



5.14.25

North Forsyth High School  
Graduation Information Meeting  
& Senior Breakfast



**Gas South Arena**

**Tuesday, May 20, 7:00PM**

**Graduate Check In Starts at 5:00 PM**

# Students Park in Deck #3



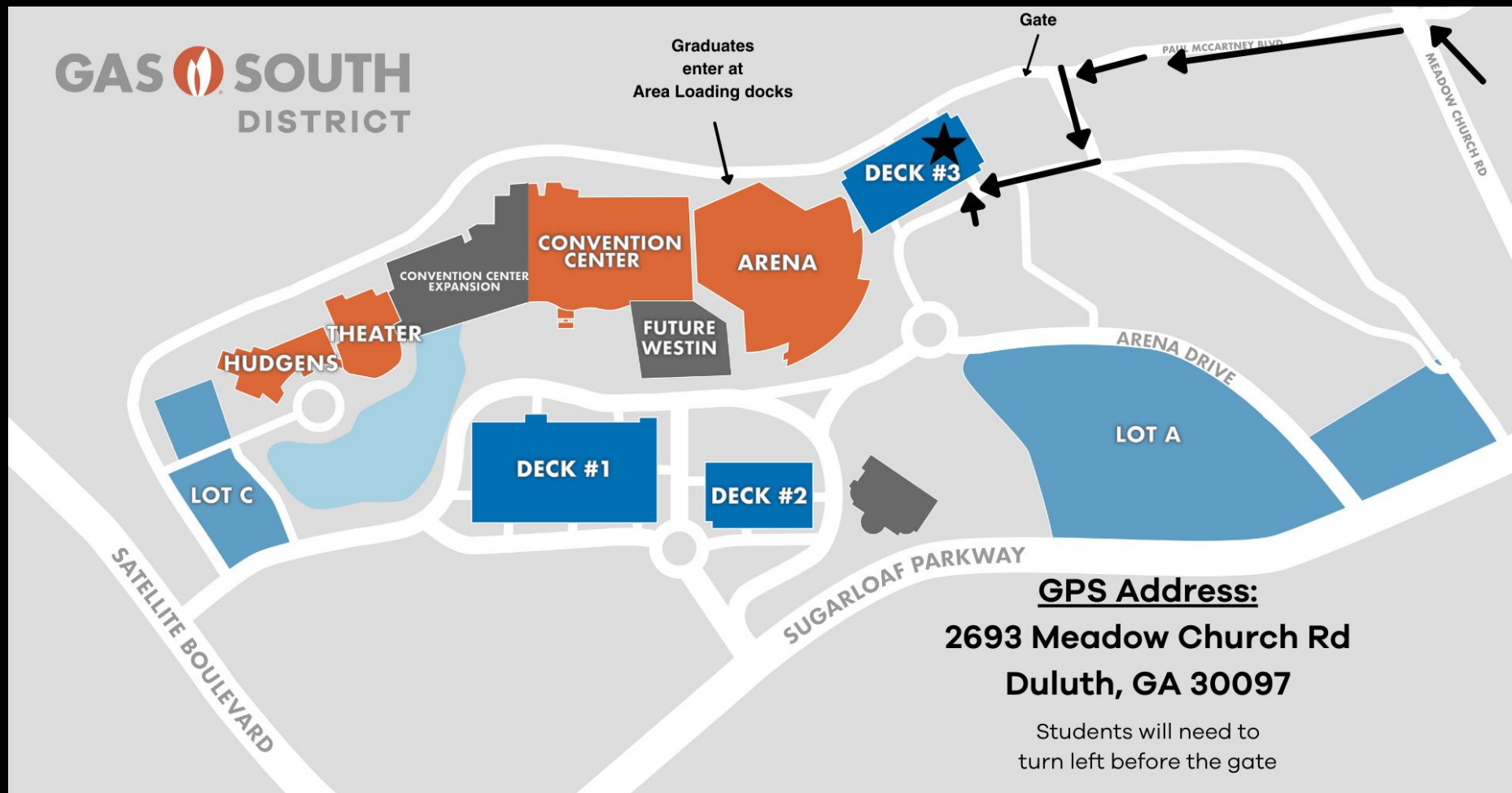
## Gas South Arena

6400 Sugarloaf Pkwy, Duluth, GA 30097

Each graduate will receive one (1) parking pass and will park in Student Parking - Deck #3. Follow the signs.

All guests will park in the front lot. Parking will be \$10 - no cash.

Graduates will park on levels 4, 5, 6. You will check in on level 3 and pass through metal detectors before entering the arena.



# Safety Measures at the Arena:

- Tickets are required to enter the arena. (Graduates do not need tickets)
- Each graduate will receive 14 tickets
- ***For guests: All personal items must be in clear bags similar to a concert or large sporting event. Safety screenings will take place at the doors of the arena.***
- Guests can enter the arena at 6:00pm.
- Gwinnett PD, Arena Security, FCS School Safety and NFHS staff will be present and monitoring to ensure safety of guests.

# Graduate CHECK IN

When you enter the security checkpoint, come with your graduation gown over your arm, cap & keys in your hand.

**You may not have anything else with you - no phone, etc.**

Any additional items will be confiscated & you can pick them up from NFHS on 5/21.

## **Graduates arrive 5:00 PM**

Please arrive no later than 5:00 to check in. Once you are checked in, you will find your name on your seat on the Arena floor. At 5:55, we will exit into the hallway until the ceremony begins.

**We WILL have the traditional processional AND recess up the stairs and out of the arena to meet your family.**



# Ceremony Reminders

We will be processing into the arena and recessing up the stairs and out of the arena. Staff will direct you to start recessing out of the arena. You will exit out of section 100 in two lines.

You will meet your family outside of the main entrance of the arena. There will be flags to indicate where students should meet their families by last name.

Students should **ONLY** bring in their **\*keys**.

The following are specifically prohibited:

Purses

Cell Phones

Garment bags

Extra Shoes

Noise Makers

Signs

Any other items that can be distracting during the graduation such as sunglasses, etc.

**Any prohibited item will be collected, and you can pick it up on Wednesday, 5/21 at NFHS.**

- **Keep your keyring minimal, preferably just the fob.**



Students and guests will pass through metal detectors.

You or your family may NOT bring balloons, beach balls, signs, noise-makers of any kind into the Arena - Security will escort you out of the building.

**YOU ARE NOT ALLOWED TO  
DECORATE YOUR CAP!**

Guests are NOT allowed on the floor at any time.

# LIST OF PROHIBITED ITEMS PER GAS SOUTH ARENA:

Gas South Arena management reserves the right to prohibit any item, including items not listed above, from entering the premises based on any specific show requirements.

Weapons of any kind

No bags, backpacks, briefcases, or purses larger than 14" x 14" x 6".

Electronic devices larger than a cell phone (e.g. Laptops, iPads or other tablets)

Cameras with detachable lenses

Video cameras, including GoPro cameras and audio recording devices

Selfie-sticks

Signs on sticks or oversized signs (no larger than 8 1/2" x 11")

No coolers or outside food or beverage

Smoking of any kind, including but not limited to tobacco, vapor or e-cigarettes

Illegal drugs

Laser pointers

Mace or pepper spray

Spiked or studded jewelry

Full facial coverings, like masks

Apparel with explicit wording or pictures

Crowd Surfing

Hoverboards

Balloons

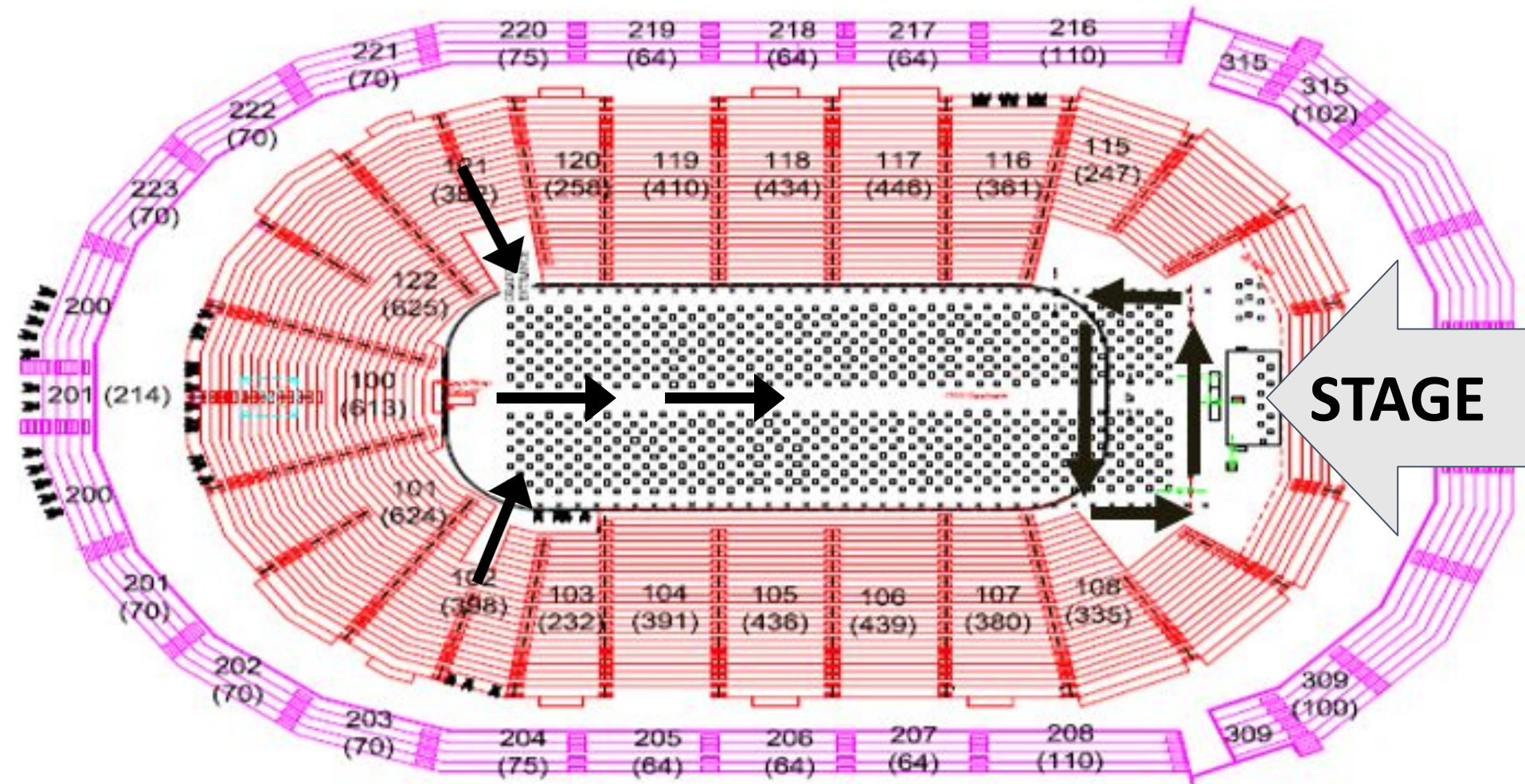
Stickers

Umbrellas

Strollers

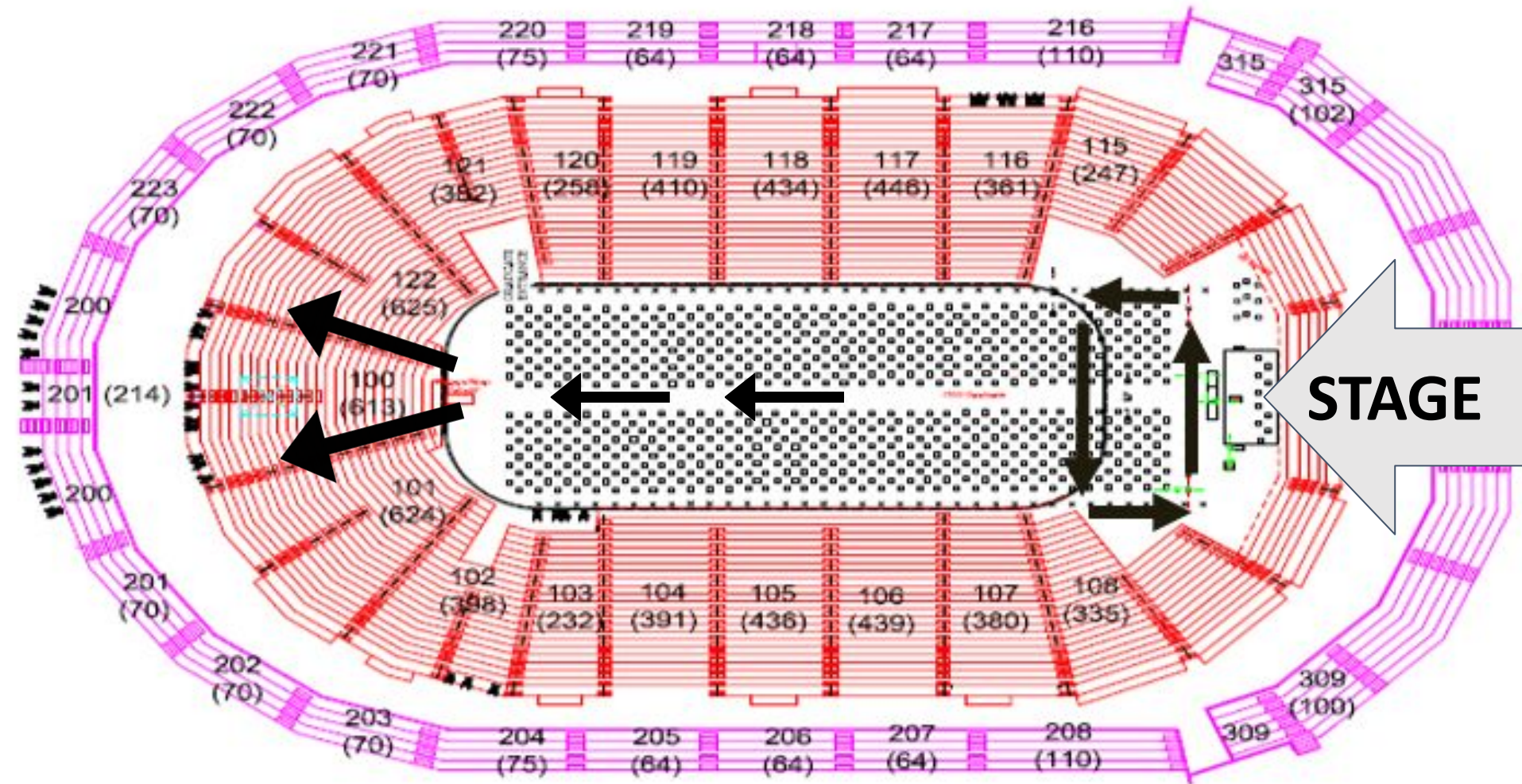
Animals\* \*Service animals are permitted.

# WHICH WAY DO I WALK IN?





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## THINGS TO NOTE:

- You will receive your diploma cover from Mr. Carnaroli. You will take the diploma with your left hand and shake Mr. Carnaroli's hand with your right hand.
- Do not dance down the ramp, do cartwheels, or attempt to backflip off the stage. You will be removed immediately from the arena.
- When you exit the stage, Ms. McGray will meet you at the bottom of the steps to direct you for your photo.



# After the Ceremony

Once students exit Gas South Arena, they will not be allowed to re-enter.

Graduates will recess out of the Arena and meet their families under the designated flags separated by last name outside at the front entrance of the Arena.

**GAME PLAN** with your families so that you know where you are meeting them!

# Graduate Dress Code

- Dresses (no longer than your robe)
- Blouse and skirt or pants
- Slacks or pants - khaki or black
- Dress shoes – use caution when choosing high heels. You will be on your feet for a very long time and walking through the arena and going up and down stairs.
- **No flip-flops, athletic sneakers**
- **No jeans**



# Diploma Pick Up

5/21 & 5/22

1:30 - 3:30 PM

outside the PAC



# 2025

## Forsyth County Schools

### SENIOR WALKS

#### **Monday, May 12**

Brookwood ES - 7:30am  
Johns Creek ES - 1:15  
Settles Bridge ES - 1:15  
Riverwatch MS - 2:30  
South Forsyth MS - 2:30

#### **Tuesday, May 20**

Mashburn ES - 1:30

#### **Wednesday, May 21**

Big Creek ES - 9:00am  
Little Mill MS - 9:10am  
Haw Creek ES - 10:30am  
Lakeside MS - 10:45am  
Cumming ES - 1:20pm  
Otwell MS - following  
Cumming ES Walk  
Silver City ES - 2:20pm

#### **Wednesday, May 14**

Kelly Mill ES - 1:00  
Sawnee - 1:30

#### **Friday, May 16**

Brandywine ES - 8:00am  
Sharon ES - 8:00am  
Whitlow ES - 8:30am  
Midway ES - 9:00am  
DeSana MS - 10:00am  
Vickery Creek ES - 1:30  
Vickery Creek MS - 2:30

#### **Thursday, May 22**

Chattahoochee ES - 7:45  
Matt ES - 9:00am  
Liberty MS - 9:15am  
Shiloh Point ES - 9:30am  
Piney Grove MS - 10am  
Chestatee ES - 10:30am  
Coal Mountain ES - 11:25  
North Forsyth MS - following  
Coal Mountain ES Walk  
Daves Creek ES - 12:00

FCS GRADUATING SENIORS ARE INVITED TO JOIN THEIR ELEMENTARY  
AND MIDDLE SCHOOL SENIOR WALKS AT THE TIME LISTED ABOVE

# LIVE STREAM LINK

<https://www.youtube.com/@GasSouthDistrict/streams>

# PURCHASE

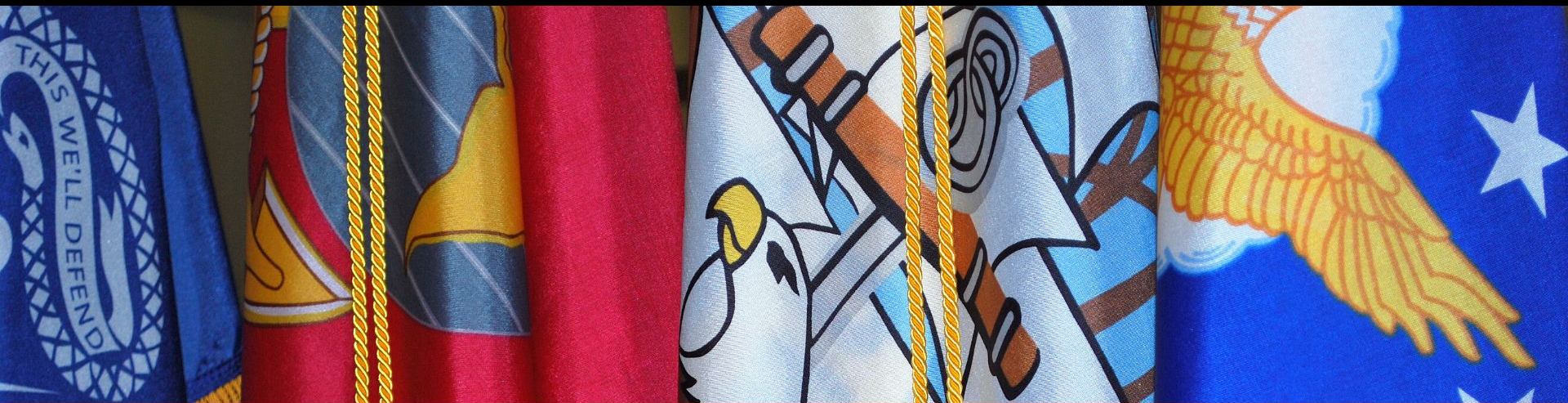
<https://www.ticketmaster.com/north-forsyth-high-school-graduation-parking-duluth-georgia-05-20-2025/event/0E006259B69C3EBC?brand=gas-southdistrict>

# **Baccalaureate**

**THURSDAY – May 15th**

**First Baptist Church Cumming at  
6:30PM**

**Please wear your gown/regalia  
Reception to follow**



If you have been sworn in or received an ROTC Scholarship, please see Chief Warrant Officer Villarouel/Merritt



**Concerned about your name  
pronunciation?**

**See Mr. Sarfaty or Mr. Stallings  
in Raider Roast**





**Have you picked  
up your  
yearbook?**

**Yearbooks will be  
with your ticket  
folders**





**FINES MUST BE PAID  
PRIOR TO GETTING  
SENIOR FOLDER. PAY  
UP WITH MR.  
BARRON. HE HAS ALL  
FOLDERS WITH  
OUTSTANDING FEES**

**After the meeting we need to see  
the following:**

HANNAH HAGEN

KELLY JORDAN

HARRISON ROSE

EMMA ROSE

SOPHIE MAI

ALL CHOIR SINGERS

TICKETS  
PARKING PASS  
PROGRAMS  
MEDALLIONS  
TASSELS

*senior packet*  
DISTRIBUTION

If you think you are  
missing something,  
please see Mrs.  
Geiger at the admin  
table!

We also have  
caps/gowns that  
were not picked up