

## THE BOYS' "HOW-TO" GUIDE FOR PROM

### 1.) Are you going to Prom?

- a. Yes? **Ensure your grad fees are paid.**
- b. No? See Mrs. Toews

### 2.) Are you going to ask a date?

- a. YES? Ask her soon.
  - i. AVOID EXTRAVAGENT PROMPOSALS- this is HUGE pressure for the girls- be simple, direct, and maybe a bit romantic
- b. Is she a non-ATSS student or in grade 11? GET A GUEST APROVAL FORM (see Mrs. Toews)!
- c. No? Going with friends? Talk to them!

### 3.) **Order a tuxedo or suit-** you'll spend about \$100.00 and up on this

- a. Moore's 604-854-5470
- b. Black and Lee: 604-852-0044

### 4.) **Order flowers**

- a. Have a date? She needs a corsage (small bouquet for wrist or dress)- wrist corsages are best
  - i. Orchids, freesia and lilies are lovely. Roses are classic
  - ii. Find out what colour her dress is and order flowers the same colour
  - iii. These will be about \$50 and up each
- b. You need a boutonniere (single flower for your jacket)
  - i. If you have a date, choose one of the flowers from her corsage and ask for this to be your boutonniere
  - ii. These will be about \$25 and up each
  - iii. Make sure you ask for a pick up of flowers for early afternoon (11 or 12) on the day of prom.
- c. **KEEP THE FLOWERS IN THE FRIDGE UNTIL IT IS TIME TO GIVE IT TO HER**
- d. Florists to try (although there are many):
  1. Simply Perfect Flowers 604-557-0055
  2. Rosebay Florist 604-853-4444
  3. She's My Florist 604-746-4612

- 5.) Make an appointment to get your **haircut** BEFORE prom- the day or two before is best
  
- 6.) Figure out **where you are getting ready and what time**
  - a. Your house
  - b. A friend's
  
- 7.) When **getting ready**
  - a. Make sure your hands are clean before you handle the tux/suit
  - b. SHOWER
  - c. Don't bathe in cologne- **a little goes a long way**
  
- 8.) Figure out **how you will get to ATSS**
  - a. Parents
  - b. Drive yourself
  - c. Limo- can run about \$100 per hour for 2 hours
    - i. Most limos fit 10 people
      1. Gentleman Jim's 604-888-4804
      2. Central Valley Taxi and Limo 604-859-1111
      3. Black Tie Limo 604-644-8717
  - d. Fancy car/specialty vehicle
  - e. **DON'T CONSUME ALCOHOL**
  - f. Make sure you are dropped off at ATSS between 4:00-4:30 (4:30 at the latest)
  
- 9.) When you pick up/meet your date, **COMPLIMENT HER!**
  - a. Have pics taken; **SMILE**
  - b. During prom- pay attention to your date; make conversation- **leave the phone alone.**
  
- 10.) Figure out how you are going to get to your next destination after you return from prom (back around 12:30 am)
  - a. **Plan a safe ride- DON'T DRINK AND DRIVE**

Have fun!!