

Stafford High School
The Commencement

Saturday, June 12, 2021
9:00 a.m.

Ken Hall Stadium
3333 Hurricane Lane
Missouri City, Texas

The 2021 Commencement Exercises of
Stafford High School

Welcome.....	Mr. Raymond Root, Principal
Posting of the Colors.....	Stafford High School JROTC
Pledge of Allegiance.....	Lt. Col. Kim Dinh, Commander Stafford JROTC
Texas Pledge	Lt. Col. Kim Dinh, Commander Stafford JROTC
National Anthem	The Star-Spangled Banner Tiana Richardson
Invocation	Haley Young, Senior Class President
Invocación	Jacqueline Soto, National Honor Society Secretary
Introduction of Guests	Dr. Robert Bostic Superintendent of Schools
Final Thoughts for Graduates.....	Mr. Raymond Root, Principal
Salutatorian Address	Sally Huang Salutatorian, Class of 2021
Valedictorian Address.....	Leonardo Hernandez Tienda Valedictorian, Class of 2021
Presentation of Class of 2021.....	Mr. Raymond Root, Principal
Acceptance of Class of 2021	Dr. Robert Bostic Superintendent of Schools
Presentation of Diplomas.....	SMSD Board of Trustees
Presentation of the Lambda Staff.....	Karmen Lara, Student Council President Class of 2021
Closing Remarks.....	Karmen Lara, Student Council President Class of 2021
Benediction	Christina Velasquez, Senior Class Vice President
Benedición	Kasey Riascos, Student Council Treasurer
Alma Mater and Recessional	Stafford High School Band

Class of 2021

ABRAHAM, ABIYA RACHEL**
ACEVES, ANDREA ARIEL
AGGISON, LA'VIEN KWAME
AGUDELO, DENISE AMARIS
AGUILAR, DOUGLAS
AGUILAR, VICTORIA ISABELLA
AMADY-SYD, STEPHANIE NNEKA***^
AMAKO, ANTHONY
ANDERSON-HALL, KELSEY
ANYANWU, ASHLEY IFUNAAYA*^
ARIAS, JULIO ALEJANDRO
ARREOLA FRIAS, MARIA
ARRIAGA, FRIDA AZENET
AVELLANEDA, ELISEO
AVELLANEDA, KEVIN
BASORIA, JAMES DENNIS
BILLY, NIYONGERE
BLACKMON, JAMISHA
BLAZE, TYRAN XAVIER
BOBS, ALEXANDRIA
BONILLA, EDGAR JAVIER
BOROWSKI, LIAM CHRISTIAN
BRATTON, OLIVIA JANAI
BREAUX, CHASE CHRISTOPHER
BROADNAX, ASHANTI AALIYAH
BROOKS, ROYCE JEVON
BRYANT, ZACHARY LEE
BUENTELLO, ALEXIS CHRISTINE
BURMAN, BRANDON
CADENA, MARIELY
CALAGON, ISAIAH CLIFFORD
CALISTER, KYLA ELIZABETH
CARDENAS, EMILY CARDENAS
CARRIER, SEBASTIAN LE KEITH
CARRIER, SKYLAR QUINTICE
CARTER, MAKAYLA ANN
CHAVEZ, ANGELA
CLARK, BRIANA CAMRYN**:
COLEMAN, AMAIJA MEKOHL
COLLINS, TRINITY SHANAY
CONWAY, NYLA MICHELLE*
COOPER, KOBE VER SHAUN
DAGRELLA, MAYA GRACE
DANG, ANNIE TRAN***:^^
DANIEL, MIA HOPE
DAVILA, ALEXIS ANN MARIE
DAVIS, CHRISTIAN MICHAEL
DE LA CRUZ, ARIANA
DELGADO, MARIAH VIANEY
DELL THOMPSON, SHANE
DIAZ, MELANIE
DINH, KIM HOANG**:^
DINH, PHILYNN NGOC***:^^
DIXON, DEANDRE JOVAN
DIXON, DONOVAN MICAH
DOMAN, ASHTON CHRISTOPHER
DORRAN, KOREY WANYA'
DUARTE, SHEYLA LUCY
DWARKANAOUTH, RAJANAND
EALEY-ROBINSON, AALIYAH
EDWARDS, ROOSEVELT
ESPITIA, JAIME
ESPITIA, JIMENA
FERGUSON, KINLEY MARJON

FERRELL, ASHLEE RAYNE
FISHER-AFOLABI, PRAISE
FITWI, ADONIS
FLORES, GIOVANNI ALEXI
FLORES, JIMMY
FLORES, MARTIN
FOBBS, HILLARY GABRIELLE
FONTENOT, KEV'NAYAH AZIREA
FREGIA, CHRISTIAN ADAM
FROHM, BIANCA RYNISHA
FRY, TRINITY QUEEN^
GALVAN, ALAN EDUARDO
GARCIA, BRAYLON KEITH
GILMORE, DEANNA CHRISTINE**^
GOMEZ, STEPHANIE GISSELE
GONZALEZ, HALEY MARIE
GREEN, PHILLIP WENDELL
GREGORIO, JAIR***
GUERRERO DE ANDA, JOS *
HART, LAUREN JADA
HENRIQUEZ, EMMA MARIE
HENRY, DORIAN JACOB
HERNANDEZ, AXEL YAHIR
HERNANDEZ, VICTOR ANDRES
HERNANDEZ AGUILAR, ABRIL
HERNANDEZ TIENDA, LEONARDO*****^<
HINES, C'DAE RENAE
HINOJOSA, NICOLAS EDUARDO
HUANG, QI QI *
HUANG, SALLY**** :^^
HUGHES, CHRISTOPHER *^
HUGHES, DERRICK LEE
HUNTER, BROOKLYN STORM
IDIKU, EYINYA CONFIDENCE
IYALLA, XAVIER IBIM ISREAL
JAMES, JAIDYN KELLISE**:^<
JENKINS, KEIANA SHANAE
JIMENEZ, JACOB ANTHONY
JOHNSON, MELVIN ALEX
JOHNSON, TRESA KENNETTE
KIZZEE, KYERA MONQUIE
KOLSAWALA, ARMAAN HASAN****^
KORUTHU, ATHUL T
LAFLEUR, JAKAYLA RENEE
LAMPLEY, CAMERON ISAIAH
LAMPLEY, LONDON ELIJAH
LANE, MARCUS O
LARA, KARMEN ATALAYAH*:@:
LI, ANGELA
LLANES, JACOB ANDREW
LLORENS, ISAIAH ALEXANDER
LOPEZ, ENRIQUE
LOPEZ CHAVEZ, ANGELITA
LOPEZ-BROWN, CHRISTOPHER :
LUCIO, DIASY ANGELICA
MACIEL, DIANA EPIGMENTIA
MACK, CALEB JADEN
MADISON, GILLIAN MAEDEAN
MALDONADO, PEDRO
MANNING, GRADY BARNARD
MARROQUIN, CHRISTY LEE
MARTINEZ, BRYAN ALEXANDER
MARTINEZ, THOMAS
MARTZ, MALACHI JOSIAH

MATHEW, AARON
MATTHEWS, INDIA MARLICE
MCAVOY, BRANDON ROBERT
MCDANIEL, KYNDALL DA'JAYE
MCDONALD, AMAURI RASHAAD
MCIVER, MICAH JAMAL
MCKENZIE, ASIA YVONNE
MEDINA, KEVIN
MEDRANO, JUAN CARLOS
MEJIA, NICOLAS DANIEL*
MEJORADO, JAELYN JESSICA
MELGARES, JOSE RENE
MENDEZ, NANCY DANIELA
MICHAEL, SURAFEL GIRMAY
MILLON, JA'COBY JOHN
MIXON, LARRY MARQUAIL
MOLINA, GABRIEL ALEXANDER
MORALES FLORES, JAIRO
MORENO, DANILO ANTONIO
MORENO, VALLERY
MORRIS, ZAQUOYA UNGANEE
MUNOZ, AGUSTIN DIEGO
NAWIINI, RICHARD MONONO
NELSON, MAQUIZ JAMOND
NGUYEN, QUANG TRAN*
NGUYEN, TONY HOANG*:
NKOSI, NIARA AMEL
NOVAK, JOHNATHAN EDWARD
NWAMEME, GINIKACHI DESTINY
OKRAY, SIR JAMES MILTON
OLEA, ISMAEL
OLIVA ARTEAGA, CITLALY
OMOKARO, JORDAN OSAHON
O'NEAL, BRIANNA ABIGALE@
ONUH, JOSHUA NNADOZIE
ORELLANA, DANNY FENDERH
OROZCO ARRIAGA, BRIAN
ORTEGA, CHRISTIAN CEASAR
OWENS, JAYDNE DIANTE
OWENS-MASSAQUOI, DARREN
PACQUETTE, DE'AUNTE
PALUSTRE, JON PERCY
PAREDES HERNANDEZ, PERLA:
PASTOR, DENICHA TERESA
PATT, TREVIN RASHARD
PAUL, SAMANTHA KARINA
PAYNE, TIMMIRA MECHELLE
PENA SUAZO, ETHAN NOEL
PETE, CORTNEE ANN**^
PHAM, JUSTIN KIM***
PICKAREE, CHRISTOPHER
PICKETT, JADEN GREGORY
PORTER, MICHAEL RAY*
PRESLEY, DAYLAN DESHAUN
RAMIREZ, EMILEE JISSEL
RAMIREZ, JEANETTA
RAMIREZ, YADIRAH
RAMIREZ JASSO, DENISSE*
RAMIRO NOGUERA, ROMEL
RAMOS, CHRISTOPHER JASON
RAMOS, LETICIA
RAMOS, PAULINA R
REESE, JOSHUA DAMONT
REYES, ELIZABETH NICOLE
REYNOSO MEJIA, JOSUE
RIASCOS, KASEY ARIANA@

RICHARDSON, BRIANNA NICOLE
RIOS, ERIK JOSEPH
RIVAS, NATALY BRIAN**^
ROBERTS, KALEB JAE
RODNEY, KYLE NICHOLAS
RODRIGUEZ, CARLOS DANIEL
RODRIGUEZ GUERRA, NAYARE
RODRIGUEZ PAGOAGA, ABRAHAM ^
ROJAS, VALERIA
ROUSELL, ASIA KIARA
RUIZ, GISELLE VALENCIA
RUIZ, JOSHUA KENNETH
RUIZ, MARSHAL PHILIP
RUSSELL, ERIC BERNARD
SAAVEDRA, JESSICA
SANTOS, ALONDRA TAINA
SAZEDJ, ZACHARY ZIA
SCOTT, DEDRICK DEANTHONY
SCOTT, LEONARD KOREDE
SIMON, GERIMIAH SHAMAR
SIMPSON, ALONZO GLEN
SMITH, DOMINIQUE KEON
SMITH, TY'REION TERRA'NISHA
SOBREVILLA, ALEJANDRO
SOTO, JACQUELYN *^^
SOTO, VLADIMIR ANTONIO
STEWART, KENNETH WAYNE
SWOOPE, MYRONICA AUNDREA
TARBLE, NEHEMIAH JOSHUA
TARBLE, PRISCILLA EBONY**<
TAYLOR, KEIANA LASHAY
TAYLOR, XEN RAINE
TEKIE, THOMAS DANIEL
THOMPSON MAMOU, DE'JA
THRESHER, MELIZABETH
TIMOTHY, WILLIAM DEMETRIUS
TOLIVER, AMAYA JANET
TORRES, TRISTAN SANTIAGO
TOVAR, MICHAEL ELIJAH
TRAN, JOHN HOANG
TRUJILLO, SAMANTHA
TRUJILLO PEINADO, JOCELYN
TURNER, BRE'ANA MONET
VALLEJO, JUSTIN TYLER
VARGAS, LEONEL
VELASQUEZ, CHRISTINA
VELAZQUEZ, JOSE-JUAN
VILLATORO, CALEB JONATHAN
WALKER, JADEN WHITMAN
WALKER, MODESTEE RENEE
WHITAKER, DAMEER AASHIR
WILLIAMS, ASHLEY YAMONE
WILLIAMS, CHURCHILL
WILLIAMS, JAKAYLAH SHORDAE
WILLIAMS, LOGAN ALEXANDRA
WILLIAMS-BALMACEDA, ARIANNA
WILSON, MYA MORGAN
WRIGHT, CHRISTOPHER
YAT FERNANDEZ, AARON ISAIAS
YAT FERNANDEZ, PRISCILA
YEMANE, LUNA NATAY<
YOUNG, HALEY REYNNE@
ZAMORA, SAVANNAH PAIGE

Stafford Municipal School District Honors

Valedictorian ***** (Gold Stole/Medal)

Salutatorian ***** (Gold Stole/Medal)

Summa Cum Laude *** (Gold Stole)

Magna Cum Laude ** (Red/Gold Cord)

Cum Laude * (Gold Cord)

Denotes Stafford Scholar Recognition
(White Cord)

^ Denotes National Honor Society
(Gold Cord)

^^ Denotes National Honor Society Officers
(Blue/Gold Cord)

~ Denotes National Technical Honor Society
(Purple/Gray Cord)

< Denotes Science National Honor Society
(Purple/Green/Yellow Cord)

: Denotes National Art Honor Society
(Rainbow Cord)

@ Denotes Student Council Officers
(Black/Gold Cord)

The Lambda Staff

From early civilization until today, the shepherd's staff or mace has been a symbol of the elders or wise ones of a group. It symbolizes strength and protection. It signifies leadership and power. The senior class has the position of leadership in the student body, and the Stafford High School seniors are the custodians of the Lambda Staff. Lambda is their symbol. It stands for Laconia which was the capital of Sparta and the home of the elders. The Class of 2021 will now pass the Lambda Staff to the President of the Student Body and the academic seniors of the Class of 2022.

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Stafford High School's Alma Mater

Spartans forever.

With pride we sing your name,

Song of courage, honor, spirit,

Song of victory, song of fame.

Red and gold, our colors, will wave proudly in the sky.

Stafford School so strong, so true.

Alma mater, hail to you.

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