Practice Sessions

1. **Baccalaureate Practice** - Friday, May 20th from 2:00 – 3:00 pm at Central Baptist Church, 829 High Street. All seniors bring cap and shoes to practice!! *(Baccalaureate is an optional event.)*

2. **Graduation Practice** – Thursday, May 26, 12:30 - 3:30 in Earl E. Redwine Gymnasium. Graduation practice is a mandatory event in order to participate in graduation.

Closing Exercises

1. **Alumni Banquet** - Saturday, May 14th at 6:30 PM in the FAC cafeteria. Seniors will assemble in the auditorium at 6:00 PM. **Boys wear coats and ties, and girls a nice dress or pantsuit.** Seniors are guests of the Paris High School Alumni Association at this dinner and will not require a ticket. Your parents are invited but must purchase a ticket at Hinton -Turner Funeral Home or at Paris High School. Ticket cost $12.

2. **Baccalaureate Services** *(This is an optional event.)* - Sunday, May 22nd at 8:00 PM at Central Baptist Church on High Street. Seniors will assemble in the church basement at 7:30 PM. **Caps and gowns are required.** Girls wear light colored dresses and white or nude shoes. Boys wear white shirts, dark ties, dark pants, dark shoes and socks.

3. **Academic Honors Ceremony** – May 24 at 6:00 p.m. in the Siwicki Center for Fine Arts Auditorium. **Bring caps and gowns.** Girls wear white shoes and light colored dresses. Boys wear white shirts, dark ties, and dark shoes and socks. You will take a senior photo at 5:30 p.m., before the ceremony begins. If you are not prepared with proper attire, you will not be in the photo for the paper, website and yearbook. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

4. **Commencement Exercises (Graduation)** – May 26 at 7:00 PM in Earl E. Redwine Gymnasium. *(This date is subject to change if school is cancelled due to severe weather, illness, etc.)* Seniors assemble in the cafeteria at 6:30 PM. **Caps and gowns are required.** Girls wear light colored dresses and white or nude shoes. Boys wear white shirts, dark pants, dark ties, dark shoes and socks.

Other Important Information:

1. Reserved seat passes for Commencement Exercises will be given to seniors during graduation practice. Mrs. Ogden will pass out 4 tickets per senior at this time. Those individuals holding tickets will sit in the chairs on the floor. All other guests without a ticket will be required to sit in the bleachers.

2. Prom Grand March will be held at the Siwicki Center for the Arts on April 30, 2016 at 8:00 PM, seniors must arrive by 7:30 PM. Grand March rehearsal will be held on April 29th, time to be announced. The dance will be held at Oasis in Paris following the Grand March. Ticket cost is $50 per person. Please check with Mrs. Allen if you have questions about debt, attendance or behavior requirements for Prom.

3. Mrs. Allen is collecting baby pictures for a video to show during prom and graduation.

4. Senior trip is May 11-13, 2016. (Balance must be paid in full by April 15, 2016.)

**Graduation Ceremony Participation Policy:**
Any student who has not completed the credits required for graduation before the actual graduation date will not be allowed to participate in the ceremony. Other requirements include the following: all school debt must be paid in full; school equipment and uniforms must be returned; library books and textbooks must all be returned.