

February 23, 2018

Dear 2018 Commencement Participant:

Congratulations! It is my pleasure to celebrate with you on your recent/upcoming graduation.

Marietta College's 2018 Commencement will be held Sunday, May 6, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. in the Marietta College Dyson Baudo Recreation Center. Commencement is a significant event at Marietta College, one surrounded by tradition and history. We look forward to your participation as we celebrate this tremendous milestone for the Class of 2018.

Diplomas are being ordered and preparations are under way for making this a memorable experience for you, your family, and your friends! A Commencement invitation is also being sent to the family members specified on your Graduation Application. If you did not include family addresses but would like to have a family packet sent, please contact Gail Milone at 740-376-4728.

The most important enclosure here is the **2018 Commencement Guidelines and Information Sheet**. Please **read both sides carefully and retain for future reference**, as it contains important information about:

- Mandatory Grad Fest: Monday, April 16, from 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., in the Bookstore.
- Ordering your regalia: New navy cap and gown with stoles that can be customized to display your participation in campus activities are ordered through the Bookstore
- Commencement day details: Check in between 11:30-12:30 on May 6

Other enclosures include information on the Jewett Competition, the 2018 Commencement Schedule and Senior Send Off schedule of events, and an informational letter from Bruce Heflin Photography, who will be taking photos during the ceremony.

**This is the only mailing that you will receive regarding Commencement.** After carefully reviewing the enclosed information, please feel free to contact the Records Office at 740-376-4723 with any questions. You also are encouraged to visit <http://www.marietta.edu/commencement> for up-to-date information or to find copies of all information included in this packet as well as a copy of the family invitation.

Please let us know if we may be of assistance. We trust that your connections to Marietta College – your new Alma Mater – will remain strong. Best wishes for success in your future endeavors!

Sincerely,



Tina K. Hickman  
Registrar

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