

# GRAD INFO & NEWS



## CONVOCATION

Wednesday, June 28th

Strathcona Gardens

Rod Brind'Amour Arena

Doors open at 4:00pm

Ceremony begins at 5:00pm

Please enter from the side arena doors, not the main entrance.



Tickets are on sale starting Tuesday, May 23rd from the main office.

Each grad will be given 2 complimentary tickets and may purchase up to 3 additional tickets for \$10.00 each. These tickets will be held and guaranteed for your purchase up until Friday, June 2nd. Starting Monday, June 5th, tickets not yet purchased will be open to anyone who requires additional seating. Please note that last year's ceremony did not sell out, we should be able to accommodate all requests after everyone has had a chance to pick up their guaranteed seats. Graduating students do not require a ticket for the ceremony.

Tickets are a physical ticket that will need to be purchased directly at the office. They cannot be purchased online or over the phone. We accept cash/debit/credit and cheque. Cheques should be made to Carihi Secondary School.

Floor seating is available for those that are unable to use arena stairs. Please contact [carihi.grad@sd72.bc.ca](mailto:carihi.grad@sd72.bc.ca) and let us know how many of these seats you may require as well as the last name for your seat request.

## Important Dates

Grad Lawn  
Sign Purchase by  
May 19th, 2023

Walkdown Notes due  
May 25th, 2023

Grad Night -  
Grad vs Staff  
Dodgeball  
June 1st, 2023

Prom  
June 17th, 2023

Convocation  
June 28th, 2023



## VALEDICTORIAN

Congratulations to our 2023  
Valedictorian, Donny Xu!



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## PROM

Saturday, June 17th, 2023

Doors open at 5:45pm

Event ends at 12:30am

Ticket Cost: \$20.00 Per Grad

Tickets are on sale now at the office.

Permission forms must be returned prior to the purchase of prom tickets.

Pre-Prom Promenade event with family and friends will take place at Robert Ostler Park (Foresore) from 4pm to 5:30pm. Photos will be available with Island Life Photographics.

Prom is a New York themed evening with dinner, music and lots of activities! We hope that all grads attend. If there are ANY barriers to your attendance, please speak with your Counsellor.

Please inform the office of any food allergies or dietary restrictions.

There will be seating form requests available soon.

### Prom Questions?

Contact the 2023 Carihi Grad Parent Executive: [carihi2023parent@gmail.com](mailto:carihi2023parent@gmail.com)



## Grad Walk Down Notes

Walk down notes for the grad commencement ceremony are due in by May 25th.

The walk down notes should be around 15 – 20 seconds of speaking while you cross the stage, this is equal to 3 – 4 sentences. They must be written in 3rd person and include your preferred pronoun. (i.e. Chris would like to thank his family for.....)

Please electronically submit walk down notes through this [Office Forms link](#) or by email to: [carihi.grad@sd72.bc.ca](mailto:carihi.grad@sd72.bc.ca) The office forms link can also be found on the Grad TEAMS page.

## Grad Lawn Signs



If you would like to order a lawn sign, please get your orders in by end of day, Friday, May 19th.

Orders can be made directly at the office or online at:

<https://cimsconnect.sd72.bc.ca/publicconnect/DistrictPayOnline.aspx?id1=010&id2=MISC>

Please include in the comments that the order is for a grad lawn sign and the student's name.

Signs are \$35.00 each.

