

## Friday June 12, 2020 Graduation/Procession Instructions

Graduates & Parents should arrive at Crestwood by 3:00 PM on Friday June 12<sup>th</sup> in the following sequence:

Last name begins with A – D: Arrive between 3:00 – 3:15 PM

Last name begins with E – J: Arrive between 3:15 – 3:30 PM

Last name begins with K – O: Arrive between 3:30 – 3:45 PM

Last name begins with P – Z: Arrive between 3:45 – 4:00 PM

**\*An index card with the graduate's name & a pair of gloves will be given ahead of time with the cap & gown. Please bring them the day of graduation.**

The Procession Parade will begin at approximately 4:00 – 4:15 PM. We will turn right out of Crestwood onto 309. Proceed down 309 to the light at Church Road-Turn left onto Church Road-Then left into St. Jude's parking lot-through the parking lot back out to 309 and back to Crestwood. Cars will enter the campus, continue to travel in a single file line in front of the school, serpentine through the front parking lot, then to the left of the school by the baseball field down to the field house.

- There will be two large LED display panels staged within this area so that families may watch the ceremony while proceeding in line.
- When approaching the Field House area, teachers, who will be masked and gloved, will direct the cars into two lines.
- Students will be directed by the teachers to proceed to the stage while maintaining safe social distance guidelines
- Students will stop at the bottom of the stairs and provide their name card to a teacher (who will be masked and gloved) who hands it to the announcer
- The Class Advisor/Teacher will announce the graduates name who will then proceed across the stage and pick up their own diploma, turn their tassel and pose for a picture.
- LifeTouch photographers will take a picture of every graduate receiving their diploma and provide that picture to the Graduates at no charge
- Parents and family members may take photos from the car but may not exit the vehicle.
- Graduates will then return to your car and proceed down the back road and exit the campus via South Main Road.
- Diploma's and certificates of achievement earned by the graduate will be mailed to graduate's homes.

During the Procession on 309, the ceremony itself will be streamed live on Facebook and possibly on a local radio station. Tim and Connor will be giving their speeches live at the school. Other speeches and musical numbers will be prerecorded and also shown on the video. As the names are announced and each student receives their diploma "Pomp and Circumstance" will be playing in the background.

- Your Senior Slide Show will be available on the Crestwood website shortly after graduation.
- This entire event will be posted on the Crestwood Facebook page and you will be able to watch this live as well as a recorded video in the future.

THE PARADE DOWN 309 IS OUR WAY OF PROVIDING YOU WITH A GRADUATION PROCESSION.

PER CURRENT STATE AND LOCAL REGULATIONS PEOPLE WILL NOT BE ABLE TO GATHER OR STAND TOGETHER ALONG THE ROADS.

309/South Main Road/Around the school will all be decorated. I'm sure people in your developments will also decorate. If you want to parade around your own developments or roads that will be up to each area.