



MONTINI CATHOLIC HIGH

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

April, 2019

Dear Parents, Guardians & Host Parents,

We are now in the 4th quarter of the 2018-19 school year. I would like to provide you with information concerning Prom, the senior exam schedule, and Graduation which will be held on **Sunday, May 19, 2019**

Tuition and Fees: Reminder

All tuition & fees are due by May 1, 2019. If payment has not been made in full, please contact Barbara Pauley in the Business Office for payment arrangements. If financial obligations are not current, students will not be allowed to sit for exams and Graduation tickets and caps & gowns will be withheld.

Graduation Eligibility

Students who fail required courses, neglect to remediate previously failed courses, do not have enough credits, or have not fulfilled their community service requirement may not be eligible for graduation. The parent/guardian of any student deemed in jeopardy of not graduating received a letter from Mr. Beirne the week of March 18. If you received a letter, please be sure to address the concern with your student.

PROM

Wednesday, April 24th is the Mandatory Prom Meeting for Parents & Attendees in the gym at 7:30p.m. Prom will be held on **Friday, April 26th**. School will not be in session that day for seniors. The security officer will have a breathalyzer and will stop students for cause and/or suspicious behavior. As in previous years, students and their guests attending the prom as well as their parents will sign a consent form stating that they will comply with the officer's request.

SENIOR DITCH DAY

Each year it comes to our attention that the seniors target the Monday after Prom as a Senior Ditch Day. Please know that this is not a school-sponsored activity. I ask for your assistance to make sure your student attends school on April 29th. With senior exams quickly approaching, each academic day is important.

Starting on Monday, May 6th, the members of the Class of 2019 will be taking advanced placement exams, final exams, and preparing for Graduation. Below is an explanation of the exam schedule as well as schedules for Graduation practice and Graduation on Sunday, May 19, 2019.

Senior Class Trip -

On Friday May 10th, the senior class and the student activities office are planning a school day trip for the class. More information will be provided.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAM SCHEDULE

Monday	May 6th	AP Political Science	8:00am – 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday	May 7th	AP Spanish	8:00 am – 11:30 a.m.
Wednesday	May 8th	AP English Literature	8:00 am – 11:30 a.m.
Wednesday	May 8th	AP French	Noon – 3:30 p.m.
Thursday	May 9th	AP Chemistry	8:00 am -11:30 a.m.
Thursday	May 9th	AP Physiology	Noon – 3:30 p.m.
Friday	May 10th	AP US History	8:00am – 11:30 a.m.
Friday	May 10th	AP Computer Science	Noon - 3:30 p.m.
Monday	May 13th	AP Biology	8:00 am – 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday	May 14th	AP Calculus	8:00 am – 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday	May 14 th	AP Calculus AB + BC	8:00 am – 11:30 a.m.
Wednesday	May 15th	AP English Language	8:00 am – 11:30 a.m.
Thursday	May 16th	AP World History	8:00 am – 11:30 a.m.
Thursday	May 16th	AP Stats	Noon – 3:30 p.m.

STUDENT BARBEQUE

On May 14th the school will be sponsoring a barbeque for the student body during their lunch periods. Hot dogs, hamburgers and salad will be provided to the students for lunch.

SENIOR FINAL EXAMINATIONS

Senior final exams are scheduled for three days this year, **May 15, 16 & 17th**. Seniors are not required to attend school the entire day. They should report to school at the time of the first examination on that day. Seniors are not required to be in uniform dress for final exams. A theme has been selected for each day. The following gives you more information regarding dress code for final exams and the end of school for the Class of 2019.

SENIOR EXAM EXEMPTION POLICY **Please Note:** Any senior who receives an average of 93% or higher for the 3rd and 4th quarters combined in an all year course shall receive that average for the second semester and shall be exempt from the final exam.

DATE

SCHEDULED EXAM

Friday – May 10th

Senior Trip Day

Tuesday – May 14th

*Last full day of school for seniors. Class Review
(Ripping and/or writing on school uniforms is not allowed during the school day)
School Dress Code applies*

Wednesday - May 15th

*Periods 3, 4/5, 5/6, exams- Seniors will arrive no later than **9:45 a.m.** Students who arrive earlier must remain in the cafeteria until class time.
Dress Code - Montini Colors & Apparel*

Graduation Practice

Seniors will go to 8th period lunch and report to the auditorium following lunch for a graduation practice & distribution of caps and gowns. Financial obligations forms (fall/winter season) and state books must be returned in order to receive caps & gowns.

Thursday - May 16th

*Periods 9 & 10 exams- Seniors will arrive no later than **12:45 p.m.**
Students who arrive earlier must remain in the cafeteria until class time.
Dress Code - College shirts, T-shirts and Shorts/Jeans*

Friday, May 17th

*Periods 1 & 2 exams
Founder's Day Prayer Service, Awards Ceremony and Senior Brunch
Dress Code - Dress up Day*

Normal attendance will be taken.

The Awards Ceremony will serve as a dress rehearsal for graduation and begins at 9:55 a.m. Parents are welcome to attend.

The Senior Class Appreciation Lunch will follow the Prayer Service and Awards Ceremony at approximately 12:00 noon.

BELL SCHEDULE FOR MAY 17th

Period 1	8:00 a.m.	8:48 a.m.
Period 2	8:52 a.m.	9:40 a.m.
Founder's Day Prayer Service and Awards		
Student Assembly	9:55 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Senior Brunch	12:00 p.m.	12:45p.m.

After the Awards Assembly, the School Day Resumes for Juniors, Sophomores & Freshmen with Dismissal at 2:45p.m.

**Sunday, May 19th GRADUATION BACCALAUREATE MASS AND COMMENCEMENT
10:00 a.m. in the Field House**

Graduation is a special event in the lives of our students. They have worked hard with pride toward this goal for many years. We believe the occasion deserves the respect of graduates, parents, and visitors. **Noise makers, horns, bells and inappropriate behavior** will not be tolerated or allowed at the Graduation Ceremony. It is an event we want you and your family to remember with joy and pride. We ask everyone's cooperation in making Graduation a memorable occasion for all members of the Class of 2019.

Due to the absence of bleachers in the field house, seating is limited. Ten tickets will be issued to each graduate. If there are two graduates in the same family, only ten tickets will be issued. We encourage you to limit your invitations to immediate family and/or special family friends. If your family will not need all of your tickets we ask that your son or daughter return them to the Main Office so that those with larger families may be accommodated. The tickets will be issued to your son or daughter after May 1st. All tuition & fees need to be current in order to receive Graduation tickets. **Doors will open at 8:30 a.m. Graduates are asked to arrive NO LATER than 9:00 a.m. They are to report to their assigned rooms. The Baccalaureate Mass and Commencement Ceremony lasts approximately 2 hours.**

GRADUATION SERVICES

PHOTOGRAPHY SERVICE – Grad Images-Graduation Photo's - 1-800-628-4509

For your convenience, we have made arrangements with Grad Images for two professional photographers to record the moment diplomas are awarded to each graduate. A passport-sized full-color proof will arrive in the mail approximately one week after the ceremony. There is no obligation to purchase, and you will have the option of ordering several enlargement packages at very reasonable prices. Log onto www.gradimages.com for more information.

PAVING THE WAY FOR THE FUTURE – Graduation Gift Idea

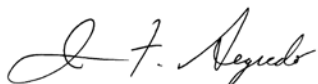
Consider a donation for a brick or square on the Walk of Support as a Graduation present. This unique gift will be a lasting tribute of your senior's time spent at Montini Catholic. The donation is tax deductible. Please see the enclosed order form for the three sizes that are offered and pricing. Order forms need to be returned by June 1st in order to be installed in July.

VIDEO SERVICE

We are pleased to announce that a professional video will be available from the Montini Catholic High School graduation ceremony. The entire ceremony will be recorded, and each graduate will be shown receiving their diploma. Every purchase includes a DVD and a digital download. Watch on your TV, computer, phone, tablet, and other devices. You will receive a download link when you receive the DVD. The price is \$29.99 plus shipping. Orders can be placed online now at www.zakervideo.com

Feel free to contact me at (630) 627-6930, Ext. 174 if you have any questions regarding any of the enclosed information.

Sincerely,



James F. Segredo
President