Homecoming Questions and Information...

BDHS Annual Homecoming Dance  
Sunday, September 30th 8pm-11pm.

**Location of Homecoming**  
BDHS Homecoming will be held at the **Hilton Santa Barbara Beachfront Resort** from 8pm-11pm; doors close at 8:30pm.

**Ticket Cost**  
$25 single  
$40 couple  
Cash or check (made to BDHS). Tickets are sold at lunch in the Cardinal Store. Last day to purchase tickets is **Thursday, September 27th** at lunch.

**Guest Forms**

Guest forms are available at the front office. Forms need to be completed and submitted to Ms. Carr by **Wednesday, September 26th** at noon.

All guests must be approved by the Dean of Students. All approved guests, accompanied by his/her approved hostess/host, must be prepared to show proof of identification at the door of the dance. No guests may be 21 years of age or older. A student may not bring more than one guest. The student host/hostess assumes responsibility for the proper conduct of his/her guest including the wearing of appropriate clothing as specified for the dance.

**Attire for Homecoming....**

The appropriate attire for each particular dance is stated on the permission form; however, principles of Christian modesty must be adhered to at all dances, irrespective of theme.

**Boys**

Dressing in semi-formal clothes... dressing in a suit and tie. For a semi-formal homecoming dance, you should wear a suit which includes a dress shirt, a tie, dress socks and dark-colored dress shoes.
**Girls**

Dressing in semi-formal clothes…..wearing a dress that is 3” length above the knee or a longer gown. Dress should be modest fit with straps and frontal coverage; (strapless or backless not acceptable). Wearing a sweater or wrap may look nice for the photos, but after a few songs on the dance floor, you will want to remove that sweater/wrap; dress should be modest attire under the sweater/wrap. Semi-formal shoes for girls might mean a pair of high heels (no higher than 3”) or dressy sandals. Recommendation: do not spend money on new shoes, within the first ½ hour there is a pile of shoes in the corner of the ballroom.

**General Policies and Early Release**

Duration of School dances is generally three hours. Doors close 30 minutes after the posted start-time of the dance. Students may not be released until the posted end-time of the dance unless the parent has communicated in writing to the Dean of Students. Written permission from the parent/guardian must be provided to the Dean of Students prior to the evening of the dance indicating the time at which the student should be released. No student will be released without written confirmation by the parent. Students may not access any part of the dance venue that is unsupervised without permission and accompaniment of the administrator on duty.

**The following procedures are specific to Bishop Dances:**

1. Students attending a school-sponsored dance are agreeing to be subject to a Breathalyzer test at any time.
2. A student that refuses to take a Breathalyzer test or who tests positive will be restricted from dance attendance and only be released to the custody of his or her parent/guardian.
3. All bags may be subject to search.

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