

November 18, 2022

Dear Carihi Parents,

The previous few years have impacted the way that grade twelve students could celebrate the completion of high school with their peers, friends, family and staff. This year's grad class is fortunate to have the opportunity to share and celebrate their accomplishments with others.

Our Graduation Executive and Parent Executive have been working hard to offer a special prom night on June 17th, 2023. This evening will include dinner, dancing and fun activities.

Our fundraising efforts support most of the prom in order to offer some financial reprieve for families. Our fundraising also supports a bursary, next year's grad class, and a charitable donation to the community. Previous years' graduates have donated to the Cedar School Breakfast Program and the Foundry.

As part of our fundraising efforts, we are holding a raffle each day of the month of February, 2023! We are currently collecting donations of gift cards or cash (which will be used to purchase gift cards from local businesses) that we can offer as prizes with a winner drawn daily. For businesses/individuals that sponsor a gift card, they will be promoted by having their business name listed as a sponsor of the daily prize on the raffle prize "calendar". This "calendar" of prizes will be seen by Carihi families, friends, neighbours and community members. In addition, their names will be mentioned on each raffle ticket and when the daily winners are announced. **Our deadline to receive gift card prizes is December 2, 2022.**

If you, your business, or a friend/family's business would like to support Carihi Grad 2023 with a gift certificate for a local store/restaurant/service or a cash donation please contact the fundraising committee at carihi2023parent@gmail.com.

All donations can be dropped off at the Carihi Office (Amber or Daina) **Attn: Grad Calendar Raffle**, or a parent can pick up at your convenience.

If you would like to participate in the raffle, with winners being drawn everyday for the month of February, please stay tuned for more information about raffle ticket sales which will begin January 2023.

Sincerely,

Carihi Grad Parent Executive 2023

Cc: Sean McLaughlin (Principal)
Dennis Hawkins-Bogle (Vice Principal)

