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April 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian,

- Mandatory Meeting (all Seniors and Parents/Guardians), May 2, 2019 at 7:00pm
 - Mandatory Make-up Meeting, May 3, 2019 at 7:00am
- Discussion Points at the Meeting will be:
- Senior Prom Tickets Sold – May 6 – 10, 2019 ONLY during LB1/LB2 in Room C301.
 - Senior Prom – May 30, 2019 at 6:30pm (Fillmore)
 - Graduation – June 20, 2019 at 11:30am (Liacouras Center)
 - Project Graduation – June 20, 2019 from 10:00pm-5:00am, at (Cherry Hill Health & Racquet Club)

With senior year coming to a rapid close, our thoughts must now turn to the upcoming senior activities, especially the Prom and Graduation.

We have scheduled a meeting on May 2, 2019 at 7:00 pm in the HS Auditorium to discuss and review the Board of Education Policy on Commencement and ways that the staff, parents and senior students can work together to implement this policy to experience a truly great day. ***Attendance at this meeting is Mandatory. Every senior who is planning to attend the prom and/or participate in the graduation ceremony must be in attendance with a parent/guardian.*** For those families unable to attend the evening meeting, there will be a make-up meeting on May 3, 2019 at 7:00am.

The senior prom will be held on Thursday, May 30, 2019 at Fillmore in Philadelphia. In the past some students have attended pre-prom parties where alcoholic beverages were available. If pre-prom parties are held, we urge parents/guardians to be certain that these parties are properly supervised and alcoholic beverages are not available to students. A pledge form for parents/guardians, seniors and their dates to sign as a condition for attending the prom, is enclosed in the information packet handed out at the meeting. The seniors must turn in the pledge form when purchasing prom tickets.

Prom tickets are \$100.00 each and will be on sale from May 6th through May 10th during LB1 AND LB2 in Room C301 ONLY. ***No senior will be permitted to purchase a ticket or attend the prom unless both the senior and a parent/guardian attends the Mandatory meeting and signs the pledge form.***

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The commencement ceremony will be held on June 20, 2019 beginning at 11:30am at the Liacouras Center in Philadelphia. Our main objective for the Class of 2019 and their families is to provide a commencement ceremony that will be an appropriate and memorable conclusion to their years at East. The senior class, especially the class leadership, wants to have a graduation ceremony that they will be proud of for years to come and that reflects dignity and joy of the occasion. This is a day which all of us in the East community look forward to with a great deal of pride. It is an occasion that your family will remember for the rest of their lives. Consequently, it should be conducted in an atmosphere of both dignity and warmth.

We also ask for your cooperation in encouraging your son or daughter to attend our Project Graduation Party. The PTA-sponsored party is designed as a safe alternative to a post-graduation party. The hours for this party are 10:00pm until 5:00am at the Cherry Hill Health and Racquet Club on Old Cuthbert Road on Thursday evening, June 20th.

I would like to extend my best wishes for success and happiness in the future to your child, a member of the Class of 2019. I look forward to seeing you at our commencement ceremony on June 20th.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dennis Perry". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Dennis Perry, Ed. D.
Principal, Cherry Hill High School East

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