École secondaire régionale Howard S. Billings

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Dear HSB Families of the Class of 2025

We are pleased to share all the details of our upcoming Grad weekend with you!

Graduation Ceremony

Friday, May 30th, from 7:00 – 9:00 pm at the Agora on Maple Blvd.

Students are asked to arrive at school by 6:00 pm to pick up their gowns in the HSB cafeteria. We strongly suggest students not bring personal items to the ceremony (phones, purses, etc.) as the cafeteria will not be locked up securely. Gowns must be returned to the HSB cafeteria after the ceremony. Students will be charged \$80 for gowns that are not returned.

We are happy to be able to provide a free digital download by E-Motion Productions. Please visit these links to download your photos: **Ceremony**: <u>https://e-motionproductions.smugmug.com/Howard-S-Billings-graduation-ceremony-2025/n-6pCrkt</u> *We ask that you refrain from getting up to take your own photos during the ceremony.

Grand March: https://e-motionproductions.smugmug.com/Howard-S-Billings-Grand-March-2025/n-bdGxDK

Both the Ceremony & Grand March will be live streamed.

Ceremony: <u>https://vimeo.com/event/5161189</u> Grand March: <u>https://vimeo.com/event/5161194</u>

Grand March Saturday, May 31st at 1:00 pm on McLeod Street

Grads are asked to arrive by noon. The Grand March begins at 1:00 pm. It is important to note that McLeod Street will be closed from Maple Blvd. to the end of the school board property. Parking is available in the 3 parking bays in front of the school and can be accessed via Massey Drive.

Bring an umbrella! In case of light rain, Grand March will take place as usual on McLeod Street. Heavy rain? Grand March will take place in the Upper Gym. *Keep your fingers crossed that Mother Nature shines upon us!* ③

Prom

Saturday, May 31st, 7:00 - 10:30 pm. departing from the Grand Quay in Old Montreal

This is a Montreal Harbour Dinner Cruise, operated by AML Cruises. Embarkation begins at 6:00 pm and Grads are urged to take potential traffic and detours into account when calculating the driving time into the city. Arrive as early as 6:00, as late as 6:45. *The dinner cruise sets sail promptly at* 7:00 pm and waits for no one, so don't be late! Directions: <u>https://hsb.nfsb.qc.ca/classof25/</u>.

We look forward to sharing these wonderful events with you and know that you will treasure the memories!

The HSB Graduation Committee

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