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*Updated 7/17/20-New information highlighted in yellow.

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Dear Pirates,

First and foremost, I hope you and your family are safe and healthy!

Graduation is approaching quickly and I know there are probably a number of questions. It is with those questions in mind that I have created this document.

- Please click link below to access graduation walk-through video. Please watch it before graduation.
 - https://drive.google.com/file/d/1JM_9BUH-EhNBADEZHjmsi5oysDdX5cSP/view?usp=sharing
- Please click link below to access Class of 2020 Scholarship video.
 - <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1j1EJzVS46Gse2ymDoNvpj7pMMtZvx7QZ/view?usp=sharing>
- Please click link below to access scanned copy of tonight's program.
 - https://www.greenlandsd.com/279786_2
- Students who have not picked up their graduation packet may do so Monday through Thursday from 8 A.M. to 3 P.M. at the high school office. Please call the office upon arrival and it will be delivered out to you.
- Seating will not be reserved. Seating in the bleachers will be marked in groups of 10 with a bleacher separating each family group.
 - Seating will also be available on the field. Please try and use these seats if you have a member of your family/group who is handicapped.
 - Please see updated diagram below for more details.
 - Families are encouraged to bring their own chairs if they are planning on sitting on the field or not in the bleachers.
- Below is the link that will take you to our GSD YouTube Channel. The video will be accessible the night of the event. There will only be one video present. You will click on that video to watch live. I will send more instructions out later on this week.
 - https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCg40i9L7DIy8FTPdtL_Lxw/
- Stadium gates will open at 7:30 PM.
- Graduates need to be at the high school cafeteria by 7:45 PM.
- Please click link below, download, and watch message from Officer Underwood regarding traffic, parking, and other graduation essentials.
 - <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1BiU7G5QLyucNoU9oc7AxWsnD7AfxbQQ/view?usp=sharing>
- Due to graduation taking place outside and the heat, I am asking students to dress comfortably and appropriately.
- Please limit the number of cars your family/family group brings to graduation.
- In order for our traditional graduation to be approved by the Department of Education there are a number of guidelines our graduates, participants, and attendees have to adhere to. These guidelines are in place to make sure our parents, faculty, students, and community members remain safe and healthy while on campus.
 - Social distancing will need to be followed while on campus. Please do not congregate in ANY areas.
 - After parking please go directly to entrances/exits.
 - Upon entering the stadium please go directly to your designated seating area.
 - After graduation please go directly to your car.
 - Household groups may sit together but will be spaced 6ft apart from other groups.
 - Families can bring their own chairs.
 - Individuals 10 and above must wear a face mask/face covering upon entering the stadium, traveling, to seat, and exiting the stadium. Once an individual has arrived at their seat and is sitting among their family group it may be removed.
 - Graduates may remove facemask for their picture after walking across stage.
 - ALL other pictures need to be taken off campus before or after graduation.
- Please remain home if you have a fever or are sick.
- Graduation will be live streamed so that people not able to attend will be able to watch it live.

- Link will be sent out the week of graduation.
- We have submitted to the ADE a Plan B in case of rain and a Plan C in case of change of ADH guidelines due to recent COVID-19 spikes. I will be sending out details once those plans are approved.

I hope everybody had a wonderful July 4th weekend!

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at ahardin@greenlandsd.com or at 479-521-2366. Also, please watch your email for further updates.

GHS Principal

Jake Hardin

