# Monroe Area High School



One Hundred and Thirteenth Commencement Thursday, June 18, 2020 8:00 p.m. Hurricane Field



# **Walton County Board of Education**

Superintendent	Dr. Nathan Franklin
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### **Administration**

Principal	Mr. Bryan Hicks
Assistant Principal	Dr. Jamie Antwine
Assistant Principal	Dr. Kimberly Brown
Assistant Principal	

# **Marshals**

Alexis Edwards Lee Hills

#### **Ushers**

Michael Hammond Allison Jones Desiree Joslin Victoria League Rebecca Nix Natalie Powers Kara Rather Savannah Scott

# **Alma Mater**

Oh Monroe High, the best school in our land,
True patriots love in all thy sons command,
With glowing hearts we see thee rise,
A true school strong and free,
And stand on guard, O Monroe High,
We stand on guard for thee.

Oh Monroe High, glorious and free, We stand on guard, We stand on guard for thee! Oh Monroe High, we stand on guard for thee!

# Monroe Area High School Commencement Exercises Class of 2020

*	Processional"Pomp ar	nd Circumstance"	
*	Presentation of ColorsAir Fo	rce Junior ROTC	
*	National Anthem		
*	Expectations of Addienceivialiony	Eleanor Holmes ior Class Secretary	
	Welcome	ayla Quistna Eley ass Vice-President	
	Special Group Recognition	Mr. Bryan Hicks	
	Presentation of Salutatorian and ValedictorianMr. Bryan Hicks Salutatory Address – Katlyn Grace Phelps Valedictory Address – Marissa Nicole Wilkins		
	Certification and Presentation of Senior Classand Dr. Nathan Franklin, Superintendent of Walton County Sc		
	Awarding of DiplomasMr. Bryan Hicks Assisted by Mr. Charles Bowling and Mr. Elijah Connell		
	Presentation of Senior GiftMcKayla L	atrese Hendricks for Class Treasurer	
	Turning of the TasselCeli	ia Harley Hanson ior Class President	
*	Alma Mater		
*	RecessionalComposed b	y James Ployhar	

Audience Stands

#### MONROE AREA HIGH SCHOOL

#### 2020 Candidates for Graduation

Anthony Aguilar

Brendan Drake Alday

Myterrall Dormy'ce Anderson

China Gabrial Ansley +

Miguasa Brianna Ansley

Jessica Grace-Ann Atha +

N'dea Ajanae Atkinson

**Christian Noel Austin** 

Ana-Laura Avilez

Morgan Taylor Bagley +

Kobe Matea Bailey 3

Juan Jose Banda Guerra 3

**Christopher Chase Banks** 

**Emily Marie Barnes** 

**Dorlitha Lavon Bass** 

Anthony Dylan Bell

Cassidy Rain Bell \*,+,3

Walker Bryan Bell

Savannah Ryley Benton

Marcellus Isaiah Bethea

Annabelle Ariel Bindraban +,1,2,4,5

Justin Danial Bindraban +,4,5

Nicholas James Bioust

Brittany Ariana-Simone Blackwell

Zariahm Eiram Blade

Angelica Monet' Bostwick +,1,4

Clavveus Leanard Branch

Dalvin Josean Branch

Loren Mackenzie Briscuso

Betsy Suzanne Britt +.1.2.4

Savannah Faye Brooks

Tykeria Shanee Brooks

Ai'alae Kendriana Brown

**Daniel Elias Brown** 

Ethan Sinsire' Brown

Mason Rutherford Brown

Rodneyunia Shakel Burce

**Amir Kalif Burton** 

Malachi Isaiah Byars

Roger Ray Byrd

Khentari Treshaun Caldwell

Abigail Jane Canuel +,1,2,3,4

Cambrin Tyreke Carr

Darrell Lamar Carr III

Dale Lamar Carter

Carmen Akira Carter Durham

Christian Alexander Cash

Ja'Quavious Tyrese Cash

Dustin Fej Hoom Chang

Savannah Grace Chapman +,1,3,4

Samantha Kay Chastain

Cheraline Cherezy

Caragan Brooke Cherry +,1,4,5

Andrew Tylor Christian

Denireo JaQuez Clark

Megan Clark

Talon Montgomery Clevenger

Aaliyah Zakeia Cody

Yasmine La'Shawn Collins +,4

Cody Donald Cook +

Savannah Mae Couch +

Jeremiah Timothy Crown Jr.

Dareon Semar Crutchfield

Marco Joshua Cruz-Cuadras +,4

Katelynn Sarah Darnell +,1,4,5

Jasmine Alievah David

Hannah Lea Davis

Tytianna Alliyah Davis +

Alyssa Cheyenne DeAbate

Charles Avery Delorenzo

Kennedy Elizabeth Dobbs

Wade Lee Dobbs +.1.4

Caleigh Elizabeth Dolin +,1,4

Ethan Edward Dougherty +,3

Dezaray Nashae' Berni Douglas

Kenneth Garrett Dove

Andreasa Elexus Driskell

Jasmine Desire' Durham

Elijah Cameron Echols

DeShayla Quistna Eley

D'Quan Montrell English

Christopher James Lee Evans

Kynlee Jade Farris +,1,4

Erica Shae Ford +

Haven McKenzie Fralick +,1,2,4,5

Hannah Marie Garner +,1,4

Jaedynn Wray Gibbs 4

Abigail Grace Gonshorowski

David Thomas Gonshorowski

Adam Lee Gordon Jr.

Brylee Mitchell Green +

Darnell Gustau Green

Robert Zachary Greer

Ashlynn Virginia Montana Gregory

Silas Nathaniel Griffeth

Michael Briar Griffin

Akivia Denise Grogan

Alaina Nichole Guinn

Christopher Allen Guthrie +

Anijah Destiny Guzman +,1,3,4

Preston Gregory Hall +,4

Dae'von Arquelia Hammond ⊕

Chloe Grace Hansen +,4

Celia Harley Hanson +,1,4

Jerry Dean Harrison

Zevan Hunter Haulk

Jameka Emanni Hawkins

Macy Lynn Heard

**Destiny Nicole Heath** 

Luke Hilsman Hendricks +,1,3,4

McKayla Latrese Hendricks +,1,5

Jesus Israel Tapia Hernandez

Lizbeth Guadalupe Hernandez

Abigail Beatrice Hill +,4

Trevor Daniel Hill

Richard Odell Hinkle 3

Alexandria Rose Hirko

Mallory Eleanor Holmes +,4

Demya Carlissa Ann Huff

**Tobius Rodriguez Huff** 

Ja'Mar DeAndre Jackson

Jontavious Kendrell Jackson

Madisyn Elizabeth-Ryanne James Cooper Langdon Jensen +

Abigail Elisabeth Johnson +,3

Nishea Monique Johnson

Alvin Lorenzo Jones

Ananda Lorine Jones 3,5

Jamilah DeNai Jones

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Terrinicka Amiya Jones +,1,4 Joyce Mujinga Kabuya +,1,4,5 Emileigh Claire Keesee Derricka Shavonne Kelly Susanna Faye Kennedy +,3 Ny-Asia Destiny Keys +,1,3,4 Elijah Royce King +

Brooklynn Marie Knight
James Wyatt Knight

Quadarious Deshun Lackey Quontaze Zi'Leah Lackey Brittany Lynn Lancaster

Kayla Faye Langford +,3 Camron Alexander Lawson

Hayoung Lee +,4

Ni'Rekya Aundre'a Lett

Tayjaeanna Nechelle Little +,2,4,5 Avah Se'Quoyiah Liverman

Benjamin Waming Lo

Rebecca Annalise Maddox +
Quiontayious Jermisha Malcom

Titeanna Tamaria Malcom Tristen Aaron Malcom

Esther Danso Manu +,1,4

Christopher Maxwell Martin

Kayla Dianne Martin Ryan Matthew Martin

Adriel Medina Martinez
Caeden Alex Mason +,3

Benjamin James Mastriano +

Teiauna Kwentasia Maxey +,4 Morgan Ivey McCloud

Taylor Grace McElreath Kentavious Markel McGuire

Myles Jetarious McGuire Shaniya Briana Middlebrooks +

Dawson Edward Mikle

Jacobi Alexander Miller +,1,2,3,4
Matthew DeCarlos Minton

Brandon Maverick Moody +,1,4
Jahmaguee Killiano Moon

Johnny Moua

Jada Rudo Elaine Mukahanana

Alyssa Kaelyn Murray +,1,4

Dylan Matthew Narain +,1,4

Charvin Andrez Norman

Lovette Docas Ogie +,1,3,4,5

Chukwuemeka Charles Okwudili

Julianne Georgia Owens

Monica Padilla-Victorio

Daniel Grant Pannell

Garrett Ryan Pannell

Samuel Chase Parr

DaBarius Tyshun Partee

Blake Michael Payne

Jacob Jordan Penny

Myranda Carlien Perkins 4

Niyah Ashanti Perry

Breanna Leigh Peters

Tessa Grace Peters 5

Katlyn Grace Phelps +,1,3,4 Charles Ethan Phillips

Riley Scott Phillips

Harrison Nichols Potter +

Kayla Elizabeth Pounds +,1,4

Rickey Michael Roosevelt Powell III Michelle Rebecca Puha +,1,3,4

Makayla Marie Ransom 5

Kassidy Mae Reagan Bryce Kenneth Reavis +

Peyton Chance Redmon

Hunter Blake Redmond

**Erick Reyes** 

Maddox Brianne Richardson +.3

Gerardo Rocha-Guerrero Deanna Michele Rowe

Chance St. Johnn Runels

Brandon Lee Rutledge

Tristan Magarrah Rutledge +,1,3,4

Haven Myles Sadlock +

Brianna Nicole Sargent Rebecca Marie Sharp

Mattie Grace Sheppard 5

Alyric I'tia Smith

Diamond A'Daeja Smith Jamison Stanley Smith John Harvey Smith IV

Joshua Jermaine Smith
Titus Emmanuel Smith

**Chase Overton Spann** 

Caleb Dalton Spence

Addison Kinsley Spivey Corbin Hillian Spratlin

Melonie Idalyne St. Aimie 5

Destiny Grace St. John Kennedy Joi Stevens 4

Gavin Paul Stewart

Kaleb John Still

John Isaac Stone +,1,3,4

Anthony Jacob Jeremiah Stonebraker +

**Gregory Reginald Surry** 

Michael Dakota Taylor

A'lexia Shadai Thomas

Anthony Michael Thompson

Evan Quinn Thompson

Jacqulina Anna Thompson

Jeremiah Dawson Bailey Tilson

Delena Carmen-Ann Tomlinson

Tristan Elizabeth Turner

Myles Rajaun Vaughn

Mya Tiffany Vinson +

Madison Joy Walker +,1,4

Richard Harrison Walker IV +

Ashley Haven White

Emmaline Florence White +,1,4

Marissa Nicole Wilkins +,1,3,4

Aiiha Se'Anna Williams

Hakim Calvin Williams

Zachery Hunter Wills

Timothy Joshua Witcher +,4

Blaine Robert Womack

Cody John Woytek

Meghann McKenzie Wright +,4

Michaela Chengying Xiong +

Sabrina Nkaujfuabcua Xiong +

Simon Xiong

Christopher Dalton York

#### **SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

STUDENT	SCHOLARSHIP	AMOUNT
Angelica Bostwick	Pleatman Memorial Scholarship Walton EMC	\$1,000 \$1,000
	Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year	\$500
Betsy Britt	Davis-Briscoe Pilot Club Monroe Kiddie Canes	\$2,000 \$250
Abby Canuel	Rotary Club "Service Above Self"	\$1,500
Yasmine Collins	William and Cheryl Still Scholarship	\$500
Cody Cook	Pointe University	\$64,000
Savannah Couch	J.T. Byrd Scholarship	\$1,500
Marco Cruz	U-Lead Scholarship	\$500
Katelynn Darnell	Young Harris College Piedmont College Wesleyan College Walton EMC Gene Higginbotham Memorial Scholarship	\$80,000 \$64,000 \$64,000 \$4,000 \$1,000
Kennedy Dobbs	School of the Arts Institute of Chicago Merit Scholarship	\$71,400
Wade Dobbs	Martin Marietta Materials University of North Georgia	\$14,000 \$4,000
Abigail Gonshorowski	University of Lynchburg	\$184,000
Chris Guthrie	LaGrange College	\$60,000
Anijah Guzman	Forrester History Scholarship	\$1,000
Chloe Hansen	Utah Valley University	\$10,000
Mallory Holmes	Young Harris College	\$21,000
Charlie Jackson	Wofford College Gardner Webb University East Tennessee State University Tennessee Tech University Southeast Missouri State University	\$43,000 \$32,000 \$27.000 \$24,000 \$13,000
Cooper Jensen	Suwannee University Berry College	\$100,000 \$25,000
Emileigh Keesee	Walton EMC	\$4,000
Susanna Kennedy	SCAD Academic Honors Scholarship	\$40,000

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Brittney Lancaster	Preston Memorial Scholarship	\$5,000	
Hayoung Lee	Silas H. Rhodes Scholarship	\$60,000	
Tayjaeanna Little	Monroe Junior Service League	\$1,000	
Avah Liverman	North Georgia Military Scholarship	\$85,000	
Ester Manu	Harriet Rogers Chick Scholarship	\$1,000	
Brandon Moody	Berry College	\$37,000	
Ethan Phillips	Pointe University	\$60,000	
Tristan Rutledge	Tamra Lopretto Memorial Scholarship	\$500	
Isaac Stone	Education.com From Classroom to Classroom Walton EMC Sigman Phi Epsilon Balanced Man Scholarship University of Georgia Redcoat Scholarship Walton EMC Runner-up Youth Leadership Walton	\$5,000 \$4,000 \$1,500 \$1,000 \$1,000 \$1,000	
Ashley White	Woodmen Life Scholarship	\$500	
	Total Scholarships Offered	\$1,222,650	
* Total does not include HOPE Scholarship			
SPECIAL AWARDS			

# STAR STUDENT......Rain Bell

JOHN M. DENTON  Quiet Leadership Award	Marissa Wilkins
ROTARY CLUB AWARD AND SCHOLARSHIP "Service Above Self"	Abby Canuel

ATLANTA JOURNAL-CONSTITUTION CUP...... Ester Manu

"Best All Around Student"

Highest SAT Score

#### **Explanation of HONOR Designations**

The members of the Class of 2020, as a group, have exemplified themselves as individuals in a myriad of ways. Students adorned with cords, tassels, and stoles have demonstrated strengths in the areas listed below.

The Wearing of the Gold Medallion symbolizes that the student is the Valedictorian of the Class of 2020. This student has earned the highest cumulative grade point average during four years of high school.

The Wearing of the Bronze Medallion symbolizes that the student is the Salutatorian of the Class of 2020. This student merits the second highest cumulative grade point average during four years of high school.

The Wearing of the White Stole designates that the student is an Honor Graduate. Honor Graduate status is conferred upon all students receiving a regular education diploma that have a cumulative grade point average of a 90 or above for all four years of high school.

The Wearing of the Blue and Gold Tassel designates that the student is a member of the National Honor Society. Membership into the National Honor Society is by invitation only. In order to be eligible for membership, a student must have maintained a 93 or higher cumulative grade point average and must apply for membership having demonstrated strong character, commitment to service, and leadership abilities.

The Wearing of the Purple and Silver Cord designates National Technical Honor Society membership. Students must have maintained a 90 or higher cumulative grade point average, have credit for at least three Career Technical and Agricultural Education classes with a 90 or higher overall average, and maintained an active membership in a Career Technical Student Organization.

The Wearing of the Advanced Placement Scholar Medallion designates that the student has taken and passed three or more Advanced Placement courses during four years in high school. The curriculum of the Advanced Placement courses is significantly more arduous than other academic courses; therefore, the wearing of this medal also represents the student's fervent dedication to exceptional academic achievement and advancement.

The Wearing of the Black and Gold Cord designates membership in the National Beta Club whose qualifications mandate that a student has maintained a 90 or above cumulative grade point average for four years in high school and participated in community service activities.

The Wearing of the Blue and White Cord designates the student as a member of the Anchor Club. Anchor members must have maintained a 3.3 grade point average and have logged many community service hours throughout their membership.

