



# LA SALLE INSTITUTE

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## SUBJECT: La Salle Institute's 2016 Military Ball

- The 2016 Military Ball will be held on Saturday, April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at *The Desmond*, 660 Albany Shaker Road, Albany, New York. The cost of a bid is **\$150.00 per couple**. We will be selling bids on **Thursday, March 17<sup>th</sup> and Friday March 18<sup>th</sup>** during the high school lunch periods. Bids will be paid for at the time of purchase by cash or check made out to "La Salle Institute". Students purchasing bids will be required to provide their date's complete name (correctly spelled), menu choice, and date's address & phone number on the Bid Form. Students should also list the four other cadets that they wish to sit with. There will be five couples at each table. Students should coordinate with each other prior to organizing their tables. Bid Forms and Code of Conduct must be completed before bids can be purchased. Bid Forms and Code of Conduct will be distributed on Wednesday, March 9th.
- The main entrée will be a choice of **Filet Mignon with Scrimshaw Potato, Chicken a la Normande with Oven Roaster New Potatoes, and Roasted Vegetable Penne (vegetarian)**. Dinner includes a salad, New York Style Cheesecake for desert, sodas, iced tea and water. The events for the evening will be:

6:30 – 7:15 p.m.	Arrival, Registration, Receiving Line
7:15 – 8:15 p.m.	Dinner
8:15 – 10:45 p.m.	Dancing
10:55 – 11:10 p.m.	Presentation of the Court, Crowning of the Queen, and Last Dance
11:20	End of the 2016 Military Ball
- All Cadets will wear the La Salle Military Jacket, white tuxedo shirt, black tuxedo pants, black bow tie, and black socks with black military shoes. Cummerbunds or vests are optional, however they must be black. Regular school jewelry rules apply. It is appropriate for the ladies to wear a formal evening gown. The gown must be modest in nature and appropriate for a formal high school event.
- All students and parents are reminded that the event does not end until 11:20. Students will not be permitted to leave before that time. Parents and grandparents wanting to be present for the presentation of the court will not be permitted to enter the ballroom until 10:55.
- If you have any questions, please contact Colonel Raczkowski at [jraczkowski@lasalleinstitute.org](mailto:jraczkowski@lasalleinstitute.org).

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