



Welcome to your child's senior year!

Parents...a year from now you'll be busy preparing for your child's departure for college!

Until then, you should enjoy what will be one of the most memorable years of your child's life. The PHS GradNite 2011 Committee has already begun work planning and dreaming of ways to make *your* child's GradNite experience the culminating event of their senior year; a night they will never forget and will always cherish.

GradNite is a drug and alcohol free event held annually at PHS for ALL graduating seniors. On average, 95% of Pomperaug graduates attend this all-night celebration following graduation. At GradNite, the food is abundant, the games are big, the music is loud, the prizes are many, and wonderful memories are made each and every moment.

Why hold GradNite? Studies have shown that post-graduation events such as GradNite save lives by providing a fun, cool and safe alternative. *This isn't just a celebration; it's a safety device!* A group of dedicated parents work tirelessly all year long in hopes of enticing each and every graduate to their very own special and spectacular GradNite! We can't, however, do this alone. Although we rely on local businesses and community organizations who generously support GradNite, their financial contributions account for less than half of the \$25,000 cash needed for this event. *We must depend on you, the seniors' parents, for the remainder of the needed funds.*

Please consider making a tax-deductible contribution of \$50 or more to GradNite 2011. Many of our plans require deposits *early* so we ask that you send in your gift today. **Every dollar helps!**

Please send all donations to PHS GradNite at
PHS GradNite 2011, 234 Judd Rd, Southbury, CT 06488.

One of the other memories that GradNite creates is an individualized photo keepsake of each graduate. We'll need 50 to 75 photos to create your graduate's special montage so start perusing those photo albums and picture CDs now. More details will follow.

Thank you in advance for your generous support of GradNite 2011. Please know that it is our greatest hope that your child has a successful and safe senior year, from beginning to end. If you should have any questions about GradNite, or if you would like to be a part of the fun and exciting GradNite team, please do not hesitate to contact us at phsgradnite@yahoo.com. If you would like a peek into GradNites past, please be a guest at our website, www.phsgradnite.org and click on "pictures". Bookmark our site so you can refer to it all year for timely GradNite information and forms.

Sincerely,
Maria Papiro
Chairperson, GradNite 2011

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