



Moor House School News and Events

Leavers Day 2007

Friday 6th July 2007

On Friday 6th July 2007, we said goodbye to our year 11 students.

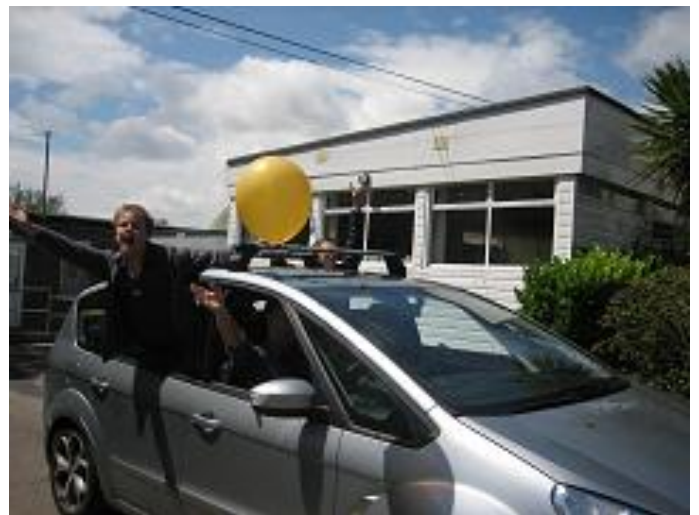
After a very emotional assembly in the morning, the leavers shook hands with all the students and staff, before proceeding to the quad for a buffet lunch, put on by the catering department for all staff, students and parents.



The leavers and their parents then formed a convoy of 15 cars, driving up from the playground to the school gate, as all the other students and staff waved them goodbye!



The assembly involved a 'Big Brother' style DVD that the students had made, where they had been asked such questions as 'What would you change if you were in charge of the school?' and 'What advice would you give to new students?'. There were presentations of cups, shields and certificates to all students.



The John King Cookery cup was awarded for the first time, after being donated by Jonathon King, one of last year's leavers. This was awarded to Harley Wareham. Joshua Lake presented us with a cup, a gift from him to the school, which will be the 'Josh Lake Fair Play Cup'.

Mrs Sharp, who is retiring at the end of the term, was surprised when she was handed the new 'Jill Sharp Cup for Literacy' to be awarded for the first time to Philip Jackson. The new drama cup was awarded to Matthew Cole.

Below is a letter from the parents of one of the leavers:

6th July 2007

Dear Everyone,

We would like to take this opportunity to say a huge thank you to everyone at MHS for all the support and kindness you have all shown to Josh over the last four and a half years. It has made the time at Moor House a memorable and happy experience for Josh and all the family, to be involved with such an outstanding, supportive and caring school.

Josh has made enormous progress during his time here and achieved much. Thanks to the many individual members of staff who have always been willing to put themselves out and go the extra mile just to make sure Josh achieves all he can or has that opportunity that may otherwise not be available.

A wise person once wrote, that it was important to have a good experience at school because, "What happens to you at School, affects the rest of your life".

Well, as Josh leaves to-day with a plethora of achievements, life strategies and new skills, he does so with a new found sense of confidence and being, and with the happiness in his heart of having had a really good school experience.

May you All be proud and congratulate yourselves on what each and everyone of you has helped to achieve, and most importantly for making a real difference to Joshua's life.

Our love and gratitude to you all,

Keith, Janet and Josh Lake

