

SUNDAY NIGHT SENIOR NEWS

February 22, 2026

Grad Bash

Tickets are now on sale (and are going fast) at

www.mypaymentsplus.com

- \$240 - permission forms will come out this week - must be notarized and signed by teachers
- Instructions for Notary are on next page

What's Happening this Week

- M - Early Release
- T- FT - Stone to Courthouse
- W- Black History Celebration (new time)
 - Red Club Day
- Th - Freedom Fest
- F - FT - Special Olympics at Gaither HS

Cap and Gown

Cap and Gown can still be ordered through:

www.herffjonestampabay.com

- Gowns should arrive near end of March and will be handed out in cafeteria
- Honor stoles are available to purchase for \$17 for those students that have reached a 4.0+ weighted GPA.
- Prices will increase soon due to rising shipping costs.

Upcoming Dates

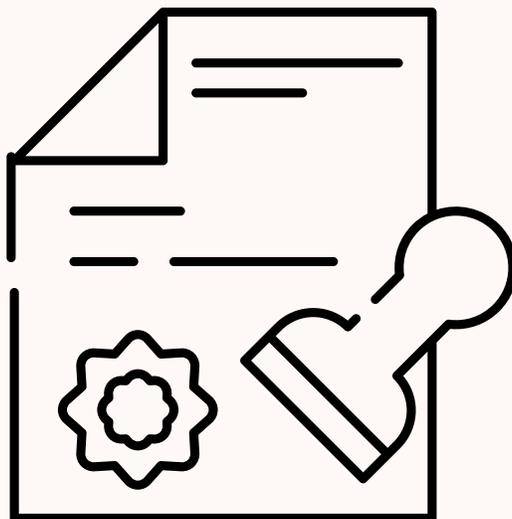
Here are a few dates to keep on your calendar that are coming up

- March 2 - Non Student Day
- March 13 - Final Payment for Grad Bash Due
- April - Ticket for Prom go on sale - \$100
- May 17th - Graduation Rehearsal 3:00pm at Expo Hall of FL State Fairgrounds (mandatory)
- May 28th - Graduation



Grad Bash Permission Form Instructions

- Forms can be picked up from outside RM 528
- 3 Forms – all will need to be turned into Mr. Tillman by March 13th
 - School Sponsored Activity Form – Make sure your teachers have signed off on the school-sponsored activity form for 4.24.26 for 4th – 7th period. We will be meeting in the student parking lot to get onto our charter buses at the end of 3rd period/2nd Lunch
 - Field Trip Medical Release Form – Must be completely filled out – **top section will need to be notarized by a Notary Public.** This requires you to sign in front of them with an ID to confirm your identity. Must be completed by your parent if you are not yet 18. We have two notaries in the front office, but they are only able to notarize until 3:00pm each day.
 - Instructional Field Trip Permission Form – Must be completed by student and parent
- All forms and payment must be turned into Mr. Tillman by 3/13/26 to ensure your attendance on this trip.



MOONLIT MASQUERADE



MAY 9TH, 2026 | 7-11 PM

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Once upon a PROM



Join us **Saturday, March 7th.**
Junior's Dress Department Starting
at 1pm

Cosmetic demonstrations, photo station,
music, and be the first to book your
personal makeup appointment for your
prom night.

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SENIOR CLASS NEWSLETTER

Important Dates

- *Senior Award Night: Thurs 04/16
- *Grad Bash: Fri 04/24
- *Yard Sign Due Date: Fri 04/24
- *Brick Due Date: Fri 04/24
- *Prom: Sat 05/09
- *Senior Exams - 5/15 - 5/21
- *Graduation Rehearsal: Sun 05/17, 3pm
- *Senior's Last Day - Thurs 5/21
- *Graduation: Thurs 05/28, 8am

It's the last semester for our Seniors! Help them stay focused and on track so they can finish the year strong.

Important things to know this month:

- Cap and Gown orders:
www.herffjonestampabay.com
- Buy a [yearbook](#) before the price increases!
- Buy a [Senior Sign](#) and a [Commemorative Brick](#)

As we navigate the final chapter of high school with our students, there's so much to look forward to.

Mark your calendars for **Prom** – Saturday, May 9th!

Grad Bash (Friday April 24th) Cost: \$240

Visit: mypaymentsplus.com to purchase
Those students who purchased the Senior package have a ticket and will not need to purchase

- It's not too early to think about celebratory plans after Graduation – inform friends and family of the date, and make reservations for Graduation Parties
- We understand this year has expenses, and to help you budget and plan, we've listed costs: Grad Bash at Universal (\$240); Prom (\$100+); Cap & Gown (\$80); Yearbook (\$85)

Senior Yard Signs
Now Available on
the PTSA website

\$25
FREEDOM HIGH SCHOOL
CLASS OF 2026
Congratulations
STUDENT NAME

\$20
FREEDOM HIGH SCHOOL
CLASS OF 2026
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*With or Without
Post-grad
designation*

PTSA INFORMATION

Students who joined the PTSA by January 16th can now pickup Scholarship Applications from Guidance
Completed Applications due by: Friday, March 27

Leave your student's legacy with an inscribed Brick, permanently set at the front of the school:
Click [here](#) to purchase Brick

Celebrate your Senior with a Yard Sign (with or without the post-grad school logo):
Click [here](#) to purchase Yard Sign

Any questions, please email: janeftompson@gmail.com