

## **DANCE RULES AND REGULATIONS**

1. Students will not be allowed to "hang out" in the parking lot. When students arrive they will proceed immediately to the dance.
2. While in attendance at the dance the students and guests will conduct themselves as ladies and gentlemen. All rules in the student handbook will be in effect.
3. Students leaving the dance will not be allowed to return. Students must proceed immediately to their mode of transportation and leave the school property.
4. If a student is planning on bringing a guest to the dance the guest must be registered in the principal 's office at least one week (seven days) prior to the dance. Students should provide, name, address, age, and name of school where guest attends. Guests will be screened and may or may not be allowed to attend. Students inviting a guest will be responsible for their guest's behavior while on school property and attendance at the dance. If a problem occurs, the student and their guest could be barred from future dances. More severe problems will be handled as per student handbook. One guest may be invited per Bethel High School student.
5. No refreshments of any kind will be brought into the dance. Refreshments will be provided or sold at the dance.
6. Smoking areas will not be provided at the dance. (No smoking or vaping)
7. All students must be enrolled in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) and be in good standing (not under any discipline action such as suspension).
8. Guests must be enrolled in the ninth through twelfth grade, high school graduate 21 years of age and under, or be the spouse of a Bethel student.
9. The dance sponsoring organization will provide the superintendent a list of school staff sponsors, adult parent sponsors, and qualified security sponsors. Each dance size and location will determine the total number of sponsors, but at least two qualified security sponsors will be required.

**LEGAL NOTE: Enumerated item 4 could be subject to legal challenge if decisions are made in an arbitrary and capricious manner as to who can attend. Recommend removal of screening process.**