



# SOUTH BRUNSWICK HIGH SCHOOL

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## Important Graduation Information

Dear Parents and Students of the Class of 2019,

We would like to offer you our sincere congratulations and best wishes as you move beyond South Brunswick High School into what we are certain will be a bright and successful future.

### Graduation Ceremony Information:

- The graduation ceremony will be held at the CURE Insurance Arena, Trenton, New Jersey on **Wednesday, June 26th at 10:30 AM.**

In order to participate in graduation exercises, seniors must meet **all** graduation requirements.

- All students must attend the graduation rehearsal ceremony. **It will be held on Tuesday, June 25th at 9:00 AM sharp in our main gym. Any senior not attending graduation rehearsal will not be allowed to participate in the ceremony on Wednesday the 26th.** Students will receive their caps, gowns, and tassels at the conclusion of the rehearsal ceremony. **REMINDER: Students who have not turned in their books or paid their fines will not be able to receive their diplomas or cap and gowns to walk.**

**Graduates must arrive at the CURE Insurance Arena by 9:30 AM and park in either of the following locations: Gate C-Lot 1 or Gate A-Lot 2.** Students are expected to provide their own transportation to and from graduation.

- **Parents and guests can park in Gate C-Lot 1 or Gate A-Lot 2** and all guests will be admitted to the ceremony by ticket only. The doors to the arena will open to the public at 9:30 AM. **Each graduate has received ten (10) tickets.** If additional tickets are needed, a parent must make a written request. **Please send the request to Mrs. Raymona Baker [Raymona.Baker@sbschools.org](mailto:Raymona.Baker@sbschools.org) by Friday, June 7th** stating the number of tickets needed and the unusual circumstances for the request or you can mail request to her at 750 Ridge Road, Monmouth Junction, NJ, 08852.
- Students will know which side of the arena they will be seated on at our practice. **Signage with final seating arrangements will be posted outside the seating area to assist parents and guests upon arrival to the arena.** Guests may use arena Sections 104 through 117 for seating to view the ceremony.
- Handicap seating is available in the Concourse Level in Sections 106, 107, 111, 113, 116 and 117.
- Guests are not allowed on the arena floor at any time.
- Graduation is a dignified ceremony that allows the school community to celebrate the accomplishments of our seniors. Students, as well as the audience, are expected to conduct themselves in an appropriate manner; failure to act accordingly will result in removal from the arena. **Signs, balloons, banners and air horns are not permitted in the CURE Insurance Arena. Students who disrupt the ceremony will be removed from the arena immediately.**
- Parents and students, please remember to silence your cell phones during the ceremony.

- Students are required to dress appropriately, even though they are wearing graduation gowns. Jeans, shorts, sneakers and flip-flops are not acceptable attire. Any person who is dressed inappropriately will not be allowed to participate. Graduates should not bring items such as water bottles, handbags, etc. because there is no security available for these items during the ceremony.
- Graduation typically takes approximately two hours in total. When making after graduation plans, please allow time for exiting the arena.



## Reminders

Island Photographers take pictures of all graduates as they arrive to the stage, and those pictures will be for sale after the ceremony through an order form which will arrive in the mail. You can contact them directly at **516.767.1234, ext. 314**.

Flowers will be for sale at the arena. Flowers may be preordered at the following link and picked up at flower booth at Graduation. <https://www.thecommencementgroup.com/southbrunswick/> Students participating in Project Graduation will meet at the High School at 9:30 pm to board the busses.

### The following items are available for purchase:

Graduation DVD (form attached)

Graduation Banners – link on High School website under *Seniors*. The deadline is June 13th. Seniors who ordered banners can pick them up in the annex gym immediately following graduation practice on June 21.

Project Graduation lawn signs are available for purchase (form attached). The deadline is June 1st.

### Graduation Schedule of Events

Friday, June 7	Senior Recognition Awards	1:00 PM	SBHS Auditorium
Wednesday, June 12	Senior Scholarship Awards	7:00 PM	SBHS Auditorium
Monday, June 24	Senior Class Picnic	10:00 AM – 1:00 PM	Roland Park
Tuesday, June 25	Graduation Rehearsal Caps and Gowns	9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	SBHS Gym
Wednesday, June 26	Graduation Line-up	9:30 AM	CURE Insurance Arena
	Graduation Ceremony	10:30 AM	CURE Insurance Arena
	Project Graduation	9:30 PM	SBHS

If you require further assistance, please contact Emanuel Caravano at extension 5218 or email him at [Emanuel.Caravano@sbschools.org](mailto:Emanuel.Caravano@sbschools.org).

We look forward to seeing all of you at graduation.

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Principal

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