# **Bellerose Grad 2026 Parent Meeting**

Thursday, October 2, 2025 6:30pm BCHS Large Gym

# **AGENDA**

- Grad Co-Presidents
- Graduation Requirements
- Ceremony
- Banquet
- Graduation Portraits
- Fundraising
- Graduation Clothing
- Graduation Information

# Bellerose Composite High School Graduation Saturday, June 13, 2026

# **GRAD CO-PRESIDENTS**

Introductions of Dylan Stelter and Adina Schlese

- Grad Clothing
- Student Activities
- Fundraising
- Senior Sunrise October 3, 2025

# **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

Each year we monitor the academic progress of our Grade 12 students to help ensure students have an academic plan in place that meets their graduation requirements. Although the school monitors student progress, the **final responsibility falls to the student**. Students need to ensure that they are registered in courses that meet their graduation requirements and that they are passing these courses. **It is also important to understand that participation in the June 13th Commencement Ceremony requires students to successfully be on track to graduate.** 

If you have concerns regarding your students graduation progress please, please contact Ashley Morgan Grade 12 Administrator (ashley.morgan@spschools.org).

Requirements for the Alberta High School Diploma can be found here.

Requirements for the Alberta Certificate of High School Achievement can be found here.

If you have not yet reviewed the graduation requirements with your student this year, please take the time to do so together. As always, important information regarding your student's progress can be accessed online through your <a href="MoverSchool">PowerSchool</a> and/or your student's <a href="moversemants">myPass</a> accounts. If you require assistance to set-up access to either of these accounts, please contact Bellerose office at <a href="moversemants">br@spschools.org</a> or at 780-460-8490.

# **CEREMONY**

- The ceremony will take place on Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at the Edmonton Convention Centre (ECC). **Commencement will begin at 9:30am**, graduands will need to be on site by 8:45am.
- To be eligible to participate in graduation activities, Bellerose students must meet the requirements for an Alberta High School Diploma, Certificate of Achievement.
- The Commencement fee of \$110 is used to cover costs related to the Commencement Ceremony which includes grad gown rentals, caps, tassels, stoles, diploma covers, diploma printing, decorations, flowers, video recordings etc. This has been added to your students' school fees and can be paid through the Parent Portal.
- There is no fee to attend the Commencement ceremony (you may bring as many guests as you would like).
- There will be a mandatory rehearsal for the Graduation ceremony in the large gym on Tuesday, **June 9**<sup>th</sup> **at lunch**. Every Graduate walking the stage is REQUIRED to attend.
- Please see the link below for an example of a commencement ceremony at EEC: <a href="https://mediazilla.com/K61UWWg9FT">https://mediazilla.com/K61UWWg9FT</a> (password: bulldogs)
- If your student would like a name OTHER THAN what is in PowerSchool on graduation documents, please contact Kelly Killick at <a href="kelly.killick@spschools.org">kelly.killick@spschools.org</a>

# **BANQUET**

Location: Edmonton Convention Centre (9797 Jasper Ave, Edmonton, AB)

Time: Doors open at 5:00pm/Dinner served at 6:00pm

- Banquet tickets are required for each person attending. Tickets will go on sale in May. More
  information to follow regarding banquet ticket sales and its process. Each banquet ticket cost
  \$110 and each person attending this portion of the event, requires a ticket (including the Grad).
  This fee is separate from the Commencement fee on PowerSchool.
- For planning purposes, tables seat 8-10 guests per table (ECC will let us squeeze 11 if needed). Groups more than 11 guests will be seated at 2 tables. If you have fewer than 8 guests, it is likely you will be seated with another family.
- \*\*All outstanding fees must be paid in full and any overdue library books/textbooks must be returned, before banquet tickets can be purchased.

# **GRADUATION PORTRAITS**

Information and dates TBA. We will be using Smart Photography.

# **FUNDRAISING**

Fundraising efforts are in full swing to help raise money towards Graduation 2026. There are several fundraisers that are open and available throughout the school year. All money raised will go towards the cost of \*EXTRAS\* for grad student activities and on graduation day. The fundraising goal is \$15,000!!

#### **Current Fundraiser**

**Davison Orchards - Apples** 

Order pick-up date: Tuesday, October 14, 2025

# **Upcoming Fundraisers**

December

Purdys Chocolate: Date TBD \*orders will arrive before the Holiday Break\*

**January** 

#### **Bottle Drive**

Bottle Drop Off Date: **TBD** \*save your holiday bottles:)

Bottles can be dropped off throughout the day. Please drop off your bottles to Bellerose Staff

Parking Lot (East Lot)

# **February**

#### Cookie Dough-Indeygo Fundraising Inc

Fundraiser closes: TBA
Order pick-up: TBA

#### April

# **B-Town Chow Down**

A taste of Edmonton style event where students/staff have a food booth that offers a small sized food/drink item, tickets are \$1 and each food booth decides how many tickets to sell their item (usually between 1-2 tickets/item).

# Salisbury Greenhouse Gift Cards

Orders due: Spring 2026

Expected delivery date: before Mother's Day

#### May

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### Year-Long Fundraisers

# **Bottle Depot**

Please consider taking your bottles to the Campbell Park Bottle Depot and letting them know you are supporting the Bellerose Grad 2026. This campaign is ongoing until June.

Campbell Park Bottle Depot

95 Corriveau Ave

St. Albert

#### **Boston Pizza**

Did you know that if you visit your local **Northern Alberta Boston Pizza** you help earn 5% cash back of the pre-tax total of your receipt? It is simple, enjoy delicious food, save your **ORIGINAL** receipt and submit it to the front office.

# **GRADUATION CLOTHING**

Grad clothing is available for purchase on the webstore.

Link to order: <a href="https://bellerose2026.itemorder.com/shop/home/">https://bellerose2026.itemorder.com/shop/home/</a>

Deadline to order: October 12<sup>th</sup> at midnight

# Thank you for joining us. Please follow our Grad 2026 page and Instagram for up to date information.

- BCHS Grad Page
- BCHS website
- Messages are delivered to students through daily announcements
- Digital screens in hallways
- Social media
  - Instagram: <a href="https://www.instagram.com/bchs\_classof2026">https://www.instagram.com/bchs\_classof2026</a>