



Columbia High School

Class of 2026 Junior Prom



“Sunset Soiree”
Saturday, May 10, 2025

4:30 PM – 5:45 PM: Family, friends, and community members are invited to the **Junior Prom Walk-in**, sponsored by the Class of 2028, located in the Columbia High School Auditorium to see the members of the Class of 2026 presented to the community before the Junior Prom.

Attendees will not be permitted to enter the event at the Hilton Garden Inn – Troy until 6:00 pm.

6:00 PM – 10:00 PM: Prom attendees will enjoy dinner and dancing at the *Hilton Garden Inn – Troy*, located at 235 Hoosick Street. Ample parking will be available.

Cocktail Hour featuring Hors D'oeuvres

Chef's Selection of Four Butler Passed Hors d'Oeuvres
Vegetable Crudités with Gourmet Dips
Selection of Cheeses and Fruit with Crackers
Cheese Fondue with French Baguettes

Sit Down Dinner

Baskets of warm dinner rolls and butter rosettes
Romaine and spring mix with cucumbers, carrots, grape tomatoes and balsamic dressing
Meals also include a starch and vegetable.

Choice of one of the three following dinner options:

- **Chicken Francaise** – Egg battered chicken breast finished with a white wine lemon sauce (Gluten-free if necessary)
- **Flat Iron Steak** – Grilled flat iron steak with au poivre sauce (Gluten-free if necessary)
- **Stuffed Pepper (GF/V/DF)** – Red pepper stuffed with edamame, carrots, peas and garlic with a balsamic glaze

Dessert

Make-Your-Own Sundae Bar – Vanilla and Chocolate ice creams with sprinkles, chocolate sauce, pureed strawberries, caramel, assorted crushed candies, and whipped cream!

ENTERTAINMENT

- ★ DJ and Photo Booth will be provided by NWN Entertainment.



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additional important information...*



PURCHASING TICKETS

Tickets will be \$90 per person

Available for purchase **Wednesday, April 2nd through Tuesday, April 8th.**

Tickets will only be available these five days and no refunds will be given.

NOTE: This cost includes an off-site location and covers the cost of the venue and meal. Our fundraising efforts cover the cost of the entertainment and decorations and are earmarked to offer Senior Prom tickets for next year at the lowest possible cost in an effort for all students to attend.

Cash (please have exact change) or checks made payable to *The Class of 2026* will be accepted.

Tickets will be sold at the following times:

7:00 am until 7:15 am Room S310 (Mrs. Asenbauer)

Period 1 (7:20-8:10) Room S310 (Mrs. Asenbauer)

Period 2 (8:15- 9:00) Room N310 (Mr. DiDonato)

Period 3 (9:05-9:50) Room N310 (Mr. DiDonato)

No tickets will be sold during 4th period

Period 5 (10:45-11:30) Room N310 (Mr. DiDonato)

Period 6 (11:35-12:20) Room S310 (Mrs. Asenbauer)

Period 7 (12:25-1:10) Room S310 (Mrs. Asenbauer)

Period 8 (1:15-2:03) Room S310 (Mrs. Asenbauer)

🌸 BLOOM INTO PROM SEASON and design your own prom flowers! 🌸

Looking for a one-of-a-kind floral touch for prom night? Here's your chance to design your own bouquet, wristlet, or boutonniere through an experience offered to us by a local vendor.

Join us for a hands-on floral workshop the night before the Prom!

Led by Kim Romano from **Flower Blossom Design**, you'll receive guidance on creating your own stunning floral arrangements, and be provided a special storage unit to keep flowers fresh for prom night!

Friday, May 9th from 5:00 - 7:00 PM in Columbia's Cafeteria



Bouquets & Wristlets: \$45



Boutonnieres: \$25

Looking for flowers for your date? Flower Blossom Design will create them for half-price!

Register & pre-pay by April 28th to secure your spot and ensure the freshest blooms are available.

During your consultation, Kim will discuss with you the color palette and possible designs of the flower arrangements.

Please be advised that this is not a fundraiser for the Class of 2026.

Call or visit Flower Blossom Design to register and pre-pay.

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You've got questions? We've got answers!



- ✘ ***Students will not be permitted to leave a class or leave the cafeteria to purchase a prom ticket.*** If a student is purchasing a ticket during his/her lunch period, he/she should purchase the Junior Prom ticket before reporting to the cafeteria.
- ✘ Please note that attendees will NOT choose their tables when they purchase their tickets, but instead will have the opportunity to do so on **Monday, April 28th and Tuesday, April 29th.** *Tables will accommodate eight (8) guests, with the possibility of a few tables of 10, depending on how many tickets are sold.* Students who do not elect to sit at a particular table will be placed in open seats. Please do not plan on
- ✘ Students will choose a dinner selection at the time of the ticket purchase. If a junior is purchasing a ticket for a guest, it is expected that they choose the guest's desired dinner selection at the time of the ticket purchase.
- ✘ If a prom attendee has any dietary restrictions of which the Hilton Garden staff should be aware, he/she should alert Mrs. Asenbauer or Mr. DiDonato when the prom ticket is purchased. We have attempted to allow for any dietary restrictions with the various choices. *If you require a Gluten-free option for the Chicken or Steak meal, we must be made aware at the time of ticket purchase.*
- ✘ If a student from another school will be attending the Junior Prom as a guest of a Columbia High School junior, then the appropriate "Permission Form to attend a Columbia High School Event" must be completed and *presented at the time of the ticket purchase.* **No exceptions will be made.**
- ✘ *Please note that the ticket given to the attendees at the time of purchase is a souvenir and is not needed for entrance into the Junior Prom.* Attendees will receive an entrance ticket to the Junior Prom when they register upon arrival at the mandatory Walk-in at Columbia High School beginning at 4:30 on Saturday, May 10th, and will then be asked to present that when they arrive to the Hilton Garden Inn.
- ✘ Remember that anyone wishing to participate in the Hands-on Floral Workshop with ***Flower Blossom Design*** must register and pre-pay by the deadline of **April 28th.**

"A picture is worth a thousand words, but the memories are priceless."

– Unknown

*If you have any questions, please contact one of the Class of 2026 Advisors via e-mail:
Meagan Asenbauer at asenbauerme@egcsd.org OR Frank DiDonato at didonatofr@egcsd.org*



We look forward to celebrating with you!