

Scituate High School
Winter Ball 2025
Cranston Country Club
69 Burlingame Rd, Cranston, RI 02921
Friday, January 17, 2025 6:00-9:30 PM



STUDENT EXPECTATIONS COMPLIANCE FORM

Safety Protocols:

- Small handbags will be searched before entering the dance by school administration
- **No large bags or backpacks will be allowed into the dance at all**
- SHS Admin will follow our breathalyzer policy (see below)
- No outside food/ beverages will be allowed
- All students will pre register and prepay for the event and will be checked in before entering
- No student will be allowed to go into the woods or near the water. If a student needs to get an item from their car, they will be escorted by an administrator
- Vaping, smoking, and alcohol is strictly prohibited and consequences will be administered to the fullest, including potential police involvement.
- Students attending the Winter Ball must be present and on time to school on Friday, January 17, 2024.
- In order to purchase your ticket from Mrs. Gallagher in the high school office, you must have this form already signed by yourself and a parent. No ticket will be granted without this pre-signed form.
- Ticket prices are: \$40 through Dec. 20th and will increase to \$45 after that date
Any family with a financial hardship should contact school administration
- You will be required to give the name and expectations forms to Mrs. Gallagher in order to purchase your ticket.
- Before being sold a ticket, students bringing guests must also have a form signed by the guest and his/her parent/guardian, including a phone number (preferably a mobile number) where the parent can be reached on the night of the dance.
- Students and guests, even over the age of 18, are subject to the following rules of conduct and will be held responsible for violating any of them.
- Students are allowed to leave at 9:00 p.m, but no sooner.
- Students and/or guests are NOT allowed to leave the dance area for any reason without administrator/dean approval and escort.
- There is absolutely no smoking or vaping on the premises.
- The recreation area will be regularly patrolled by chaperones.
- Any student/guest whose appearance, demeanor, or scent gives any chaperone reason to suspect the influence of alcohol or drugs will be referred immediately to administrators/dean in charge and the police officer on duty. Based upon the conclusion of either of those authorities, parents may be called to pick up the student/guest from the dance.
- Severe penalties will be enforced regarding the abuse of controlled substances in accordance with school policies and could lead to exclusion from any and all future school-sponsored events.
- Anyone, including guests, who are uncooperative, belligerent, or in any way in violation of expectations for proper decorum will be referred immediately to the administrator/dean for disciplinary action.

Arrival: Students should arrive between **6:00-6:30 PM**. No student will be allowed into the dance after 6:45 PM

Print Name of Student: _____ Grade: _____

Signature of Student: _____

Print Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

Parent/Guardian Home Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Scituate School Committee Policy # 8220 BREATHALYZER USE AT SCHOOL & SCHOOL SPONSORED EVENTS

Students are prohibited from using, possessing, or being under the influence of alcohol on school property or at school related functions. Students that consume alcohol pose a direct safety risk to themselves, other students, staff, and the community at large.

In order to ensure a safe environment, the school department reserves the right to administer breathalyzer tests (conducted by school administration or their designees) to students on school property or while they are attending school-sponsored events, wherever such activities take place, when there is reasonable suspicion that a student has consumed alcohol. Reasonable suspicion may include, but is not limited to, a student's physical impairment (slurred speech, unsteady gait, etc.), odor of alcohol, unusual behavior, bloodshot or glassy eyes, or any other behavior or information that leads the administration/designee to suspect that the student is under the influence. In addition, the Scituate School Department reserves the right to randomly and non-discriminatory use a breathalyzer test for all students attending extracurricular school events to ensure the safety of students. A student who refuses a random breathalyzer test will be denied admittance to the extracurricular school event and their parents will be notified. Also, a student who refuses to take a breathalyzer test when the school administration/designee has reasonable suspicion that he/she may be under the influence of alcohol will be subject to discipline. A breathalyzer reading indicating that a student has consumed alcohol will be used, along with any other pertinent information, in determining if a violation of school policy has occurred. Students will be disciplined in accordance with school policy on Abuse of Controlled Substance/Alcohol. All breathalyzer tests will be conducted in a private area, away from other students. There will be a minimum of two people (school personnel) present when the breathalyzer test is conducted.