



## What is Project Graduation?

Project Graduation started after tragic teenage deaths and injuries from April to June of 1979 in the Oxford Hills area of Maine. Most of which were attributed to driving under the influence. The residents of the Oxford Hills wanted to find a way to prevent these tragedies in the future and created Project Graduation. It offered graduates a fun location to celebrate all night long under adult supervision and with no alcohol or drugs. The first Project Grad was held in June 1980. There were no drug or alcohol related fatalities or arrests that graduation season.

Project Graduation committees or organizations are now common in most high schools throughout the United States and many also provide an After Prom Party to promote the same principals. It is a commitment by parents and the community to conduct a great "once in a lifetime" celebration, free of alcohol, drugs and tobacco on the evening of their actual Graduation Ceremony. These events are held for graduating seniors only, so it's a special night just for them and their classmates.

While we are strongly supported by Piper USD 203 and Piper High School, we receive NO funding from either source and we are funded solely through fundraisers and donations. All school-related functions are supposed to be chemical-free, but what makes Project Graduation different is the attitude of the students. They have made a conscious decision to enjoy their graduation night without alcohol or drugs. And no other group, including parents and school personnel, can make that decision for the students. The past several years, Piper High School has boasted more than 85% of graduating students attending their Project Graduation Celebration.

To cover the cost and to provide all of the activities and prizes for our senior class of nearly 200 students, volunteers need to raise approximately \$50,000. This event is only made possible with the help of parent donations, corporate donations, and hundreds of volunteer hours. Piper Project Grad 2025 is a 501(c)3 Organization and can provide a tax receipt for all donations.

We invite you to visit our website ([www.PiperPG2025.com](http://www.PiperPG2025.com)) to learn more about Piper Project Grad 2025 or join us at one of our upcoming events! We'd love to show you what Project Grad is about.

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Dear Community Member & Supporter,

Piper Project Graduation, Class of 2025 is proud to offer a safe, drug and alcohol free celebration for our senior students. This year, we will graduate the largest Piper High School class to date, with 190 students! We are fortunate to be able to provide the newly graduated students with a great opportunity to spend an evening celebrating 13 years of academic success in a completely drug and alcohol free evening after walking across the stage in May of 2025.

The senior students and parents are engaged in many fundraisers and volunteer at various events to help raise funds during the year-long fundraising campaign. These events include our annual Powder Puff Football Game, Bingo Night, working concessions at the Sporting KC game, Cornhole Tournament, and more. We also sell trashbags, Fall Mums, and Piper Pirates Spirit Wear, just to name a few. In order to put on an event of this magnitude, we are asking for community assistance as well. Because of the tremendous support of our community, Project Graduation is able to offer this party, free of charge, to all of our graduating seniors.

We hope you are able to help us celebrate our seniors and wish them continued success. The below ways are how you can help us make this a safe and successful event for the Class of 2025:

- Cash Donation
- Gift Cards
- Donation of a Product (for silent auction or raffle prize on grad night)

Contributions can be made payable to Piper Project Grad 2025 and mailed to the following address. Or contact us and we will happily arrange to pickup your generous donation or item. We are a 501(c)6 and can provide a tax receipt for any donation provided.

Piper Project Grad 2025  
c/o Piper High School  
13021 Leavenworth Road  
Kansas City, KS 66109

We thank you for your consideration! Please do not hesitate to reach out should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

*Regina Utter*

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<h2 style="text-align: center;">Sponsorship Levels</h2>	Bronze Level \$500	Silver Level \$750	Gold Level \$1000	Piper Purple Level \$2000+
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➔ Listed on Website and given a one-time shoutout on our social media channels</li> <li>➔ Name/Logo &amp; website link emailed with our announcements to 2025 parents (300+ email addresses)</li> </ul>	X	X	X	X
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➔ Banner (vendor provided) to be displayed ONE future event</li> </ul>		X	X	X
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➔ Banner (vendor provided) to be displayed at ALL future events</li> <li>➔ Name/Logo on any printed materials for ALL events</li> <li>➔ Promotional item (vendor provided) included in Senior Gift bags on PG night <i>*optional</i></li> </ul>			X	X
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➔ Project Grad 2025 will share up to 5 (five) of your specials or promotions through our communication channels (from August 2024-May 2025)</li> <li>➔ Name/Logo listed on program in every gift bag on Grad Night</li> <li>➔ Name/Logo listed in final PHS all school Newsletter Blast from Project Grad (4,000+ email addresses)</li> </ul>				X

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<b>Business Name</b>	
<b>Address</b>	
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<b>Website</b>	
<b>Social Media Addresses</b>	

<b>Contact Person</b>	
<b>Phone Number</b>	
<b>Email Address</b>	

<b>Sponsorship Level</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Bronze \$500	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold \$1,000
	<input type="checkbox"/> Silver \$750	<input type="checkbox"/> Piper Purple \$2,000+
<b>Need Tax Receipt?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

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*Thank you for your Support!*  
We'll be in touch for your logo and other details!

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