

# Marshall High School



## SENIOR NEWSLETTER

"Opportunity dances with those who are already on the dance floor."--- Jackson Browne

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

#### HONOR CORDS & NHS STOLES AVAILABLE

Thursday, April 30, 2026

#### SENIOR DECISION DAY-AUDITORIUM THEN LUNCH

Thursday, May 14, 2025 | 10:00 a.m.

#### SENIOR RECOGNITION NIGHT

Thursday, May 14, 2025 | 7:00 p.m.

#### SENIOR CHROMEBOOK RETURN

Tuesday, May 19, 2026 & Wednesday, May 20, 2026

#### SENIORS' LAST DAY

Wednesday, May 20, 2026

#### SENIOR EXAMS

Thursday, May 21, 2026 & Friday, May 22, 2026

#### SENIOR CLASS NIGHT

Friday, May 22, 2026 | 7:00 p.m.

#### SENIOR GRAD BASH

Friday, May 22, 2026 | Following Class Night

#### SENIOR CHECK OUT & BBQ - MHS CAFÉ

Wednesday, May 27, 2026 | 11:00 a.m.

#### SENIOR PARADE IN ALBION

Wednesday, May 27, 2026 | after check out & BBQ

#### SENIOR REHEARSAL

Wednesday, May 27, 2026 | after Senior Parade

#### BACCALAUREATE - ALBION

Wednesday, May 27, 2026 | 6:00 p.m.

### YEARBOOK: SENIOR PICTURE

Deadline: Friday, March 27, 2026.

### Senior Recognition Ads

Create a custom ad for your student in the yearbook. SENIOR ADS are a great way to give your child the special recognition they deserve. The advertisements are in full color.

#### WE OFFER FOUR OPTIONS:

1. 1/8 page | \$65
2. 1/4 page | \$105
3. 1/2 page | \$165
4. Full page | \$285

**DEADLINE: April 10, 2026.** Space is limited, so get your AD in right away. You can design and pay for your AD on line at [www.JostensADServices.com](http://www.JostensADServices.com).

### GRADUATING with HONORS

The list for seniors graduating with honors is posted on the windows of the counseling office.

HIGHEST HONORS | GOLD CORD  
HIGH HONORS | SILVER CORD  
HONORS | BRONZE CORD

Honor cords will be available for purchase in the main office starting Monday, April 27, 2026. All cords are \$10. If you pay by check, please make the check payable to Marshall High School (MHS)  
**Checks will no longer be accepted after May 11, 2026.**

### NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

National Honor Society (NHS) white stoles will be available to purchase in the office starting April 27. The stole may be purchased for \$25 or borrowed for \$10. All borrowed stoles need to be returned following the graduation ceremony. If you pay with a

SENIOR PARADE - MARSHALL

Thursday, May 28, 2026 | 5:00 p.m.

COMMENCEMENT

Thursday, May 28, 2026 | 6:00 p.m.

check, please make the check payable to Marshall High School (MHS). **Checks will no longer be accepted after May 11, 2026.**

**Questions** regarding NHS, please contact our NHS advisor, Mrs. Chloe Klingaman. [cklingaman@marshallpublicschools.org](mailto:cklingaman@marshallpublicschools.org)

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"Persistence is the most powerful force on earth, it can move mountains."

Albert Einstein

### Class Night

Class night will held in the high school auditorium on Friday, May 22, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. Participation is voluntary, however, the majority of SENIORS are involved. Strict adherence to school rules is demanded of all SENIORS involved during CLASS NIGHT and all rehearsals.

**ADMISSION** by ticket SALES ONLY.

Tickets \$10 | AVAILABLE at REHEARSALS  
SOLD TO SENIORS FIRST

Remaining tickets will go on sale to the underclassmen and the general public on a first-come, first-served basis at 7:20 a.m. on Thursday, May 21, 2026 in Room 222-Nowak. Then, tickets available at the DOOR. Money collected helps defray production costs and various other graduation activities.

### Advisor Contacts for SENIORS:

Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Krueger

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### AUDITIONS:

Please contact Mrs. Smith if you are interested.

**"Success is loving life and daring to live it." - Maya Angelou**

### SENIOR CHECK OUT:

Check out will take place in the Marshall High School auditorium lobby on Wednesday, May 27, 2026 at 11:00 a.m.

### COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING BEFORE CHECK OUT:

1. All work, as agreed upon with your teachers, must be turned in.
2. Books and Chromebooks must be handed in.
3. All FINES must be paid. Checks will no longer be accepted after May 11, 2026.

### BRING THE FOLLOWING:

1. Senior check out form.
2. Money (CASH ONLY) to pay any fees owed to the school. Please try to pay all fees BEFORE check out.

If all academic and financial standings are in good order, SENIORS will receive their CAP & GOWN.

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Moni Downs at 269-781-1252 option 0.

### BBQ & MANDATORY REHEARSAL

The BBQ will take place at MHS-Cafe. Once check out is complete, a bus will transport the SENIORS to Albion for the PARADE. The SENIOR parade will begin

Students please listen to morning announcements for all Class Night updates.

shortly after arrival. Following the parade, SENIORS will be transported back to Marshall High School for their mandatory rehearsal. All SENIORS MUST attend.

## Special Programs

### SENIOR RECOGNITION NIGHT

May 14, 2026 | 7:00 p.m

Students being recognized will receive a letter in the mail.

The program will be held in the high school auditorium.

Family, friends, students, and the general public are

invited to attend. Questions, please contact Kim Robson.

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## BACCALAUREATE

May 27, 2026 | 6:00 p.m.

The BACCALAUREATE will be held in Albion. Location to be determined. BACCALAUREATE is voluntary. All seniors who attend must wear their cap and gown. Students, family, and friends are invited to attend.

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## CLASS OF 2026

Thursday, May 28, 2026

**Parade:** starts at 5:00 p.m. Arrive at Marshall Middle School by 4:30 p.m. CAP & GOWN must be worn. The parade will begin at the Marshall Middle School and proceed down Green Street to S. Grand, Michigan Ave., and S. Madison, ending at Marshall Middle School. SENIORS will then report to Marshall High School for Commencement. If inclement weather, the parade will be cancelled.

**COMMENCEMENT:** starts at 6:00 p.m. Arrive at Marshall High School by 5:45 p.m. Commencement will be held on the athletic field, weather permitting. CAP & GOWN must be worn.

**INCLEMENT WEATHER:** Commencement will be held in the gymnasium. Seating is limited, therefore, each SENIOR will be allotted 9 tickets. Tickets will be given to the SENIORS at CHECK OUT. Lost tickets will not be replaced. CAP & GOWN must be worn.

**DRESS CODE:** We ask that all SENIORS wear appropriate

## GRADUATION DAY!

### Diplomas

**Following COMMENCEMENT:** Proceed to the cafeteria to pick up your diploma and awards. If you borrowed an NHS stole, you will need to turn it in before receiving your diploma.

**"When one door closes, another opens; but we often look so long and so regretfully upon the closed door that we do not see the one which has opened for us."  
Alexander Graham Bell**

### Contact Information

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graduation attire.

-Marshall High School CAP & GOWN.

-Men, a collared shirt and dress pants is preferred.

-Women, a dress or blouse with a skirt or dress pants is recommended.

-Footwear must be worn.

The **COMMENCEMENT** ceremony is a school activity, therefore, all school policies apply. Should a SENIOR report for Commencement under the influence of alcohol or an illegal substance, the individual will not be allowed to participate in the ceremony.

**CAMERAS:** Feel free to take pictures and video, but please stay in your seat. Do not come on the field to take pictures.

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