

LHS 2017
Prom Guidelines
Prom: April 22, 2017

- The Cajundome Convention Center is owned by the City of Lafayette; therefore, problems will be handled by the Lafayette City Police.
- NO CANES OR HATS OF ANY KIND ARE ALLOWED IN THE CONVENTION CENTER.
- TO ENTER THE PROM, EVERYONE MUST HAVE **HIS/HER SCHOOL I.D.** (not a temp, a permanent school ID) ALONG WITH HIS/HER PROM TICKET. IF YOUR DATE IS NOT A HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT, SOME FORM OF PICTURED I.D. IS REQUIRED.
- IF YOUR GUEST DOES NOT ATTEND LAFAYETTE HIGH, A GUEST FORM MUST BE SIGNED BY HIS/HER ADMINISTRATOR. NO MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS OR FRESHMEN ARE ALLOWED TO ATTEND PROM.
- STUDENTS WILL BE SUBJECT TO A BREATHALYZER TEST UPON ENTERING. STUDENTS MUST TAKE THE BREATHALYZER TEST TO ENTER THE DANCE.
 - Students who do not pass the breathalyzer test will not be allowed in the dance (they must wait with the police until a parent or guardian picks them up), and will be subject to LPSS Discipline policies.
- TICKETS:
 - EVERYONE will need a ticket to enter Prom. Beginning early-April Lafayette High Juniors and Seniors will receive a Prom ticket, along with their invitation if they have paid their Junior fee and owe no debts to LHS.
 - If your date is NOT a Lafayette High JUNIOR or SENIOR, you must purchase a ticket for them at a cost of \$10.00.
- NO ONE WILL BE ALLOWED TO ENTER AFTER 9:00 P.M. OR LEAVE BEFORE 10:30 P.M.
 - If you arrive after 9 PM you will be asked to leave by police, sheriff's deputies or LHS Administration. NO ONE ENTERS THE DANCE AFTER THE DOORS CLOSE AND THE BREATHALYZER TESTERS LEAVE.
- **DRESS CODE:**
 - The Prom is a **FORMAL DANCE**. Guys are required to wear **COMPLETE TUXEDOS**, and **girls are required to wear LONG formal dresses** (*short formal dresses will NOT be permitted. Dresses must be long all the way around. Short dresses with a long sheer fabric overlay will NOT be permitted.*)Dresses that show midriffs or have cut outs that show skin, will not be allowed. ***If in doubt about your dress, please ask!*** You do not want to be turned away at the door. **No tennis shoes or costumes allowed.** **BOYS, IF YOUR DATE IS NOT FROM LHS, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO LET YOUR DATE KNOW WHAT THE DRESS CODE IS.**
- Lafayette High School Prom is a SCHOOL -SPONSORED FUNCTION. ALL SCHOOL RULES AND POLICIES APPLY (no alcoholic beverages, tobacco, drugs, weapons, etc).
- Beginning at 10:30pm (**not before**), Prom glasses will be given out in the lobby of the Convention Center to students who present a prom ticket. No Prom glasses will be given out at school after this time.
- Prom Pictures (Optional)
 - We will begin taking pictures the afternoon of Prom at 4:30 pm. You must have your Prom ticket to enter early to take pictures. The ticket will be checked and given back to you so that you can use it to enter the dance later on in the evening.
 - No one is allowed to enter Prom **EARLY** unless they are taking Prom pictures. No one is allowed to **STAY** at the Convention Center after having taken pictures.
 - THIS EARLY PICTURE TIME IS A PRIVILEGE, DESIGNED TO ALLEVIATE STANDING IN A LONG LINE WHILE PROM IS GOING ON. USE IT AS SUCH.