Lyon County School District Board Memo

Date: January 31, 2025

To: Board of School Trustees

From: Kathy Bomba-Edgerton, YHS Principal

Re: Yerington High School Off Campus Prom Request

Recommendation

That the Board of Trustees approve Yerington High School to host the 2025 Prom off campus at the Pioneer Crossing Convention Center in Yerington, according to Policy IGDE: School-Sponsored Dance Policy.

Background Information

According to Policy IGDE: School-Sponsored Dance Policy, "All School-sponsored dances shall be held at school sites within the District unless specific exception is granted by the Board of Trustees. Under no circumstances may a school-sponsored dance be held at any location outside of the attendance area for that school."

This request is to hold the YHS Prom at a venue that is off campus and is approximately two blocks from the high school. The event will begin at 9pm and end at 12:00am, but students will be allowed to travel home earlier, if their guardians wish them to be home sooner. All students have to be in the facility by 10pm.

All of the dances during the 2024-2025 school year have been held in the YHS main gym and in the YHS practice gym. Holding Prom off campus will give students a more formal setting away from school.

Budget Considerations

Students will pay \$25 for tickets and this money will go back into the junior class budget to help pay for the venue. It will cost \$500 to hold Prom at the Pioneer Crossing Convention Center.

Supervision Plan

The principal, along with all of the junior class advisors will supervise Prom. The SRO will also be present. In total, there will be 7 adults supervising Prom. Only students with proper tickets will be allowed to enter. All guests will have prior approval from the principal. All guests are required to show identification before they are allowed to enter. All students have to arrive by 10pm. All entrances will be monitored by an adult. Once students enter Prom, they are not allowed to leave and return.

Yerington High School

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Dear Lyon County School District Board Trustees:

The Yerington High School Class of 2025 would like to hold their Prom at the Pioneer Crossing Convention Center in Yerington on May 31, 2025. Prom will start at 9pm and end at 12am.

We are requesting to hold Prom off campus because all of the dances during the 2024-2025 school year have been held in the YHS main gym and in the YHS practice gym. We feel that holding Prom off campus will give students a more formal setting away from school.

Students will pay \$25 for tickets and this money will be returned to the junior class budget to help pay for the venue. It will cost \$500 to hold Prom at the Pioneer Crossing Convention Center.

Security is a priority for Prom. The principal, Mrs. Bomba-Edgerton along with all of the junior class advisors, Mrs. Hurtado, Mrs. Mueller, Mr. Soto, Mr. Mansour, and Mrs. LaFleur will supervise Prom. The SRO will also be present. In total, there will be 7 adults supervising Prom. Only students with proper tickets will be allowed to enter. All guests will have prior approval from the principal. Students are required to fill out a guest pass form and submit it to the principal three days in advance of Prom. All guests are required to show identification before they are allowed to enter. All students are required to arrive by 10pm. All entrances will be monitored by an adult. Once students enter Prom, they are not allowed to leave and return.

Thank you for your consideration.

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Kathy Bomba-Edgerton, YHS Principal