



CARLISLE AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents of the Class of 2021,

As you may already know, *Camera Box* of Camp Hill has served Carlisle High School as the official yearbook photographer for many years. In exchange for allowing *Camera Box* to photograph our senior class, the Oracle yearbook staff is provided with free pictures of athletic events, many clubs and organizations, academic shots, social activity candid pictures and other groups. In addition to yearbook use, the pictures are also used in a variety of publicity and/or program publications. Without this arrangement, the cost of our yearbook would soar greatly due to increased photography costs.

When your senior participates in a sitting, *Camera Box* provides the Oracle staff with a yearbook picture. Using one photographer assures our staff of a consistent style and high quality that is especially important when we publish the entire yearbook in color. The senior section of the yearbook will be our first submission. In order to publish a yearbook by the end of the year, our publisher will require us to submit the senior section in the fall.

The basic portrait sitting consists of various head and shoulder poses in one outfit and normally costs \$35.00. However, due to the pandemic situation, students who schedule an appointment to have their picture taken by *Camera Box* in the Fowler Center on August 10th, 11th, 12th or 13th will pay only \$25.00 for a sitting fee and yearbook picture. Morning, afternoon and some early evening appointments are available at school. Students who are unable to schedule a sitting at school may schedule an appointment at *Camera Box* in Camp Hill at available times during July or August and will also pay only \$25 for the sitting fee. A limited number of appointments will also be available at the Camp Hill studio in September. If you have any concerns regarding the sitting fee, please contact the yearbook adviser, Kate Muir, at muirk@carliseschools.org, and she may be able to offer assistance.

Please urge your senior to dress appropriately. To ensure continuity throughout the senior section, we strongly encourage male students to wear a coat and tie for the yearbook. Because of COVID-19 precautions, *Camera Box* may not be able to provide shared jackets this year. Please wear your own dress shirt. We request that you wear your own tie, but we will have some if you need to borrow one.

Female students should refrain from wearing thin-strapped tank style tops. A formal sweater or dress is good, or you can wear one of our drapes. *Camera Box* provides the drape, and each drape is cleaned after each use. We also have pearls available if needed, and we disinfect them with UV light after each use.

Please remember that you are under no obligation to purchase senior portrait packages, but only *Camera Box* portraits will be published in the Oracle. For an additional charge, other poses can be taken at school or at the Camp Hill studio in attire of the student's choice and the *Camera Box* offers a variety of photo packages. Visit their website for more information or to schedule an appointment:

camerabox.com/carlisle

Our goal is to create a beautiful book that your senior will treasure for many years to come. We want to include pictures of EVERY senior, but we need your help. Due to yearbook publishing deadlines, it is important for students to schedule picture appointments during the summer months. Please encourage your senior to schedule an appointment with *Camera Box*, as soon as possible.

Sincerely

Camera Box & Oracle Yearbook Staff