 18-22: Senior Week
- May 28: Senior Banquet & Awards Night
- **To receive text messages from Student Services regarding the Class of 2020, please text @ SGclass20a or @SGclass20L to 81010.**
- **Scholarship bulletins will be posted on the website and sent out via Remind each month.**

# Graduation

**Graduation Ceremony:  
Friday, June 12, 2020 at 7:30 pm  
SGHS Football Field**

# Questions?



# Breakout Sessions

Group	6:00p-6:30p	6:35p-7:05p	7:10p-7:40p	7:45p-8:15p
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