

**OPRF Homecoming Dance 2021**  
**"The Main Event: Sky's the Limit!"**  
**9/25/21 -- 6:30-8:00pm**  
**and 8:30-10:00pm**



**THE DANCE WILL INCLUDE:** A HUGE STAGE WITH LIGHTING AND SOUND ALONG WITH A BIG DANCE AREA, A LOUNGE AREA, CONCESSIONS, AND GAMES! **YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS IT! GET YOUR TICKETS BEFORE THEY SELL OUT!!!**

I'm happy to announce that we are indeed planning to hold our annual Homecoming Dance this year, on Saturday, Sept. 25. We want to enable as many students as possible to participate while ensuring we keep everyone safe, so we are making several changes to our usual procedures, as follows:

1. **Instead of the Fieldhouse, the dance will take place completely outside**, in the alley area between the south end of the school building and the parking garage.
2. **The DJ stage will be set up at the west end of the space**, with the back of the stage against the fence between the Mall and the football stadium. The stage will be more compact than usual, to allow egress for emergency vehicles if needed. It will look similar to the photo above.
3. **To allow the maximum number of OPRF students to attend, the dance will be held in two shifts: 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. and 8:30 – 10:00 p.m.** Students will select a time when purchasing their tickets. Try to coordinate with your friends so you go to the same one. Tickets are limited so get your ticket now before it's sold out!!!
4. **Bathrooms will be available in the stadium.** Make sure you are dressed to be outside as there will be no building access.
5. **Because the dance is outside, masks are not required.** However, we do strongly encourage students to mask, regardless of vaccination status.
6. **To ensure that our graduating seniors have the opportunity to attend their last Homecoming**, early ticket sales for seniors only will take place beginning at 7:00 a.m. on Monday, Sept. 13, and Tuesday, Sept. 14.
7. **And finally, to ensure that any of our students who want to attend are able, we are limiting ticket sales to OPRF students only, no guests.**

**Advanced Tickets ONLY:**

- **Ticket price:** \$20 online through the link and password that will be emailed to your student email. While online purchasing is strongly recommended, cash purchases can be made in the Bookstore.
  - **Tickets go on sale for OPRF SENIORS only: Sept. 13 at 7am.** If a non-senior student purchases a ticket during this time, it will be voided and refunded and the student will need to purchase their ticket during the correct time.
  - **Tickets go on sale for OPRF JUNIORS: Sept. 14 at 3:15pm.** If a non-senior or non-junior student purchases a ticket during this time, it will be voided and refunded and the student will need to purchase their ticket during the correct time.
  - **Sales for ALL OPRF students: Sept. 15 at 7am through Sept. 22 at 11:59pm.** Tickets will *not* be available for purchase after 11:59 pm on Sept. 22.
- There will be **NO guests** allowed this year.

- **Students must purchase their ticket in advance!** No ticket sales at the door this year.
- **Tickets are limited so get yours early before they are sold out!**
- **Each student may purchase only one ticket.** Any additional tickets purchased by the same person will be voided and refunded.
- **If you are on Social Probation or quarantined, your ticket will be voided and refunded prior to Sept. 25, and you will be denied entry at the door.**
- **At the door, you will need to present your ticket for scanning (on your phone or as a printout) along with your student ID.** Each ticket will scan only one time so don't share your ticket with anyone.
- **No reentry. Once you leave the dance, you will not be able to come back in.**

#### Details:

- **Students must serve all disciplinary obligations, including detentions, by Sept. 23** to be admitted into the dance. Students will not be allowed entry nor will they get a refund if they have not met their obligations.
- **NO entry after gates close, and no refunds** for late arrivals.
  - **For the 6:30 p.m. dance:** Gates open at 6:30 p.m. and close promptly at 7:15 p.m.
  - **For the 8:30 p.m. dance:** Gates open at 8:30 p.m. and close promptly at 9:15 p.m.
- Allow enough time to park and walk to the door; no student will be admitted after gates close. Parking is limited so we suggest getting someone to drop you off or carpooling.
- Students will enter the alley from Scoville Avenue, between the parking garage and the Athletics end of the school, with their ticket and ID ready. We will scan them as you enter.
- **Students must have their current student ID with them in order to enter the dance.**
- **In the event that we have to cancel the entire dance, we will issue refunds to all ticket holders.**

#### Attire:

- **The Homecoming Dance is semi-formal OPTIONAL.** This means, you can dress up if you want or come more casually dressed this year.
- **The dance is completely outside, so please dress accordingly for the weather. We will not have a coat check this year. NO bags are allowed, small purses are fine, but may be subject to search upon entry.**
- **Students in clothing not aligned with the school dress code may be refused admission, and no refund will be issued.**

#### Behavior Expectations:

- Appropriate dancing is expected. Inappropriate dancing will result in a time out, ejection from the dance, and/or parent notification.
- Students are expected to obey the Behavior Education Plan at all school-sponsored activities on and off campus.
  - If a student is suspected of being under the influence, a parent will be called. If a parent is unreachable, the student may be released to the custody of the local police.
  - The school's drug and alcohol policy will be enforced (see student handbook).
  - Bring your best Huskie self and choose a drug and alcohol-free lifestyle—help your friends make the right choices too.