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Dear Parents and Guardians of the Class of 2021 Warriors:

Over the last year, we have made decisions and put plans in place to best support our students and families. It was our hope that we would be able to come out of this sooner rather than later. However, based on the current conditions, restrictions, medical and political guidance, we are working collaboratively as class officers with the administration to provide our peers an opportunity to celebrate our final year of high school.

We have been discussing and looking into various options as to what celebratory events we can hold while adhering to the current state and health guidance. We know how important these year end events are and want to make it the most for all of us.

We are delighted to announce that we will host a senior luncheon picnic with families as a culminating event to celebrate the end of our high school career. This event will take place on Wednesday, June 16th at 12:00pm. The luncheon will be held on the football field at six feet of distance between families. Families are responsible for bringing in their own blanket or chairs for the picnic. We will be ordering boxed lunches from Panera, order forms will be available for pick up or a link will be shared on the class Google Classroom page. Lunches will then be delivered to the school for this luncheon.

We are limited to the number of people we are allowed to bring together in one location so there will be strict, timed ticket sales. Seniors, only, will be given the opportunity to purchase their ticket from Monday, May 3rd to Friday, May 7th. After that, each student with a ticket purchased will be offered an opportunity to order a specified number of tickets more for their family from Monday, May 10th to Friday May, 14th. This number will be determined based upon the number of tickets purchased by students. Final ticket sales will be on a first come first serve basis the week of Monday, May 17th to Friday, May 21st. In the event it rains on this day, we will conduct a drive thru for parents to pick up their meals.

Here are the following safety guidelines everyone attending the event must adhere to in order to attend:

1. Wear face masks at all times, except for when you are eating.
2. Remain in your designated space that is 6 feet from other families/groups.

Additionally, we are working on finalizing plans for prom and graduation. We hope to have a final plan for all of these events by the end of next week. At which point we will communicate with everyone the agreed upon plan for these end of year events for seniors.

On behalf of our senior class and school community, we thank you and appreciate your understanding and flexibility during this difficult time.

Sincerely,

Baylin Tighe, President

Devon Licht, Vice President

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Kyla Chirayath, Treasurer

Jackie Kiera, Senior Class Advisor

Michael Brown, HS Principal