

# *Pilot Grove C-4 School*

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Dear Pilot Grove Families:

The requirements set forth by the Governor, CDC and Cooper County Public Health for Phases 1 and 2, along with social distancing requirements, do not allow the District to hold graduation in the gymnasium; therefore, the following information includes what we have put in place to honor our Senior Class of 2020:

We are pleased to inform you that we will host our graduation ceremony on Friday, June 12, 2020, at 7:30 p.m., on the baseball field (rain date will be Friday, June 26, 2020, at 7:30 p.m.). We will have our stage placed on the field and follow the appropriate distancing and social guidelines set forth by the CDC, Governor's Office, and Cooper County Public Health officials.

- Chairs will be placed in rows the appropriate distance from one another.
- As in the past, seats will be determined by a lottery drawing and marked accordingly.
- Each row will have 10 chairs (one for the senior and nine for family members). These are non-transferable and cannot be shared with other students or families.
- Families will be seated in groups prior to the ceremony.
- Additional family members who choose to attend will be seated in the bleachers observing social distancing requirements of 6 feet separation.
- Students will enter the field single-file during the processional.
- Seniors will sit with their families and be called up to the stage to receive their diploma.
- As our guests will not be permitted to leave their seats, we will have an official photographer to take students' formal diploma picture.
- Copies of the program will be placed in individual rows or chairs.
- Senior flowers will be placed with the appropriate row of chairs and may be distributed only among those seated with the senior in their row.
- We plan to livestream via our Facebook Page and/or YouTube (more details will be shared closer to the event).

We hope to make this a memorable celebration, but we realize this is not our traditional graduation ceremony. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation as we honor our Seniors. Congratulations to the Class of 2020!

*"Where Tigers Grow"*