# SENIOR UPDATE!

**CLASS OF 2023** 

Atlantic Coast High School

Quarter 1



# **HELLO STINGRAY NATION CLASS OF 2023!**

We hope you are just as excited for your senior year as we are! It is our wish that you will go above and beyond to make this year awesome!

Focus on your grades, get involved, and unleash all of that school spirit.

You want to remember this year for the fun your have, not for standing on the sidelines wondering "what if?"

Keep in mind that all money handled on campus must be cash or money order. No checks or credit cards can be taken. Start planning now!

Senior Sponsor Ms. Lakatos | Auditorium lakatoss@duvalschools.org

**Activities Director** Ms. Solomon | Room 104 solomonr1@duvalschools.org



# **DATES TO REMEMBER:**

Mandarin Game: 9/16 HoCo Week: 10/17 - 10/21 HoCo Dance: 10/22 • Panoramic: 1/25 Grad Bash: 3/31 (tickets in January, price TBD)

# **CLASS OF 2023 OFFICERS**

Alexandra Fisher • SGA Chancellor Lucas Vargas • President Caleb Allen • Vice-President Chris Reason • Secretary Quinn McCarthy • Treasurer Kaylee Giles • Publicist Chloe Genovese • Sergeant-at-Arms

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#### Senior Photos

cady.com/schedule | Be sure to schedule your senior portraits through our official school photographer CADY. You must have your portrait taken by CADY to be in our yearbook. Seniors must have their photos taken by November 1st to be included. Make sure to schedule early so you don't get left out!

### THIS IS YOUR YEAR! MAKE THE MOST OF IT!

#### Senior Clearance Cards

Each senior will be presented with a senior clearance card indicating whether they are in good academic standing to participate in senior activities (this includes purchasing senior packages, Grad Bash tickets, senior parking, etc.). Cards will be distributed with senior schedules and clearance status will be re-evaluated quarterly throughout the year. Cards will need to be presented in order to pay for any senior activities. Please contact Mrs. Prier (senior class administrator, wilcoxa@duvalschools.org) or Ms. Norris (graduation coach, norrisc1@duvalschools.org) if you have any questions on this process or for more information.





### Caps and Gowns + Graduation Announcements

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This outside company handles all of your cap and gown orders, as well as your announcements. They will be here on campus for several parent nights, and at a few assemblies as the year goes on, but please place your orders early as prices will increase.

#### Senior Packages

There are three senior package options this year. Students planning on participating in the graduation ceremony in May must purchase one of these. Payments can be made online (dcps.schoolcashonline.com) or in-person with cash or money order only. The deadline to purchase a Stingray or Ocean package is October 13th. The deadline to pay for a Reef package is

March 10th. There is an optional payment plan available for the Stingray package **only** (the first payment is \$190 due by October 13th, the remaining balance due by December 9th). See the Class of 2023 page on the AC website for more info.

### STINGRAY PACKAGE | \$355

- Commencement Dues
- Senior Package Keychain
- All Senior Apparel
  2 t-shirts, a dry-fit long
  sleeve, a crewneck sweatshirt,
  joggers, & senior lanyard
- Homecoming Ticket (1)
- Senior Yard Sign (1)
- Copy of Senior Panoramic (1)
- All-Season Sports Pass
- Access to All Senior Activities Including Senior Week and Senior Olympics
- Prom Ticket (1)
- Yearbook

Post-Secondary Readiness Scores*
Reading
PERT - 106
SAT Reading Subtest – 24
ACT - 19
Math
PERT - 114
SAT Math Subtest – 24
ACT - 19
*Current PSR scores are subject to
change each school year.

### OCEAN PACKAGE | \$190

- Commencement Dues
- Senior Package Keychain
- All Senior Apparel
  2 t-shirts, a dry-fit long
  sleeve, a crewneck sweatshirt,
  joggers, & senior lanyard
- Homecoming Ticket (1)
- Senior Yard Sign (1)
- Copy of Senior Panoramic (1)
- Access to Senior Week Including Senior Olympics

### REEF PACKAGE | \$50

- Commencement Dues
- Spring Senior T-Shirt with class names
- Ticket to Senior Olympics on Seniors Last Day The first day of Senior Week only



#### **Graduation Tickets**

One of the most asked questions regarding graduation is about tickets. Each senior will receive ten tickets to the ceremony. They are then able to <u>earn</u> up to seven additional tickets by meeting the following items (worth one ticket each):

- Post-Secondary Ready (PSR) in Math\*
- Post-Secondary Ready (PSR) in Reading\*
- Proof of collegiate letter of acceptance or proof of military enlistment with a contract signed
- Acceleration Credit: Earning Dual Enrollment or Industry Certification
- Earn a 60% or higher on the Florida Civics Literacy Exam (FCLE)
- Proof of PTSA Membership
- · Parent attends the spring senior parent meeting