



**8TH GRADE PARENT
GRADUATION AND END OF
YEAR ACTIVITIES MEETING**

**Prairie Hills Junior High School
Kennell L. Smith, Principal**

8th Grade Graduation Activities

- The graduation ceremony is held to recognize those students who have earned a diploma by successfully completing the required course of study, satisfying district standards, and passing any required assessments. Prairie-Hills School District #144 believes that these students deserve a public celebration that recognizes the significance of their achievement and encourages them to continue the pursuit of learning throughout their lives.

8th Grade Graduation Activities

- The end of year activities are afforded to those students who consistently adhere to the student code of conduct. On-going disruptive or disorderly behavior will result in exclusion from end-of-year activities.

8th Grade Graduation Expectations

- Each student has received an academic and behavior contract. Monies will not be accepted until both contracts are signed.
- Exclusion from end-of-year activities will be progressive and depend on the severity of the consequence.

Graduation Picture Dates

Friday-
December 10th

Friday-January
28th (retakes)

8th Grade Graduation Activities

Ribbon Pinning Ceremony (3 tickets per student)

- *Thursday, May 5th (PHJH Gymnasium) @ 6:00 p.m.*

8th Grade Trip

- *Thursday-May 12th, 2022 ([WHIRLYBALL & LASER TAG, Bowling](#))*

Dinner Dance

- *Thursday-May 19th, 2022(Odyssey Country Club) @ 6:00 p.m.*

Graduation Ceremony (4 tickets per student)

- *Thursday-May 26th, 2022 (Tinley Park Convention Center) @ 6:30 p.m.*

8th Grade Activity Fee Payment Schedule

Payment	Due Date:	Amount:
1 st Payment	Thursday, November 4th	\$60.00
2 nd Payment	Friday, December 3rd	\$60.00
3 rd Payment	Friday, February 4th	\$60.00
4 th Payment	Friday, March 4th	\$60.00
		Total=\$240.00

All forms of payment must be in cash, money order or credit/debit via Pushcoin.

Graduation Ceremony Fees:

Wednesday-May 26th

Cap, Gown & Tassel

Diploma Cover

Diploma

Graduate Ribbons

Autograph Book

Tinley Park Convention Center rental

Student Picture receiving diploma

8th Grade Graduate T-shirt

Lawn Sign

Total= \$145.00

8th Grade Trip:

Thursday, May 12th

Whirlyball-Chicago

(Whirlyball, bowling, Laser Tag, buffet lunch,
& transportation included in price)

Total=\$50.00

8th Grade Dinner Dance

Thursday-May 19th

Odyssey Country Club

Total=\$45.00

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Alternate Graduation Ceremony

- Tuesday May 31st, -5:00 p.m. (PHJH Cafetorium)
- Less than 200 points and/or excessive fighting, gang related activity, innapropriate social media usage, bullying, etc.,

Questions

