

Frequently Asked Questions about the Last Blast Dance:

1. **What do I wear?** Boys should wear nice pants or khakis – no jeans – a shirt and tie. A jacket is not required. Girls should wear age appropriate dresses; gowns are not permitted. A shall, sweater, or small jacket must be worn over the dress if the dress does not have straps or exposes the back. *For dresses that are strapless, it is suggested that clear or bone colored straps are added to secure the dress adequately.*
2. **What about shoes?** Girls tend to wear high heels but take them off once the dance begins because they realize they cannot walk around in high heels. Going barefoot is not permitted so make sure you bring a pair of sneakers or other sandals that are more comfortable. For safety reasons, students will not be able to walk around the courtyard or cafetorium in bare feet.
3. **Who is allowed to attend the Last Blast Dance?** 8th Graders ONLY! You will be able to bring a guest from another school, but they must be an 8th grader and you will be required to fill out a permission slip before admittance to the dance. In early June, Mr. Miller will have paperwork available for you to bring ONE guest, which must be returned by a specified deadline and then reviewed and approved by the Brooklawn building administration.
4. **Can we take a limo to the Last Blast Dance?** NO. This is NOT a prom; it is a middle school dance. No limos or any other “special cars” are permitted. Students should be dropped off and picked up just like for every other dance that they have attended.
5. **Can parents come by and take pictures?** YES. Students usually stay in the courtyard or in front of the school before the dance so pictures can be taken. Parents are not permitted to enter the dance once the students have left the courtyard.
6. **How much is a ticket to the Last Blast Dance, and when will they be sold?** Tickets will be sold at Period 7 lunch on June 11-14 for \$7.00 with your Student Activity Card, or \$10.00 without. All approved guest tickets are \$10.00, and so are all tickets purchased at the door.
7. **Will there be food at the dance?** YES. Bottled water and a variety of appetizers such as chicken fingers, mozzarella sticks, pigs in a blanket, pizza, veggie wraps, etc. will be provided at no additional cost.
8. **Do I have to be in school on Friday June 14 to attend the dance?** YES. You may be signed out early by your parents, but only AFTER 12:00 p.m.
9. **What time is the dance?** 7:30-**10:00** p.m. You must have a parent here to pick you up at **10:00** SHARP!
10. **Do I need a date to attend the dance?** Absolutely not! Many people come to the Last Blast Dance with their friends, just like any other Brooklawn dance.