

## INFORMATION FOR GRADUATING SENIORS, FAMILIES AND GUESTS

1. Seniors will be given 8 guest tickets following rehearsal on June 20. If a senior needs additional tickets, they can either get them from other seniors not needing them or parents may email Esther Rodriguez (erodriguez1@sandi.net) before graduation day to request extra tickets, if available. A ticket allows the ticket holder to enter the stadium beginning at 2pm. Non-ticketed guests may enter at 2:45pm. Limited handicap seating is available on the track and the first row of the stadium bleachers for the guest requiring a wheelchair plus one assistant. Our stadium is ADA compliant and the first row is reserved with permanent signage. **Handicap seating is on a first come, first served basis until full.**
2. Seniors report at 1:00pm on Rehearsal Day in the Big Gym on June 20 and 1:30pm on Commencement Day, June 21. Seniors will not be allowed in the big gym until 1:30pm on Commencement Day. **Parents are not allowed to accompany their student in the gym.**
3. Cap and gown distribution will take place Monday, June 20 after graduation rehearsal at the NJROTC windows. Seniors are reminded that the collection of gowns after graduation closes at 5pm sharp (NJROTC windows). When the gown is returned, the graduate will receive a ticket to claim their diploma in the big gym after the ceremony. All debts must be cleared before receiving a diploma. PLHS will not mail diplomas. **Keep diplomas in a safe place after receiving, as San Diego Unified School District will not replace diplomas if lost, stolen, damaged etc.**
4. Seniors may not bring extra items with them to the gym on graduation day, with the exception of hand-held cameras. **Students cannot wear leis, sashes, or decorate their caps.** There will be no “check-in” service for items brought into the gym. **The gym is not locked during the graduation ceremony and PLHS is not responsible for any lost or stolen items left in the gym.**
5. The stadium entry gate on Voltaire will not be open. The entrance on the outdoor basketball court side will remain open.
6. The processional will leave the big gym no earlier than 2:45pm and proceed onto the track where they will wait until the band signals the processional with “Pomp and Circumstance”.
7. **Guests are prohibited from bringing balloons into the stadium seating area and air horns will be confiscated.**
8. **Parking will not be available to guests anywhere on the PLHS campus with the exception of handicap parking only on the basketball courts.** Handicap placards must be displayed to park on the basketball courts. Guests should allow ample time to locate parking in the neighborhood surrounding PLHS. Commencement will begin at 3pm sharp.

**Congratulations to our 91<sup>st</sup> Class of Point Loma Pointers!**