



SOUTH KENT SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Friends,

I am writing to you about South Kent School's ninetieth Prize Day. In anticipation of this wonderful weekend, I would like to brief you regarding a few details to make this occasion enjoyable, and safe, for all.

The weekend begins on Friday, May 30th with chapel service at 6:10pm. We then head over to our annual sixth form banquet. Seating is open and families are welcome to sit together. We recognize that this is a milestone for both you and your son; however, because of limited seating we ask that, if possible, your guest list be limited to no more than five.

At the conclusion of the dinner Friday evening, you are welcome to take your son off campus; however, if your son leaves with you, he may not return to campus until 9:30am Saturday morning dressed and ready for the Prize Day ceremony. If your son would rather stay on campus, he is required to abide by all school policies. Neither you nor I wish to see any senior create or become involved in a situation that might jeopardize his graduation. Please understand that any off-campus gathering Friday night is not a South Kent School-sponsored event. Also, younger students unrelated to you are not permitted to join you and your family off campus.

Saturday morning, boys are to meet in the courtyard at 10:00am for the graduate portrait. The Prize Day ceremony will begin at 11:00am. Please allow at least 15 minutes to park your car and to find seating in the gym. Following graduation, we will leave the gymnasium and go to the chapel for the awarding of the diplomas. A luncheon reception for the graduates and their guests will follow in the courtyard.

Visit the Prize Day section of our site (www.southkentschool.org/parents/prize-day) for a list of area accommodations, to RSVP, and for other Prize Day info. We urge you to make your arrangements for accommodations soon as several other schools will also be holding their commencement exercises the same weekend.

Should you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Haase at ext. 217 or by email at haaseg@southkentschool.org.

I look forward to seeing you in June. Best wishes to you and your family.

Sincerely,
Andrew J. Vadnais
Head of School