MADRAS HIGH SCHOOL

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PRESS RELEASE

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Graduation, June 5th

The Madras HS graduation is Saturday, June 5th at 11:30 a.m. at the football stadium.

- Graduates need to arrive at 10:00 a.m. at the high school to prepare
- Stadium gates for spectators will open at 10:30 a.m.

Based on the Jefferson County Covid Risk Level as of Tuesday, June 1, 2021 (High Risk), each graduate will be provided two (2) tickets for the graduation ceremony. Tickets will be provided to each graduate during graduation practice on June 4th, and must be signed for by the graduate.

The graduation ceremony will be live streamed and recorded for family and friends to enjoy. The live stream can be viewed by going to: <u>https://centraloregondaily.com/live/</u>

Graduation Practice, June 4th

The Madras HS graduation practice begins at 8:00 a.m. on Friday, June 4th (*breakfast will be provided*).

- This is a mandatory event to walk at graduation
- Students, please DO NOT wear your cap and gown to practice. It recommended to bring sunglasses, baseball caps, sunscreen etc. as we will be outside for the majority of the day.
- Following practice, a joint MHS and Bridges HS BBQ will take place at approximately 11:30 a.m. at the football stadium.
- Graduation practice day events are for the graduates and staff only.
- Graduation BBQ for seniors will follow directly after graduation practice. Due to Covid restrictions, this event is only open to seniors only.

Senior Awards Ceremony & "Walk the Halls Event", June 3rd

The Madras HS Awards Ceremony is schedule for 10:00 a.m. at the football stadium. Stadium gates will open for spectators at 9:30 a.m.

- Seniors need to arrive at MHS by 7:45 a.m. for line up instructions.
- This is a mandatory event to walk at graduation
- Seniors will be wearing their cap and gown for this event
- If your graduate hasn't picked up their two spectator tickets yet, they will be available for pickup at the main office during business hours <u>until 4 p.m. on June 2nd.</u>

• "Walk the Halls Event" directly following the Senior Awards Ceremony

Additional Graduation Day Information:

If you haven't done so already, please make sure you receive approval from Principal Crook prior to decorating your caps in any way. Students that do not get the appropriate approval prior to the ceremony will not be allowed to walk during the graduation ceremony.

Following the ceremony, students can pick up their diplomas and their thrown caps at MHS student services.

Handicapped seating is available upon request (*must still have a ticket to attend*). Please contact Cassie Piercy 541-475-7265 ext. 2316 or option 3, by Thursday June 3rd to guarantee reserved seating.

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