

# SENIOR CLASS NEWSLETTER

February 2024

The word "FEBRUARY" is written in a bubbly, pink, hand-drawn style font. There are small heart shapes above the 'F' and the 'Y'.

I hope each of you are excited to have begun your last semester of high school! Time will FLY, so it is crucial that you stay up to date with all of the deadlines.

Please check the senior class website, eCLASS, and ParentSquare frequently as the spring semester brings about many moving parts, and things change often!

## Upcoming Events

- February 12: Scholastic Images on Campus (during all lunches)
- February 15 - 19: Teacher/Student
- **February 29: LAST DAY to pay Senior Dues at \$185**
- March 2: Career Expo, Peachtree Ridge HS, 10:00-12:00
- March 7: ASVAB for Juniors and Seniors

## Senior Dues

Senior dues are \$185.00 for the Class of 2024. The senior dues cover your cap, gown, tassel, LHS Class of 2024 t-shirt, senior gift, senior activities, diploma cover, diploma, yard sign, arena rental and associated fees.

Visit the Scholastic Images website to pay for your senior dues. It is in the best interest of the student to have their senior dues paid as soon as possible, but **no later than March 1st** to avoid another late fee.

*For more information:*  
Visit the [eCLASS page](#) or [Senior Class News website](#).

# Scholastic Images Updates

CONGRATULATIONS Lanier CLASS OF 2024! We cannot believe how quickly 1st semester went by and before you know it, you will be walking across the stage at graduation! Make sure everyone knows how hard you have worked to achieve one of the best moments of your life and announce your graduation with class.

Not only will your announcements have your official school crest, but they will also be personalized with your name in the text just like collegiate announcements. We created packages to make ordering even easier, but you can always add more to them, so no one is left out! Orders will ship directly to your house and you will receive tracking information once the order ships out. See the attached flyer to pick which package is best for you and order as soon as possible!

Scan the QR Code on the Attached Flyer OR Click Below to order your Official **Lanier** Graduation Announcements, so don't wait!

**<https://tinyurl.com/lanierann>**

We are so proud of you and honored to celebrate this milestone with you!

Congratulations Class of 2024 Graduate!

# LANIER HIGH SCHOOL



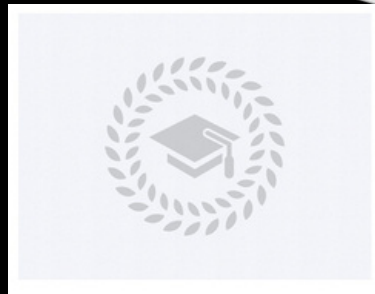
Now's the time to order your graduation  
announcement package!

## Return Address Labels



## Envelope Seals

## Tissue Inserts



## Thank You Notes



## BETTER TOGETHER



Our packages include everything you need to  
announce your achievement with quality and style!

	PACK 1	PACK 2	PACK 3
	\$69.00	\$99.00	\$179.00
Personalized Announcements	10	20	40
Tissue Inserts	25	25	50
Thank You Notes	25	25	50
Envelope Seals	25	25	50
Return Address Labels	60	60	60

# Scholastic Images

Scholastic Images will be on campus at Lanier, so don't miss out on placing your orders for:

- **Seniors, make sure to order your Cap & Gown package ASAP!**
  - Payment required in full at time of order. (Cash, Check, or Card with \$4.95 processing fee)
- **Letter Jacket Orders for any student who has earned a letter!**
  - Bring proof that you earned your letter (actual award letter or certificate) and a \$100 deposit to get the order started!
  - We'll custom size you and walk you through the rest!
- **Class Ring Orders for any junior or senior!**
  - Bring payment in full for the Mascot Ring Special (\$332.95)!
  - Bring \$100 deposit for Ultrium metal or \$200 deposit for all other metals!
  - We'll custom size you and walk you through the rest!

You can also order anytime online at [www.scholasticimages.com](http://www.scholasticimages.com) or over the phone at (770) 614-9353! We can't wait to Celebrate Your Most Meaningful Moments!

## Scholastic Images Days on Campus

~~Monday, September 11th~~

~~Monday, October 16th~~

~~Monday, November 13th~~

~~Monday, December 11th~~

~~Monday, January 8th~~

~~Monday, February 12th~~

~~Monday, March 11th~~

Friday, April 19th (Cap and gown delivery only)

Monday, May 6th

**Please click on the  
custom marketing piece  
to the right for more  
information regarding  
Scholastic Images!**



**CELEBRATING LIFE'S MOST MEANINGFUL MOMENTS**

**LANIER HIGH SCHOOL**

**SCHOLASTIC IMAGES 30 YEARS 1993/2023**

- LETTER JACKETS
- CLASS RINGS
- CLASS JERSEYS
- CAP & GOWNS
- GRADUATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**2023-2024**

**ORDER DAYS DURING LUNCH**

Monday, September 11th  
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# Scholarship Opportunities



Scholarships are an excellent opportunity for students to offset the cost of attending postsecondary school. When we are informed of scholarships, this information is posted for students on the Lanier HS Counseling eCLASS page, [here](#).



The Gwinnett County Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. is offering a scholarship with applications due on February 2nd. Please read more information [here](#).



The Rho Beta Sigma Chapter of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. is offering scholarships to high school select male seniors. The scholarship information and application can be found on the county's [foundation website](#). It is due on March 29.



The Derrick Brown Scholarship encourages young students to follow their dreams, serve as community leaders and seek educational advancement. The scholarships are awarded in the amount of \$5,000 and [the application](#) is due on April 18.

# SENIOR WEEK

**APRIL 15-19, 2024**

**MON  
15**

## **FASHION DISASTER DAY**

Wear your best mismatched clothes and break all fashion rules!

## **WALKING YEARBOOK**

Wear a white t-shirt and bring your favorite Sharpie. Let your classmates sign your shirt!

**TUES  
16**

**WED  
17**

## **WILD WEST WEDNESDAY**

Wear your best Western gear! Put on your boots and denim.

## **SENIOR DECISION DAY & BREAKFAST**

Enjoy our senior breakfast and share your postsecondary decision by wearing a shirt showing your plans!

**THUR  
18**

**FRI  
19**

## **SENIORITIS FRIDAY**

Wear a pair of school-appropriate pajamas to school!



# LHS Senior Letters



**SENIOR LETTERS ARE DUE APRIL 10, 2024**

## **What are they?**

Senior letters are positive sentiments for graduating seniors congratulating them on their accomplishments and wishing them luck in their next chapter.

## **Where can I submit one?**

Letters can be turned into the box located in the front office or mailed to the school. Emailed letters will not be accepted. Be sure to write the student's **legal** first and last name.

**Student First & Last Name  
Attn: Senior Class Sponsor  
918 Buford Hwy.  
Sugar Hill, GA 30518**

## **When are they due?**

Senior letters must be turned in by **April 10th** and will be distributed to students during their senior breakfast on April 18, 2024.

## **What can I include?**

Letters written on paper or stationary cards are the most common types, and will be the **only** letters accepted. All stationary cards and letters **MUST** fit into a standard 10x13 envelope.

Please do not send items such as money, gift cards, gifts, or scrapbooks. If these are gifts you wish you send to a student, please send them directly to their home address. **These items will be refused.**

# GRADUATION ATTIRE STYLE GUIDE

## HOW TO WEAR REGALIA

- All seniors should wear the Lanier medallion (white ribbon, crest on the medal). You will receive it when you check in at graduation.
- If you have an NHS or other stole, wear it first, then cords, then medals.
- Do **NOT** decorate your caps. Flags and stoles not sanctioned by the school or GCPS are not allowed.
- No student may wear denim, t-shirts, flip-flops, or tennis shoes. Any student not appropriately dressed will not participate in the ceremony.

## LADIES ATTIRE

- DARK (black, navy, dark brown) shoes. We will also allow nude (not pink) shoes. If you choose to wear high heels, be sure to practice walking in them!
- Dresses or top/skirt combo without excessively full skirts or high ruffled necklines; if you prefer, you may wear DARK pants.



## GENTLEMEN ATTIRE



- DARK (black, navy, dark brown) slacks, DARK shoes, DARK socks.
- Dress shirt with a collar and a tie.



# IMPORTANT UPDATES

## Senior Dues

Senior dues cover cap and gown, senior events, senior t-shirt, and costs associated with the graduation ceremony. The deadline for dues payment at <https://www.scholasticimages.com/> for timely delivery of the cap and gown to Lanier High School is Saturday, April 13th.

## Announcements, Senior T-Shirt, and Cap and Gown Distribution

Scholastic Images will be on campus Friday, April 19th during all lunches to distribute caps and gowns and senior t-shirts. Students who have not paid their senior dues at that time will not receive a cap and gown or a senior t-shirt. Caps and gowns that are purchased after April 13th will be mailed home at the cost of the student. If you are unable to pick up your cap and gown on the scheduled day, there will be a Google form sent closer to the date to arrange alternate days for pickup.

## Graduation Practice and Ceremony

Practice for graduation will be held on **Thursday, May 23rd, time TBD** in the Lanier HS Commons area. **Practice is mandatory** for any senior that is participating in the ceremony. **Any fines, fees, etc. must be paid prior to the graduation practice to receive graduation tickets, which are distributed during practice.** Graduation practice is closed to all parents and other spectators.

The commencement ceremony will be held on Friday, May 24th at 7:30 PM at the Gas South Arena. Graduates should arrive no later than 5:30 PM. Guests can enter beginning at 6:30 PM.

## Graduation Ceremony Tickets

Each graduate is allotted **at least ten (10) tickets**. Tickets are distributed at the end of graduation practice. If we are able to accommodate requests for additional tickets, students will be notified in May.

# GRADUATION ETIQUETTE

This is truly a time for excitement and celebrations as the graduates have worked hard to reach this point in their lives. However, a graduation ceremony is a formal ceremony, and at Lanier High School, we have put together the following guidelines (per county and Arena guidelines) for attire and behavior to ensure respect, uniformity, and decorum during the ceremony:

## GRADUATION ATTIRE- for the graduates

*Ladies:*

- Dresses or top/skirt combo without excessively full skirts or high ruffled necklines; if you prefer, you may also wear DARK pants.
- DARK (black, navy, dark brown) shoes. If you choose to wear high heels, be sure to practice walking in them! That floor is slippery!

*Gentlemen:*

- DARK (black, navy, dark brown) slacks, DARK shoes, DARK socks
- Dress shirt and tie

*Ladies and Gentlemen:*

- Your cap and gown 😊

NO STUDENT should wear denim, t-shirts, flip-flops or tennis shoes. **Students not appropriately dressed will not march.**

## GRADUATION ETIQUETTE- for the graduates

- ARRIVE ON TIME. We cannot stress this enough!! If changes are necessary for the ceremony, you want to make sure you know what is going on!
- Dress appropriately for the ceremony using the guidelines above.
- **Leave all extras (purses, keys, cell phones, etc.) with parents or relatives. If you bring them, we will collect and hold them until Tuesday, May 28th.** Items may be picked up at the school.
- Do **NOT** decorate your cap or gown in any way. Only Lanier HS approved cords/stoles will be worn.

## GRADUATION ETIQUETTE- for parents, relatives and friends

- Adhere to the clear bag and security policies of the Arena.
- Arrive prior to the start of the ceremony. You will not be allowed in until after the processional and Pledge of Allegiance if you arrive after the scheduled start time.
- Applaud only when appropriate. Excessive applause or noisemakers will not be tolerated. These are Arena guidelines.
- Please only take pictures or video from your seat.
- Remember- a ticket will be needed to enter the arena. Small children will also need a ticket to enter.
- Cell phones should be powered off or set to silent.

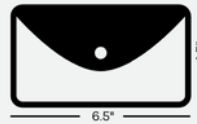
## CLEAR BAG POLICY

In the interest of enhancing existing security measures and enforcing the most touch-free experience possible, Gas South District is introducing a Clear Bag Policy. The safest and fastest way to enter Gas South District is to not bring a bag at all.

### APPROVED BAGS



Clear Plastic, Vinyl,  
or PVC Bags



Small Clutch Bags



Diaper Bags & Medically  
Necessary Items

### NON-APPROVED BAGS

Including but not limited to:



Duffel Bags



Rolling Suitcases



Coolers



Backpacks

Gas South District has an event security and clear bag policy. Please review these policies and their [website](#) for more information.

## Senior Honors Night

- The Senior Honors Night is an event where we recognize students that are getting scholarships, cords, and/or awards.
- An invitation-only event held on Tuesday, May 7th at the Football Stadium, beginning at 7:00 PM.
- The rainout date is Thursday, May 9th.
- More information regarding this is coming soon.

# Calendar of Events

## Class of 2024 Senior Sponsor Information

updated: February 5, 2024

### Where to get information:

- » Lanier HS Senior eClass Page
- » ParentSquare
- » Senior Website

### Senior Dues:

- » \$175 payable at [Scholastic Images](#)
  - Increase to \$185 on January 1, 2024
  - Increase to \$205 on March 1, 2024

» See Senior Website for details

### Who to contact:

- » Cap & Gown Packages and Letter Jackets: **Scholastic Images**
- » Graduation Announcements and Class Rings: **Scholastic Images**
- » Prom (Junior Class Sponsors): **Mrs. Dolcimascolo**
- » Senior Sponsor AP & Leads: **Dr. Wallace (AP), Mr. Layfield, & Mrs. Ahmad-Harris**
- » Yearbook, Senior Ads, & Senior Portraits: **Mr. Phillips**

Senior Website: <https://schools.gcpsk12.org/domain/8571>

### January 2024

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### January

- 1 Senior Dues Increase to \$185
- 8 Scholastic Images on Campus (all lunches)
- 25 FAFSA Night, Media Center, 6:00 PM

### February 2024

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### February

- 12 Scholastic Images on Campus (all lunches)
- 29 LAST DAY to pay Senior Dues at \$185

### March 2024

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### March

- 1 Senior Dues increase to \$205
- 11 Scholastic Images on Campus (all lunches)

### April 2024

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### April

- 10 Senior Letters Due (HARD DEADLINE): Dropped off in the Front Office or Postmarked; See Guidelines
- 15-19 Senior Week
- 18 Senior Breakfast (2nd Block)
- 18 Decision Day, Longhorn Time
- 19 Cap & Gown Delivery & Senior T-Shirt Pickup (all lunches)

### May 2024

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### May

- 4 Prom
- 6 Scholastic Images on Campus (all lunches)
- 17 Lanier Senior Walk, Time: TBD
- 20 Senior Picnic, Time: TBD
- 23 MANDATORY: Graduation Practice TIME TBD.; Commons; Do not bring cap & gown
- 24 Graduation Ceremony: Gas South Arena @ 7:30 p.m.
  - » Graduates must arrive 5:30 p.m. to participate.
  - » Doors open for guests at 6:30 p.m.