Hello Senior and Parent:

Here's all the information you need for the **Senior Celebration** all night grad party. Please read the entire letter so you are prepared to help make this a fun and successful event.

Wednesday, May 28th

- Final payment and permission slips are due. You may not attend the party unless you have completed your registration by payment in full and turned in your permission slip by May 28th. Currently, there are 54 of the 328 registered seniors that haven't completed their registration. Please see page 3 for a list of names and instructions.
- Bus signups in the Commons from 8:45-10:00 am. Sign-up for the specific bus you want to ride to and from the Senior Celebration. You will have the opportunity to choose a bus with your friends. (Bus colors are blue, gray, green, orange, purple, red and yellow.) In order to sign up for a bus, you must be paid in full and have turned in your permission form. If you are unable to sign-up on May 28th, please email Debbie Sexton, <u>debbiesexton@comcast.net</u> to make other arrangements.

Friday, June 13th

- ✤ <u>Arrive</u> at IHS by 9:30 pm.
- Check in— Please find your bus color and stand in line for check in, wristband and the pat down. You will be given a wristband with your bus color to wear during the event. Only IHS graduates with wristbands that match their bus color will be allowed on each bus. We are unable to change bus assignments that evening. Buses will depart at 10:15 for our first location.
- What to wear--Come dressed for fun in an active and outdoor setting. Please wear socks and shoes (no flip flops) and bring a jacket/sweatshirt.
- What to leave at home--
 - Cell phone--In case of emergency, parent chaperones will have phones. If you strongly feel that you need to bring a phone for use the next morning, we can check it in and store it on the bus for you, but you will not have access to it until the bus arrives at IHS on Saturday morning.
 - Beverages/Food--You will be well fed during the event. If you have a severe food allergy and need to bring your own food items, please contact Kimberly Undi at kimundi@comcast.net
 - Drugs/alcohol/tobacco products of any kind
 - Electronics including cameras, and iPods
 - Purses—Personal hygiene items, first aid, mints and gum will be available in the restrooms or from a chaperone.
- <u>Security check</u>— A pat-down will be conducted by a same-sex parent volunteer. Shoes, hats, pockets -- EVERYTHING will be inspected. <u>Anyone refusing the pat down will not be</u> allowed to board the bus.
- If something unexpected happens that day and you cannot attend the event, call Kimberly Undi (425-444-9576) by 5:00 PM. Please leave a detailed message or send a text if there

is no answer. Otherwise, the buses will be held up as we try to account for a missing student. Unfortunately, we are unable to provide refunds.

Saturday, June 14

 <u>Pick up at IHS at 5:30 am.</u> For safety purposes, graduates will not be allowed to drive themselves home after the all night event. <u>Parents</u>, please plan on picking up your graduate personally or through a carpool.

Other information

- <u>Chaperones--</u>Parent chaperones will ride the buses with the seniors and are available at each venue. Please feel free to approach them if you have a question, have a friend with a medical issue, or need access to checked in items. Each venue will have staff people available to run activities and answer questions. A professional police security officer will be present at the venues throughout the evening
- <u>Emergency Medicine--</u>Bring your epi-pen, inhaler, insulin or other emergency medication in prescription pharmacy packaging, only if the items have been previously noted on your Emergency Care Plan. You may hold on to your own emergency medication. All other medications will be placed in a labeled bag, carried on the bus in a bin and available by request only from a chaperone, this includes aspirin, Advil and any other over-the-counter medications.
- <u>Photographs--</u>Amy Higgins will be photographing the event. A disc with all of the pictures will be provided to each graduate who attends this event. The disc will be given to you during the diploma distribution the following week at IHS. If you fail to pick up your diploma that week, the school will not hold on to the discs. Contact Amy Higgins directly for a copy (higginshome@comcast.net).
- ANYONE DISPLAYING INAPPROPRIATE OR DISRESPECTFUL BEHAVIOR, or believed to be in possession or under the influence of drugs or alcohol, will not be allowed to board the bus and/or will be removed from the event. Parents will be called to pick up their senior. If parents are unavailable, police will be contacted and no refunds will be given. This is true for the entire evening. Good conduct is expected for all to have an enjoyable evening.
- **EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION:** If you need to contact your student during the event, please call any of the following cell phone numbers. Please remember that the school and some venues may have limited cell signal and it might be loud at these events. If you do not get an answer, please try sending a text.

Kimberly Undi 425-444-9576 Barb Tasker 206-661-6034 Donna McLeod 425-445-4664 Carol Jongejan 206-953-6413 Debbie Sexton 425 785 2450

We are looking forward to a safe, fun and memorable event as we celebrate our graduates.

Congratulation to all,

The Senior Celebration Parent