

## **IMPORTANT COMMENCEMENT INFORMATION**

Commencement is the biggest day in the life of a university. We want that day to be memorable for our graduates and their families. The current weather forecast is for a 90 percent chance of rain on Saturday with highs in the 50s. The administration will hold the ceremony outside if the forecast is for light rain.

**A decision will be made by 1:30 p.m. today - Friday, May 12** on whether the ceremony will be held inside or outside. Here is information for the two possibilities:

### **If Commencement is held outdoors:**

- Be prepared for rain and encourage friends/family to wear a poncho. If you bring an umbrella, please be courteous to those sitting around you.
- **No heels** on the field, it's slippery!
- We strongly suggest that children, special needs, etc. use the alternative viewing site at the Student Memorial Center. It will be dry and warm with food, water and restrooms available. No tickets needed.

### **If Commencement is moved inside:**

- There will be two ceremonies in Pucillo Gymnasium:
  - **10 a.m. - College of Education and Human Services and College of Science and Technology**
  - **2 p.m. - College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences**
- There will be **three** tickets per student for Pucillo
- We strongly encourage your family and friends to use the alternative viewing sites which will have large screen TVs, comfortable chairs, heat and lots of bathrooms:
  - Student Memorial Center – no tickets needed
  - Winter Center – any tickets left after rehearsal last night will be available at SMC ticket office
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  - Or, have family/friends watch a live stream of commencement from the comfort of their home at [www.millersville.edu](http://www.millersville.edu)

### **When a decision is made today it will be communicated via:**

- Millersville's website: [www.millersville.edu](http://www.millersville.edu)
- A 'Ville Bulletin will be sent out to all email addresses
- Updates shared on social media