

Colcord Homecoming Policy: Revised April 20th, 2015

The cost of flowers, crown, and other decorations is limited to \$300 for each homecoming.

The organization of homecoming activities is the responsibility of the cheer coach, cheerleaders, and attendants.

If there is a homecoming dance, it will be for grades 9-12.

Fall Homecoming – Football Season

The **Football Homecoming King** shall be the captain and a senior member of the team. The king

- shall be chosen by the varsity football team and/or the football coaches.
- shall not be disallowed by 5 or more members of the high school faculty (may take into account the spring semester of the previous year). Faculty will be encouraged to consider character and integrity.

All other senior football players in good standing shall be homecoming escorts.

The **Football Homecoming Queen Candidates** shall be from the senior class and

- be voted on by the 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th grade members of the Colcord student body. (From a list of senior girls, students will rank six (6) girls from 1 to 6. A rank of 1 shall be worth 6 points, a rank of 2 shall be worth 5 points, and so on.)
- shall not be disallowed by 5 or more members of the high school faculty to be eligible. Faculty may take into account the spring semester of the previous year and will be encouraged to consider character and integrity. This process should take place approximately one week before the homecoming game.

There shall be 6 candidates for queen. A candidate may have 2 escorts and, likewise, an escort may walk 2 candidates—dependent upon the number of eligible senior football players.

If there are fewer than 3 senior football players, coaches and/or team members may select junior football players to be escorts. (This may also include the captain/king if there are **no** senior team members in good standing.)

Voting should occur no less than 2 weeks before the homecoming game. Votes shall be tabulated by at least two members from the following: administrators, cheer/football coaches, high school counselor, or other certified personnel approved by administration.

The name of the queen shall not be announced until the evening coronation. The daytime assembly may include, but not be limited to, the introduction of the homecoming royalty.

Each member of the homecoming royalty shall submit a name from a Colcord kindergarten classroom for the honor of crown bearer and flower girl. Escorts and king shall submit boy's name and queen candidates shall submit girl's name. One of these names will be randomly drawn from each pool by the Student Council President.

Spring Homecoming – Basketball Season

The **Basketball Homecoming King** and the **Basketball Homecoming Queen** shall be senior members of the teams in good standing and

- be chosen by the boys' and girls' varsity basketball teams, respectively, and/or the basketball coaches. (Team members will rank eligible players from 1 to 4 or the total number of senior players, whichever is higher. A rank of 1 will be worth the highest number of points. A last place ranking will be worth 1 point.)
- not be disallowed by 5 or more members of the high school faculty to be eligible. Faculty will be encouraged to consider character and integrity. This process should take place approximately one week before the homecoming game.

All other senior members of the basketball teams in good standing shall be escorts and attendants. If there are no eligible senior members of the team, the king and/or queen could potentially be a junior.

The number of candidates for queen shall not be fewer than 4. If fewer than 4 seniors play basketball, additional candidates may be junior members of the basketball team. In such cases, the queen might potentially be a junior.

The football queen shall not be eligible to be basketball queen.

Voting should occur no less than 2 weeks before the homecoming game. Votes shall be tabulated by at least two members from the following: administrators, cheer/basketball coaches, high school counselor, or other certified personnel approved by administration.

The name of the queen shall not be announced until the evening coronation. The time for announcing the king shall be left to the discretion of the basketball coaches. The daytime assembly may include, but not be limited to, the introduction of the homecoming royalty.

Each member of the homecoming royalty shall submit a name from a Colcord kindergarten classroom for the honor of crown bearer and flower girl. Escorts and king shall submit boy's name and queen candidates shall submit girl's name. One of these names will be randomly drawn from each pool by the Student Council President.

For the homecoming games, the boys' game shall take place first. The girls' game shall be second.

** Policies for homecomings sponsored by other clubs/organization will be left up to the discretion of the sponsor/advisor.*