

WILMOT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT



Hello Graduating Students and Families,

We are very excited to share the details of our enhanced Class of 2020 drive-up graduation and parade, which will take place on Sunday, July 26, 2020. We have worked together with the Kenosha County Health Department in order to plan this minimal risk event, and we are looking forward to celebrating with you while honoring this huge accomplishment for our seniors.

Attached is a diagram outlining the route that cars will take. Each graduating senior is allowed one vehicle, which includes the student and any spectators. Additional cars of spectators will not be permitted. If you have any extenuating circumstances regarding this, please contact us. The event will also be shared via YouTube/Social Media after graduation for friends and family to view.

Students and families are welcome to decorate their cars appropriately in celebration of their graduate. All cars should arrive at the Panther Sports Complex between 10:00 - 10:15 am to line up for our parade. Upon entering the complex, students will receive a note-card with their name on it. The parade will begin at 10:30 am. Cars will travel through town and enter the south parking lot for staging (see diagram). Any spectators of the parade should line the street safely and practice social distancing at all times.

Cars will then line up, which will be organized by the staff. We ask that students park as far to the designated side of the row as possible (rather than down the middle of the row) so that another lane can be formed if more room is needed within that row. Staff will be present throughout the parking lot/staging area to direct.

When it is your turn, your car will be led to the front of the stage. **ONLY** the student will exit their car when signaled by a staff member, and then hand their note-card to a designated staff member for their name to be read. Students will then receive their diploma case*, walk across the stage, and have their picture taken. Students will then walk along the sidewalk and then re-enter their car. We ask that all students and families refrain from shouting, honking, playing music, etc. throughout the event to ensure that all student names and announcements are heard by all in attendance. All cars will exit the parking lot, turning left onto 308th Avenue. **Reminder: The student is the only person to exit the car, and the only time they should do so is when they are walking across the stage and receiving their diploma.**

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Network Photography will be on site taking pictures of each graduate. They will post all of the images to general galleries, which can be accessed/ purchased after the ceremony at the following link: <https://networkphotography.simplephoto.com/folders/442117>

*Important Diploma Information: Due to feedback and in an attempt to streamline graduation day, diplomas will be sent via US mail beginning on Monday, July 13, 2020. Diplomas will be sent when fines and fees are paid. Please contact the High School Office to pay your fees and/or update your address. Call the office at 862-2351 or email ObertinL@wilmoth.k12.wi.us for fee questions and address updates.

Thank you for your support in honoring all of our senior students' hard work. Please remember to follow these guidelines in order to ensure efficiency and safety throughout the ceremony. We appreciate your patience and flexibility in light of the current pandemic situation and working together to make this a meaningful event for the Class of 2020.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amber Torres".

Amber Torres
WUHS Principal



Wilmot Union High School

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Wilmot Union High School Tennis Court

Graduate Staging Area

Wilmot Sport Complex

Parade Viewing

STAGE

112th St



Graduation Exit Route

