



Senior Countdown to Graduation

Important Dates & Details

We are excited to celebrate the ***Class of 2025!***

The timeline below highlights some of the events and activities we have going on as well as gives some important information for seniors and families to know.

In addition to this document please watch your email for updates on specific events.

Thursday May 15 th	Honor Cording Ceremony 12pm-1pm For students receiving an honor cord from an RMHS honor society and/or students receiving an academic honor graduate (3.75 and above) cord and academic stole*. <u>Students who qualify will receive an invitation</u> to pick up their cord at this time. *If you would like to keep the academic stole, you may purchase it through SchoolPay for \$20. Purchases must be made by May 23 rd or your stole will be collected after the ceremony.
Tuesday May 20 th	Senior Finals – periods 3 and 4
Wednesday May 21 st	Scholarship Celebration – 8:30am; RMHS Main Gym Senior scholarship winner and 2 guests. The scholarship celebration is for any senior who has received any type of scholarship and has reported that information through their <u>senior survey</u> . Senior Finals – periods 1 and 2 Last Day of Classes for seniors
Wednesday May 21 st	GRAD WALK at Webber Middle School -arrive by 1:45 pm Wear your cap & gown to walk your middle school alma mater. Be cheered on by future Lobos and get a chance to see your middle school teachers and show them gratitude.
Wednesday May 21 st	GRAD WALK at Blevins Middle School -arrive by 1:45 pm Wear your cap & gown to walk your middle school alma mater. Be cheered on by future Lobos and get a chance to see your middle school teachers and show them gratitude.
Thursday May 22 nd	CONVOCATION and Graduation Rehearsal Graduation Rehearsal – 8:00am; RMHS Main Gym <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business casual dress with gowns, but no caps • <i>YOU ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND THIS EVENT</i> – If a special circumstance arises, please notify Dr. Woodall.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Your seat assignment will be on your check-out sheet</i> – find your row number and report to your assigned seat in the gymnasium by 8:00am <p>Convocation – 9:05am; RMHS Main Gym Convocation is a long-standing tradition at Rocky where, as a whole school, we celebrate and reflect on the school year, honor our seniors, and recognize student achievement for students in all grades.</p> <p>Senior Checkout – 11:00am-12:00pm; Media Center</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Turn in senior check out sheet • Turn in laptop • Pick up printed graduation programs - (each graduate will receive 2 printed copies of the graduation program. QR codes will be available at Moby for program access during the ceremony.) <p>Senior Picnic – 12:30-4:00pm; Fort Fun Free to all seniors hosted by the Senior Class Officers and Sponsors</p>
Friday May 23rd	<p>Graduation Rehearsal –7:30am-9:00am; Moby Arena We need all seniors seated and ready to go at 7:30am. We have limited time this year and will need to get started right away!! *This is a mandatory event for those wanting to walk at graduation. If you can't be there, please reach out to Dr. Woodall to get permission to miss.</p>
Saturday May 24	<p>GRADUATION –9:00am; Moby Arena</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Band and Choir report to their places at 7:30am • Graduates report to Moby 8:00am <p>What to wear to graduation: As a reminder, our graduation is a formal event that represents your academic accomplishments at Rocky Mountain High School. To best represent that we ask that you please abide by the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have robes zipped up for the entire ceremony. • Caps may NOT have any decorations or embellishments and the <u>plain gold</u> tassel should be worn. • We recognize that you may have received cords, stoles, or other regalia from outside groups, but we ask that for the graduation ceremony you only wear Rocky issued academic cords, stoles, medals, and pins. Reach out to Mrs. Nickel (tylert@psdschools.org) if you have questions or requests on attire. • Please refrain from any other decorations, or adornments as well.

What you need to know about ceremonies at Moby Arena:

- **Number of guests** – There is no limit to the number of guests per graduate who may attend.
- **When to arrive** – Doors open to guests one hour before the ceremony.
- **Parking** – Attendants will direct families to free parking in lots to the west and north of Moby. Please consider carpooling or other ways to reduce the number of vehicles.
- **Where to enter Moby Arena** – Graduates enter through the southern, upper doors. **Guests enter through the northern, upper doors.**
- **Magnometers** – CSU requires that all guests and employees pass through a metal detector. Alternative accommodations for screening will be provided for those who need it. Guests who refuse screening will be denied entry. All personal items, including cameras, must go through the metal detectors.
- **Clear-bag policy, water bottles and food** – Moby has a clear-bag policy and limits on the size of bags allowed. [Read more here](#) about what is and is not permitted. It is best to bring no bag at all, if possible. Guests may bring transparent, non-hard water bottles. Moby concessions will not be open.
- **Seating** – There is no reserved seating and no tickets required.
- **Programs** – Each graduate will receive 2 paper programs when they check out on Thursday 5/18. QR codes will be hung around Moby for program access during graduation.

ADA accessibility:

- CSU does not have wheelchairs; please bring one if needed.
- You may drop members of your party off near the west entrance of Moby before proceeding to parking.
- One individual may sit with a guest in ADA-accessible seating, which is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Interpretation services:

- PSD interpreters will be available for Spanish-speaking families. Attendants will direct families to Section M where they may sit for these services.
- PSD interpreters will be available for hearing-impaired interpretation service. Attendants will direct families to Section N where they may sit for these services.

	<p>Livestreams: PSDTV will livestream graduation ceremonies for those unable to attend.</p> <p>Rocky (English) https://youtube.com/live/JyaBE7iHTfs?feature=share</p> <p>Rocky ((Español) https://youtube.com/live/cr99CtbgVPw?feature=share</p>
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