

THE ONE~HUNDRED TWENTY~SIXTH
ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

DELANO HIGH SCHOOL

Sunday, June 7, 2020

1:30 P.M.



The Class of 2020

Program

“The Star Spangled Banner”Francis Scott Key, arr. Andy Clark
Autumn Langdon, Vocalist

“Pomp and Circumstance” Edward Elgar, arr. James D. Ployhar
Minnesota Orchestra
Osmo Vanska, Music Director
with Student Voice-Overs

WelcomeDr. Steven Heil
Principal

Honor Five Recognition.....Dr. Steven Heil

American Legion School Citizenship AwardDr. Steven Heil

Introduction of SpeakersDr. Steven Heil

ReflectionsBriana VanCura

“Class of 2020 Tribute, This is Our Year”
arr. Adam Young (Cover Parody)
Maria Molitor, Vocalist

Prospective..... Mackenzie Drews

Faculty Address.....Mr. Nathan Peterson
Social Studies

“We’ll Meet Again”arr. Ross Parker & Hughie Charles
Originally performed by Vera Lynn
Covered by The D-Day Darlings

Principal’s AddressDr. Steven Heil

The Conferring of DiplomasMr. Matthew Schoen
Superintendent

The Presentation of the Class Ms. Marie Thomas
High School Administrative Assistant

Closing RemarksDr. Steven Heil

“The Walk” Lauren Kantrovich
Lauren Kantrovich, Vocalist
Owen Dailey, Instrumentalist



Class Motto

“We will either find a way or make one.”

-Hannibal of Carthage

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Kamryn Ann Ahlstrom
Jennifer Eleanor Almquist
Elliot Benjamin Anderson
Emmett Lee Anderson
Cameron Joseph Andreae
Matthew Ryan Baker
Jack Ronald Balsiger
Alexandra Victoria Barduson
Elizabeth Anne Barrett Bies
Caitlyn Isabella Bekkala
Charlotte Mcallister Beltrand
Megan Elizabeth Benker
Adam Charles Lee Bergh
Duncan Craig Bistodeau
Niklas Haakon Bjorklund
Jack Henry Blaschke
Ashley Viola Brinkmann
Charles Edmund Campion
Calli Layne Carlson
Gisela Castro Medina
Sam Lee Cederberg
Adam Daniel Chorley
Alex Christopher Chorley
Olivia Rose Condon
Emma Christine Dahle
Owen Michael Dailey
Chandler Michael Detweiler
Mackenzie Marie Drews
Kory Dean Dunnigan
Ashleigh Brooke DuPree
Piper Sky Eagle
Tyler James Eckert
Anna Bryn Eliason
John Christopher Emmer

Peter Allen Endersbe
Jonathan William Ewing
Julia Jill Fake
Erin Louise Fisher
Scout Allan Fisher
Mitchell Peter Frank
Bethany Rose Fredrickson
Austin Joseph Fritz
Crosby Mary Patricia Gilmore
Grace Morgan Glasrud
Christopher Wade Glunz
Brian Benedict Grgas *
Elizabeth Nancy Groskreutz
Callie Jane Hage
Edward Ignac Hajas
Caden John Hall
Katie Jane Halonen
Mark James Halonen
Abigail Rose Hamblet
Joseph John Hartman
Abby Josephine Hayes
Hallie Marie Hebner
Jack Theodore Hokanson *
Kiley Rose Holen Flanigan
Sarah Anne Huotari
Ella Marie Jaunich
Olivia Marie Jaunich
Laurel Lee Jaworski
Isabel Lenore Johnson
Thomas William Johnson
Alyssa Rae Juenke
Tad Ohmann Jurek
Austin Christopher Kanduth
Lauren Rebecca Kantrovich

Kellen Jay Knop
Charlie Adeline Kolstad
Jon Edward Kraus
Hannah Louise Kriesch
Tyson James Kroells
Izabell Jean Krueger
Lily Ingrid Kruse
Chloe Marie Kuechle
Aliyah Marie Kurth
Frederick Charles Lang III
Joseph Anthony Lang
Elise Inez Larson
Kayla Alexandra Oselia Larson
Gavin Raphael Leaver
Duncan Callum Lee
Alan John Leukuma
Nathan Alexei Leukuma
Jessica Lin
Gavin Drake Lindberg
Chloe Rae Lintvedt
Noah Robert Lockwood
Madeline Elizabeth Marie
Lofstedt *
Robert James Lokken
Cade Matthew Lommel
Emily Joanne Lubben
Carson Scott Lynch
Hayden John Lynch
Emma Catharine Lyngby
Ella Millie Madson
Hunter Steven Mann
Jacob Bernard Marciniak
Rleigh Patricia Martin
Grace Emily Maschino

Stephanie Anne McClelland
Andrew Lorin McMahan
Boedi Michael Mellgren
Maria Virginette Molitor
Clair Elizabeth Moonen
Hailey Rose Motley
Samantha Jo Munson
Adrian Carlos Navarrete
Jaid Reece Necas
Kallon Joseph O'Neill
Terron Riley O'Neill
Megan Jean Oeffling
Steven Earle Orthengren
Mackenzie Rose Oswell
Eileen Marie Otto
Maximillian John Otto
Simon Joseph Otto
Tate Milano Pappas
Brody Scott Paul
Julia Carol Peterson
Emma Lorraine Pillsbury
Leah Jean Pinoniemi
Spencer Anthony Poll
Courtney Jean Rajewsky
Emma Grace Rametta
Jackson Robert Raskob
Eric Allen Rasmussen
Matthew Philip Reardon
Annika Stina Reierson
Trinity Katherine Reither
Cameron Randall Robinson *
Meyer Alden Rodine
Chloe Grace Rodriguez
Peyton Jade Roe

Ellis Claire Rold
Clair Deborah Rousu
Chloe Elizabeth Schaffer
Helayna Shelby Schafer
Nathan Lee Jae Scharpe *
Grace Elizabeth Schaut
Wyatt James Schleif
Casey John Schmidt
Brynn Kayla Schwankl
Jared Michael Schweiss
Collin Reed Sevigny
Logan Charles James Shaffner
Amelia Rose Skartvedt
Nathan Christopher Sladek
Brennan Robert Slipka
Ellie Lucille Smith
Keagen Sidney Smith
Benjamin Carl James Soberg
Andrew William Sorenson
Jordan Lee Spencer
Meghan Isabelle Staunton
Abigail Marie Steinberg
Zachariah Joel Stewart
Presley Ann Stoddard
Alex Lee Streiff *

Holly Kay Streiff
Jaynee Elizabeth Studer
Anna Marie Sword
Olivia Jess Taylor
Brenna Elizabeth Tipka
Hannah Lynn Trochman
Austin Michael Uecker
Brett Raymond Unrein
Jacob Donald VanBeusekom
Briana Marie VanCura
Haley Anh Vanderlinde
Jenavieve Ellen Verhey
Hannah Kay Vig
Jack Robert Vlaminck
Savannah Elizabeth Vosper
Abigail Marie Watkins
Michael William Weber
Jordan Daniel Wiest
Ethan James Williams
John Michael Winterhalter *
Adam Matthew Witt
Calvin Jacob Wolf
Sara Cheryl Ylitalo
Blithe Zaun

An * indicates the student's commitment to military service after graduation. We acknowledge and thank you for your service.

The 2020 Honor Graduates

High Honors

Jennifer Almquist	Elise Larson	Eric Rasmussen
Matthew Baker	Jessica Lin	Ellis Rold
Caitlyn Bekkala	Ella Madson	Helayna Schafer
Ashley Brinkmann	Stephanie	Collin Sevigny
Mackenzie Drews	McClelland	Jordan Spencer
Edward Hajas	Maria Molitor	Presley Stoddard
Kiley Holen	Clair Moonen	Michael Weber
Flanigan	Eileen Otto	Ethan Williams
Lauren Kantrovich	Spencer Poll	Blithe Zaun

Distinction

Emmett Anderson	Olivia Jaunich	Leah Pinoniemi
Cameron Andreae	Laurel Jaworski	Courtney Rajewsky
Charlotte Beltrand	Isabel Johnson	Emma Rametta
Megan Benker	Alyssa Juenke	Jackson Raskob
Niklas Bjorklund	Kellen Knop	Annika Reiersen
Charles Champion	Charlie Kolstad	Cameron Robinson
Owen Dailey	Jon Kraus	Chloe Rodriguez
Chandler Detweiler	Tyson Kroells	Amelia Skartvedt
Ashleigh DuPree	Izabell Krueger	Nathan Sladek
Piper Eagle	Chloe Kuechle	Ellie Smith
Anna Eliason	Aliyah Kurth	Keagen Smith
John Emmer	Gavin Lindberg	Holly Streiff
Mitchell Frank	Robert Lokken	Olivia Taylor
Crosby Gilmore	Cade Lommel	Brenna Tipka
Grace Glasrud	Raleigh Martin	Austin Uecker
Callie Hage	Grace Maschino	Briana VanCura
Caden Hall	Megan Oeffling	Jenavieve Verhey
Katie Halonen	Mackenzie Oswell	Savannah Vosper
Hallie Hebner	Maximillian Otto	Abigail Watkins
Ella Jaunich	Simon Otto	

2020 National Honor Society Delta Chapter

Jennifer Almquist	Aliyah Kurth	Annika Reiersen
Caitlyn Bekkala	Elise Larson	Ellis Rold
Charlotte Beltrand	Jessica Lin	Helayna Schafer
Megan Benker	Ella Madson	Collin Sevigny
Mackenzie Drews	Raleigh Martin	Amelia Skartvedt
Grace Glasrud	Stephanie McClelland	Nathan Sladek
Caden Hall	Maria Molitor	Ellie Smith
Kiley Holen Flanigan	Clair Moonen	Keagen Smith
Olivia Jaunich	Mackenzie Oswald	Presley Stoddard
Alyssa Juenke	Eileen Otto	Holly Streiff
Lauren Kantrovich	Spencer Poll	Savannah Vosper
Jon Kraus	Emma Rametta	Michael Weber
Izabell Krueger	Jackson Raskob	Ethan Williams
Chloe Kuechle	Eric Rasmussen	Blithe Zaun

Student Council Representatives

Caitlyn Bekkala	Maria Molitor	Savannah Vosper
Megan Benker	Eileen Otto	

2020 Students of the Year

Business Education.....	Austin Uecker
Family & Consumer Sciences.....	Abigail Watkins
Language Arts	Lauren Kantrovich
Mathematics	Jennifer Almquist
Music.....	Owen Dailey
Physical Education & Health	Brody Paul
Science	Presley Stoddard
Social Studies	Mackenzie Drews
Technology Education	Tad Jurek
Visual Arts.....	Trinity Reither
World Language.....	Courtney Rajewsky
Wright Technical Center	Samantha Munson

District Administration

Matthew Schoen, Superintendent
Mary Reeder, Business Manager
T. Joseph Vieau, Director of Teaching and Learning
Laura Stevens, Accountant
Jenny Lorentz, Human Resources Specialist
Oda Sturey, Payroll Specialist
Paul Downer, District Communications Coordinator and
Superintendent's/School Board Administrative Assistant

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Lisa Seguin, Chair	Amy Johnson, Director
Corey Black, Vice Chair	Susan Roeser, Director
Al Briesemeister, Treasurer	Jennie Rosenow, Director
Rachel Depa, Clerk	

Delano High School Staff

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Dr. Steven Heil

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Ryan Tool

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Dolly Hedtke

Julie Strobl

Marie Thomas

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Elise Boleman

Katie Larson

High School/District

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Belinda Krysan

Tina Prior

Business Education

Jeffrey Olson

English Learners

Ashley Johnson

Family & Consumer Sciences

Darcie Pemberton

Gifted & Talented

Heidi O'Donnell

Language Arts

Breeze Bestland

Meghan Gibas

Stephanie Harbulak-Barron

Rachel Holmes

Joseph Lawrence

Robert Luke

Daniel Mathieson

Amy Poppler

Melody Soderberg

James VanCura

Mathematics

Kristina Houghlum

Emilie Kalvig

Kaitlyn Krismer

Carly Linden

Julie Longstreet

Julie Nielsen

Matthew Nohner
Jerry Shouts
Amanda Weinandt
Lydia Wissink

Media Center

Monica Kunkel

Music

Eric Conway
Mike Dailey
Jason Koets
Sandy Meyerson

On-Line Learning

Nancy Stellrecht

Paraprofessionals

Nathan Brisley
Damon Clare
Lona DeSutter
Jen Donahue
Ginny Grefsrud
Lisa Krueger
Kim Muckenhirn
Carol Nelson
Tracy Parks
Erik Peterson
Kristine Schansberg
Sheila Screeden
Melissa Udstrand

Physical Education &

Health

Jamie Longstreet
Maria Menz
Mitch Rue
Michael Shoultz
Carrie Wittenberg
Project Lead the Way

Tory Spanier
School Within A School

Shallyn Tordeur

Science

Brian Allison
Jessica Bahe

Karen Hohenstein
Jason Monke
Rebecca Rue
Stephen Schaack
Carley Spiese

Michael Stoudt
Gerrit vanBergen

Social Studies

Steve Brown
Sarah Cadden
Cody Foster
Megan Halbleib
Marjorie Miller
Nathan Peterson
Ethan Preisler
Mark Schramel
Robert Stocker

Social Worker

Marie Techam

Special Education

Amy Glitsos
Megan Hovick
Teri Kuperus
Kaitlin Pear
Ginny Schuelke
Julie Semeizer
Josh Tierney
Lora Voight
Emily Walters

Speech

Amy Voss

Technology Education

Joseph Finn

Visual Arts

Raymond Cordes
Tannah Frawley

World Language

Jane Aksoy
Melissa Baker
John Fitzer

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