

## B.F.A. Class of 2009 Culminating Events

DATE	EVENT	TIME	PLACE
May 4	National Technical Honor Society	7 p.m.	BFA Gym
May 13	Thespian Society Inductions	7 p.m.	Auditorium
May 24	NHS Inductions	12 noon	St. Albans Historical Society
May 29	Bobwhite/Comet Contest	7:30 p.m.	Auditorium
May 30	Junior Prom	7:00 – 11:00 p.m.	Davis Center, UVM, Burlington
May 31	Senior Sports Banquet*	5:30 p.m.	BFA Gym
June 5	NWTC Awards Ceremony	6 p.m.	BFA Gym
June 5	Pick up cap & gowns (\$20.00)	11:15-1:15	Cafeteria Lobby
June 7	Senior Class Family Brunch*	12 Noon	BFA Gym (Call 527-6404 to make <b>RESERVATIONS.</b> )
June 11	Class Night*	6:30 p.m.	Collins Perley Sports Center
June 11	Project Graduation*	8 p.m.-midnight	Collins Perley Sports Center
June 12	Graduation Rehearsal	9 a.m.	Collins Perley Sports Center
June 13	Graduation	11 a.m.	Collins Perley Sports Center

### Event Overviews

**Senior Class Family Brunch:** **RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE NO LATER THAN MAY 29<sup>th</sup>** by calling 527-6404. Reservations allow us time to prepare enough food. There is no charge for this event. Seniors and their families are invited to brunch to celebrate their successes. All immediate family members are invited as well as grandparents. A few scholarships are awarded as well. Faculty and staff proudly volunteer for food preparation and serving.

**Senior Sports Banquet:** The Athletic Department invites athletes and their families to a dinner where awards and scholarships are presented, all of which celebrate their athletic prowess. A letter from the Athletic Director will be forthcoming for this event.

**Class Night:** This is an evening where Department Chairs present seniors with their Department Award and a majority of awards and scholarships are presented. This is an event that all family members should plan to attend with their senior.

**Project Graduation:** Seniors are able to take part in fun activities in a substance-free environment. Games, contests, music and food are available-all free.

### **Special Notes/Highlights**

**Graduation Rehearsal - All seniors are required to attend**, and **must** bring their caps and gowns. The cost for cap and gown is \$20.00. Please be sure your senior brings money on June 5<sup>th</sup> when they pick up their cap/gown. Please make checks payable to Balfour. If your senior forgets to pick it up prior to graduation day, be sure they have the cash to pay for it at the complex. (No one has prepaid for their cap and gown.)

**Graduation tickets** are handed out at **REHEARSAL**. Each senior will receive two tickets for the reserved section (no reserved seats) per family. Additional seating is available in the unreserved section to accommodate extended family. There is no cost for the tickets. Please do not call for more tickets. Should there be any extra it will be a first come first serve basis at graduation rehearsal.

**Attire/Clothing For All Events** - Casual/dress-up. Caps and gowns are used **ONLY** at Graduation Rehearsal and Graduation.

**Graduation** - Seniors are to arrive by 10 a.m. and are to go directly to their assigned area per instructions at rehearsal.

**Parking** - Traffic in and around Collins-Perley Sports Complex is congested. Plan to arrive early. ***Car pooling is encouraged.***

**Photography** - **No one** will be allowed to take pictures in front of the stage during graduation. There will be space available to the far left of the stage front for photos to be taken. We ask everyone's cooperation in not crowding the graduates as they are getting on and off the stage.

**Announcements** – Announcements should have been ordered by now, as March 5<sup>th</sup> was the deadline. Signs will be posted in school when announcements come in for pick up.

**Prom Tickets** – These will go on sale a couple weeks prior to the prom. They will be for sale in the Principal's Office at BFA North. They will be sold during lunch periods and after school between 2:25 and 3:25 p.m. .