

Land Acknowledgement

Why include a land acknowledgement in our ceremony today?

Graduation ceremonies are long-standing traditions that honor the successes, accomplishments, struggles, and sacrifices made by the graduates, their families, and the broader community in which these students have lived and studied. Our school and district are also committed to honoring the accomplishments and struggles of those who came before us in this place we collectively call home; a land acknowledgement is an important way we do this. Further, we are committed to action beyond these words of reflection. This action includes beginning to engage our tribal and indigenous community members in dialogue and partnership, and providing professional learning for our staff on this topic. Today, we look back in acknowledgement as we look forward in celebration.

Program

<i>Processional</i>	<i>“Pomp and Circumstance”</i>
<i>National Anthem</i>	<i>“Star Spangled Banner” Performed by: Bend High Chorale Under the direction of Matt Pierce</i>
<i>Signers</i>	<i>Nicholas James Austin, Emily Brooke Colvin, Zophia Aubree Garza, Makaya Sol Ziober</i>
<i>Silver Cords</i>	<i>Kush Goyal, Curran Jacobus, Haspard Murphy Honored Juniors / Ushers</i>
<i>Welcome</i>	<i>Principal Christopher Reese</i>
<i>Song</i>	<i>“Time After Time” Written by: Heidleman and Lauper Arranged by: Jacob Bihl Performed by: Bend High Dynamics Soloists: Raelynn Dawley, Elijah Dayton, Finnley McCulloch, Kylie Mondragon, Emma Petrescu, David Roe, Aunallie Schmidt, Natalie Williams Under the direction of Matt Pierce</i>
<i>Senior Speaker</i>	<i>Olive Easterbrook Nye</i>
<i>Acceptance of the Class</i>	<i>Dr. Steven Cook, Superintendent</i>
<i>Presentation of Diplomas</i>	<i>Dr. Steven Cook, Superintendent Christopher Reese, Principal</i>
<i>Reading of Graduate Names: (in order of reading)</i>	<i>Lindy Gilbert, Sophie Jensen, Christine Ewing, Anita Moore, Seth McCracken, Karen Stiner, Steve Wetherald</i>
<i>Turning of the Tassels</i>	<i>Ivyhailyn Montoya-Acevedo, Valedictorian Penny Stark Yost, Salutatorian</i>
<i>Recessional</i>	<i>“Coronation Fanfare”</i>

Class Organization

<i>Principal:</i>	<i>Christopher Reese</i>
<i>Assistant Principals:</i>	<i>MacKenzie Groshong, Paul Hutter, Karen Stiner</i>
<i>Senior Class Counselors:</i>	<i>Christine Ewing, Lindy Gilbert, Sophie Jensen, Seth McCracken</i>
<i>School Board Members:</i>	<i>Kina Chadwick, Melissa Barnes Dholakia, Carrie McPherson Douglass, Marcus LeGrand, Shimiko Montgomery, Shirley Olson, Amy Tatom</i>
<i>Valedictorian:</i>	<i>Ivyhailyn Fabiola Montoya-Acevedo</i>
<i>Salutatorian:</i>	<i>Penny Stark Yost</i>
<i>Senior Class Motto:</i>	<i>“When the night has come, And the land is dark, And the moon is the only light we’ll see, No, I won’t be afraid, Just as long as you stand, Stand by me”</i> <i>Ben E. King – “Stand by Me”</i>

<i>Cords/Sashes:</i>	<i>White Sash</i>	<i>Valedictorian and Salutatorian</i>
	<i>Blue Sash</i>	<i>IB Diploma Candidates</i>
	<i>Gold Cords</i>	<i>Honor Students (3.5 GPA and above)</i>
	<i>Blue/Gold Cords</i>	<i>Honors Diploma Recipients</i>
	<i>Pink Cords</i>	<i>Band, Choir, Orchestra and Visual Arts</i>
	<i>White Cords</i>	<i>Student Government</i>
	<i>Dark Green Cords</i>	<i>Yearbook and News Staff</i>
	<i>Orange Cords</i>	<i>Construction Technology, Culinary, DECA, Engineering, Graphic Arts</i>
	<i>Brown Cords</i>	<i>Theater Arts</i>
	<i>Black Cords</i>	<i>Physical Education</i>
	<i>Purple Cords</i>	<i>National Honor Society</i>
	<i>Turquoise Cords</i>	<i>Interact Club</i>
	<i>Red/Grey Cords</i>	<i>Speech and Debate</i>
	<i>Royal Blue Cords</i>	<i>Unified Mentors</i>
	<i>Red/White Cords</i>	<i>Unified Students</i>
	<i>Purple/Silver Cords</i>	<i>Seal of Biliteracy</i>
	<i>Medallions</i>	<i>Dual Immersion Students</i>

*Jade Nicole Skjersaa
Tanner Jeffrey Smith
Jamie Nicole Smoker
Staci Elizabeth Snelson
Jack Deforest Sorenson
Kjersten Mikaela Southworth
Ranginui Peter Ngatoko Sowerby
Logan Allen Spencer
Avery Jo Spikerman
Liam Douglas Spinney
Trenton Edward Staley
Jullian Louise Stein
Kellen Arthur Stemberger
Miyah Ann Sternberger
Cora Jenson Stevens
Talia Hope Stockwell
Oliver Abraham Stofen
John William Stone
Aiyona Kacie Rae Surbrook
Liza Jane Swanson
Micah Anthony Swartout
Ava Sahalie Teel
Jett Alexander Tippet
Abram William Louis Todd
Whitney Lyn Tone
Taylor Marie Toney
Genelle Trejo
Elsie Rue Tubbs
Isabella Ruby Turco
Haley Elizabeth McKenzie Turrell
Kristel Alexa Ullauri-Carbo
Evelin Alessandra Urzua-Vasquez
Iszabelle Dawn Vanderford
Kylie Makana Vedelli
Ashley Coral Ventura Ortega
Brianna Vidali-Rood
Zane Perry Viles
Evan Michael Vito
Makhena Rose Waldron
Alexander Jae Walker-Waltz
Ashlyn Irene Warren
Lauren Joy Warrick
Sophia Kay Weathers*

*Lola Mae Weinsheim
Lillian Faith Wells
Jordan Kay Welsh
Jaden Ronald Whitworth
Ella Grace Wiley
Carmyn Elizabeth Willard
Grace Ann Williams
Natalie Elaine Williams
Keira Grace Wilson
Lauren Michelle Wilson
Ezekiel Warren Winchester
Sarah Natalie Witts
Harmony May Wright
Nathan Richard Wurth
Branson Jay Wyllie
Jessica Nicole Wysong
Penny Stark Yost
Brennan Robert Young
Blake Thomas Morrow Youngblood
Eli Jules Zatz
Makaya Sol Burnquist Ziober
Juan Zuniga
Aalyah Dorian Zuniga Garcia
Kimberly Tatiana Zuniga Ortega
Nathan Alexander Zweers*

Class of 2023

Jackson Louis Milum
 Freddy Molina-Pasaye
 Kylie Marie Mondragon
 Ivyhailyn Fabiola Montoya-Acevedo
 Lilia Elli Morais
 Kaia Trier Morch
 Logan James Morris
 Kolby Scott Mose
 Victoria Angelina Munguia
 Jack Joseph Murray
 Kai Gavin Nagel
 Benjamin Roland Newman
 London Jane Nicol
 Jade Marie Nishikawa
 Devin Marshal Noe
 Shyla Thomasina Nunes
 Malakai Mathew Nutter
 Olive Easterbrook Nye
 Joshua Ocampo Diaz
 Luis Isaac Ocampo Diaz
 Amairani Ochoa Toscano
 Erik Ochoa-Saldana
 Benjamin Robert James Olson
 Brian Noeh Ortega-Colis
 Landen Bishop Osher
 Makalu Leonard Ostrom
 Abbi Mae Fang Palmer
 Kahleah Ping Paris
 Allison Flower Parker
 Keairah Rose Parker
 Kaylee Grace Parks
 Erik Quinn Paslay
 Isabelle Faith Patterson
 William Walton Pence
 Allee Rose Pendergast
 Tyler McCoy Penney
 Ivan Perez-Ramirez
 Emma Rose Petrescu
 Joshua Lee Caleb Pietrowski
 Micah Allan Pietrowski
 Elise Nicole Pinca
 Lizbeth Plascencia Munoz
 Edward Merrill Podoll

Pedro Antonio Polanco Cantoral
 Connor Emmette Powell
 Daniella Christine Powers
 Carson William Price
 Chloe Sonaya Pruong-McCreery
 Izabella Jeane Quinn
 Abigail Ostoja Rabenstein
 Cassidy Lillian Randall
 Jillian Elizabeth Randall
 Blake Avery Reid
 Kevin Christopher Renner
 Natalie Danae Reveles
 Orion Russell Rice
 Harper Madeleine Rich
 Leamon Austin-Lynn Rich
 Annalise Monique Rives
 Jeshua Alexei Rocha-Estrada
 Julissa Michelle Rodriguez
 Kevin Keith Rodriguez Puente
 David James Roe
 Melanie Paige Roley
 Isayani Geselle Roque-Lucas
 Evan Brady Roy
 Marielle Legris Ruder
 Natalie Samantha Ruiz Beltran
 Elijah Todd Rundall
 Angel Salcedo-Mejia
 Erick Samayoa-Moreno
 Margaux Valentina Samford
 Luis Fernando Sanchez-Arellano
 Clea Saida Santangelo
 Giovanna Ashley Santini
 Angel Miguel Santos-Milan
 Livia Saunders
 Aunallie Adara Schmidt
 Liam Jetson Schmitt
 Ethan Roy Schneibel
 Finn Robert Schuller
 Sasha Mielle Sebulsky
 Hayden Perry Shouts
 Mia Clementine Sigel
 Talia Kathleen Silberfein
 Eduardo Charles Sirin

Riley Ursula Ahmuty
 Vincente Dominic Aldana
 Grady Douglas Alexander
 Jack Wild Alexander
 Garner Mark Whitney Allison
 Jordan David Anderson
 Thomas Steven Anderson
 Stephanie Anguiano-Aguilar
 Alma Paola Aparicio Portillo
 Sam Henry Armstrong
 Kenneth Cruz-Woo Arnett
 Aracely Itzel Arteaga-Gonzalez
 Brooke Rylan Auerbach
 Nicholas James Austin
 Gabriel Sosa Baca
 Tate Bailey
 Austin James Baker
 Hunter Nicholas Baker
 Kylie Mae Barker
 Holiday Camilla Barnes
 Emily Grace Beal
 Avery Grace Beauvais
 Noah Ryan Bell
 Luis Alexis Benavides Espinosa
 Jordyn Kayla Bennett
 Zachary John Bennett
 Grace McKayla Benson
 Katherine Keller Berg
 Jacob Clarke Bernardy
 Samuel James Biedscheid
 Gillian Chloe Bird
 Jackson Shane Bishop
 Annaleah Margaret Blair
 Haleigh Madelyn Blodgett
 Maxwell Quinn Bock
 Keileen McKenna Amelia Boom
 Lauren Marie O'Neill Brady
 Joshua Christopher Brandon
 Anna Sophia Brantley
 Gage Winsett Brown
 Jake Shane Brown
 Levi Wallace Brown
 Angela Harlymae Brusseau

Jaylie Aspen Budke
 Finnlee May Burke
 Hayden James Cagle
 Daniela Gizelle Campos Lizama
 Jessica Marie Canepa
 Cinthia Vanessa Cantoral-Diaz
 Elliot Lee Cardwell-Hoffman
 Aaron David Casper
 Yulissa Isabel Cendejas
 Carson James Chancellor
 Rosey Nina Chapin
 Hadley Ammon Charles
 Veronica Lizeth Chavez
 Gildardo Noel Chavez-Garcia
 Avery Elizabeth Chinchon
 John Beck Christoferson
 Quinn Thomas Clabough
 Abigail Jane Clark
 Taylor Anne Clark
 Hailey May Close
 Ethan Parker Cochran
 Lucy Louisa Joy Cockrum
 Trevor James Coffell
 Spencer Michael Collard
 Milo Morris Collins
 Emily Brooke Colvin
 Kristian Leigh Contreras
 Cole Maximus Conway
 Ellie Rae Cook
 Justin James Cook
 Rylee Terrise Copeland
 Bradyn James Cornelison
 Cameryn Jaina Coughlin
 Oliver Davis Covlin
 Silas Christian Cox
 Amelia Mae Crakes
 Sean Kelly Craven
 Dallas Dean Crumpton
 Andre Lucas Cruz
 Marilyn Cruz-Ostorga
 Olivia Jean Cutshaw
 Justin Aaron Dahlgren
 Amber Mary Towne Damboise

Brayden Chance Davis
Cole Robert Davis
Jaxon Robert Davis
Raelynn Rachelle Dawley
Patrick Galero Dayrit
Elijah Xakel Dayton
Hannah Dori Desmond-Cieslowski
Gagandeep Kaur Dhanoa
Zachary Evan Dinsmore
Sophia Ilene Ditman
Christopher Jeffrey Doke
Blezyl Marie Domingo
Caden Alan Dornhecker
Sairdee Edell Dow
Owen Andrew Dunn
Taylor Ryan Dunn
Lily Mae Eckert
Harris Carl Donald Ekstrom
Jake Thomas Endter
Gavin Parker Erlich
Annika Marie Evanitus
Jadrea Taylor Fairham
Ethan Oliver Farrow
Joseph Andrew Feinstein
Calvin Aaron Fenner
Zendra Mae Fennerl
Grace Ann Finch
Elizabeth Mae Findling
Blaine Anthony Fitzpatrick
Eloise Rose Flanagan
Sophie Zsa Zsa Flanagan
Joshua Owen Flannery
Jonathan Aidyn Flowers
Cameron Cooper Frick
Gus Abbott Frickey
Tannon James Frost
Geoffrey Dylan Furrow
Dennis Russell Gaede
Grace Olivia Gaines
Dario Garcia, Jr.
Pablo Andree Garcia
Mason Anthony Gardner
Kyle Eliot Garrity

Zophia Aubree Garza
Leilani Marissa Gassner
Matea Naomi Gesuale
Corinne Faith Giacinto
Lucinda Anne Gilbertson
Alex James Gillespie
Madeline Reyna Gimeno
Jakub Andrew Godard
Gracie Suzanne Goewey
Sirena Yareli Gonzalez
Brandon Alexis Gonzalez-Najera
Nathan Keoni Goodman
Ileana Adele Gorman
Josie Grace Graham
Charlie Dale Grant
Ryan Gregorio
Ethan Eugene Greiner
Audrey Madison Groom
Blake Matthew Groshong
Hunter Donovan Gross
Elliana Isabel Groves
Rylee Nicole Grubb
Valerie Stephanie Guevara Valdovinos
Mason James Gulnac
Luis Adolfo Guzman-Arenas
Ellie Hop Hakala
Sophia Ryan Haney
Shosuke Harada
Chloe Hazel Harbaugh
Kaylee LaRue Harris
Caitlyn Grace Hasha
Amy Claire Hatchett
Kodi Elizabeth Hauswald
William August Helwig
Zachary Daniel Henneous
Jack Daniel Henningsen
Angel Hernandez-Garcia
Harley Duane Herndon
Ashton Kathleen Hester
Ella Dylan Hicks
Kristina Marie Hinkle
Nolan Ray Hodson
Carson West Hohengarten

Ashlee Reese Holland
Sadie Gray Hollingsworth
Jazz Raphael Honaker
Elijah Daniel Hooper
Saylor Isabella Hutchison
Kaden Alan Isola
Dahlia Bleu Janosek
Tobin Jude Jansen
Melanie Doreen Joy Jasikiewicz
Isabel Amelia Jespersen
Beck Christian Johansen
Connor David Johnson
Naomi Marie Katherine Johnson
Bodhi Makai Jones-Brown
Max Henry Joseph
Keirra Rose Juhola
Eva Marie Junkin
Savanna Rose Kadin
Carson Stuart Karpstein
Clare Ruby Karpstein
Trenton Allen Karpstein
Jonathan Bruce Kelley
Aidan Jack Kelly
Kaleo Alejandro Kelly
Zack Edward Kennedy
Benjamin Desmond Keown
Caleb E Killett
Kaili Eun Mi Kim
Jemma Jane King
Landrie Rose Kinkade
Makenna Noelle Kirkpatrick
Seth Allen Klaus
Nolan Ryder Knapp
Joel Ray Knight
Kate Therese Koblegarde
Zak Allen Krewson
Cadence Elaine Kruse
Reese Shelby Kunitzer
Shaelynn Larue Kvortek
Alexander Jacob Laakmann
Soli Leon Lachman
Ava Jade Lawson
Steven Alexander Lechuga

Kianna Lemus
Camille Ruth Lentz
Abrieanna Lee Lewis
Jacob Allen L'Hommedieu
Jissel Ariel Limon Olivarez
Daniel Linares
Abraham Nyah Lindberg
Malachi Kebra Lindberg
Logan Alan Lindsay
Clement John Link
Ella John Livingston
Jacob Thomas Lothrop
Jackson Elijah Lowy
Cesar Daniel Lucas Alarcon
Mary Elizabeth Lurding
Crosley John Lyman
Mariana Macias-Vazquez
Brody Joseph MacLeod
Madeline Marisa Magana Solis
Logan Thomas Malinowski
McKenna Ella Mancuso
Luna Grace Mansfield
Loen Stephen Marks
Lillian Alana Martin
Taylor Alysa Martin
Jair Martinez
Francisco Martinez Mendez
Lindsey Lane Mathiesen
Kiera Christine Mathison
Matthew Braydon Maul
Madeline Elizabeth McCleary
Ava Ray McCord
Coleton John McCoy
Braeden James McCracken
Jonathan Derk McCulley
Finnley James McCulloch
Uriah Kelly McDonald
Darien James McDougall
Joel Uziah McLaughlin
Jamie Rozella McNeil
Savanna Renea Meeks
Memphis Lynn Ann Menser
Madelynn Dianne Miller