

Parsippany Hills High School

Parsippany hills senior standouts

What Is It

- An event where the senior superlatives in the yearbook are recognized in an award show format
- Prior to the event, the seniors will vote on the class awards through Google Forms
- The event is open to anyone for the ticket price of \$5
- There is entertainment in between awards to encourage underclassmen participation as well
- Seniors come dressed up as if it is a real award show

Planning

There are many things to think about when it comes to planning this event; here are some!

- Hold auditions/interviews for the hosts (we like to do this a month prior to the event)
- Gathering votes from seniors
- Finding a good venue and date (we do it in our school auditorium in late February)
- In-between entertainment
- Approving host script and video
- Approving speeches
- Creating/buying decorations and awards
- Finding award presenters
- Making schedule for event
- Selling tickets
- Dress rehearsal
- Music
- Result envelopes
- Programs

Award Example Categories

- Most likely to be on their phone
- Most outgoing
- Class musicians

- Class dancers
- Female class pals
- Friendliest
- Best dressed
- Most likely to succeed
- Most hardworking
- Class nonconformists
- Class clowns
- Nicest smile
- Class athletes
- Nicest hair
- Class couple
- Nicest eyes
- Class actors
- Class flirt

Structure Of The Night

Before Event:

- Dress rehearsal is held the day before the event with the hosts and award presenters
- Student Council stays after school the day of to help decorate the auditorium

During Event:

- Student Council members sell tickets at the front door (\$5)
- Opening video is shown, the hosts introduce the show, the nominations video is played
- Winners for each category will be announced and they will come and receive their award
- After winners come off the stage, they go out into the hallway to take a picture for the yearbook
- There are several entertainment acts in between awards

Entertainment

We like to have around 3-5 acts between awards, here are some ideas!

- Lip sync performances
- Senior roast
- Game show
- Minute to win it mini-games

- Talent acts
- Teacher skit

Host Responsibilities

- Writing a script/skits to perform between awards
- Making a video to introduce the hosts and the nominees for the night
- Making sure the night runs as smoothly as possible. This includes filling in dead time, knowing their cues, etc.

Example host script:

PHHS Senior Standouts Script

Chintal - MIC1

Clara - MIC2

Brittaney - MIC3

Jayna - MIC4

Ruchi - MIC5

Tati - MIC6

Start: 7pm

(Flash Drive Screen Down) 5 Min. Movie (hosts in the beginning and enter on stage - present all nominees in video)

(Screen Up)

Mic1-6*Hosts walk in*

(3 Min. Introduce event and rules)

Hello everyone and welcome to the Hills senior standouts!! We are your hosts for the evening and are so excited to be here with you all!!

Our names are... (each introduce ourselves)

Mic1 Chintal: Just a few house rules, because this is an awards show, there will be winners who you may not agree with or like, but out of respect, we ask that no one complains or "boos". Be courteous to those who are watching around you! The night will flow much more smoothly as long as everyone remains positive!!

Mic2 Clara: Also, winners, we will try to get as many yearbook pictures as possible today, so once you have finished accepting your award please, (wherever they gotta go).

Mic6 Tati: Here's the video of all the nominees for the night

Pull screen down

Flash Drive Play video with slideshow

Award Presenters

- Can be class officers/representatives from each grade, teachers, or the student council
- Presenters will receive envelopes of the winners for each category
- Presenters open the envelope and announce the winners!

Technology Involved

- Microphones will be needed for the hosts and announcers
- Have someone designated to play music while winners come up onstage to receive their awards
- A screen and projector will be needed to play the opening and nominations videos

We hope you take this event back to your school!!!

