



2017

Junior-Senior Prom

FAQ

Who?

Juniors, seniors, and their dates are invited. Faculty and administration are chaperoning.

When? Saturday, March 18 7:00 - 10:30 p.m.

Arrival: The doors open at 6:55; no admittance after 7:40. Please plan your time well: don't aim for a 7:40 arrival!

Departure: Once you exit the prom, there is no re-entry. You cannot visit your car in the parking lot. Please arrange to leave by 10:30.

Where? We are only allowed to stay in the areas we rent. Do not get off the elevator to get on any other floor. Security will notify the law of trespassing. Chaperones will monitor the bathrooms and outside areas to ensure your safety. We are not allowed to wander around the building. This is downtown, so act accordingly.

Why so much \$ for a ticket? The price covers your meal as well as the music, decorations, and venue.

Paperwork? Only if your date does not attend BJSHS... Fill out the *Non-school Guest Approval form*. This should be returned to Mr. Kellum's office by 2/14. A copy of the guest's driver's license must be attached. The guest has to bring the driver's license with him/her to the prom. There IS an age limit!

Is formal photography available? No, most people prefer to take their own pictures by the river before prom.

Ticket? You will receive an invitation. You do not get a ticket. You do not need to bring the invitation with you to the prom. We have your name on a master list. Since you will be checked on a master list, no student purchaser is entitled to resell tickets to others.

Refunds? No refunds, because we pay for food and supplies two weeks ahead of the prom date. However, discuss the situation with the prom sponsor. Another student may have asked about buying a ticket after the deadline...

Formalwear? Boys, rent a tuxedo.

Girls, many stores are selling short dresses as “formal.” These are NOT formal according to our dress code.

Please keep in mind the formal dress code **WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED** at the entry (see BJSHS website or the door beside Room 710). We are a Christian school that promotes modesty as a virtue. If you have questions about appropriate attire, please see Mr. Kellum with pictures **BEFORE** the prom. There are no refunds.

Complaints? If you did not participate on the prom committee, you have no reason to complain. Remember - **YOUR** attitude is what makes prom “fun.” If, however, you have a legitimate issue, please express it to the prom chaperones, not to fellow students.

Music? The DJ and the prom committee have discussed a play list. You do not need to make recommendations, requests, or complaints to the DJ. We are a Christian school that does not allow explicit or inappropriate lyrics. If you are going to complain about that, please do not attend the prom.

Dancing Style? Physical contact will be monitored by the chaperones. There should be no PDA. No grinding. When bodies touch, both must remain upright. If your contact is inappropriate, you will be asked to leave. There are no refunds.

Behavior? We are proud of the compliments we receive on our students’ behavior at extracurricular events. However, we will reiterate that guests and students abide by BJSHS’s rules. This may include submitting to a breathalyzer and on-site drug testing if there is reasonable suspicion. Anyone found to be under the influence of any drug will be turned over to law enforcement authorities. We cannot emphasize enough that we want everyone to have a great - and **SAFE** - prom.

Parents, please discuss with your child any before or after prom activities, and make sure these activities are chaperoned by responsible adults.