

Dear Class of 2023,

We only have a few weeks left until our School Leaving events. Here is some general information about each celebration, expectations and tasks that students should complete:

## Cap and Gown Ceremony - Wednesday, June 21st at 7:00 p.m. (Live Streamed)

- This event will be held in the Holy Heart Theatre;
- Graduates should have signed up online or at the office to attend. The fee is \$50 and this can still be paid at the office;
- Each graduate is allowed to take 2 people;
- Tickets can be picked up at the theatre box office: Tuesday to Friday from 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm starting on Tuesday, June 13 (graduates do not need their own tickets but two tickets will be issued per graduate);
- Caps and gowns can be picked up at the office starting on Wednesday, June 14th and they get to keep these items; and
- Graduates are asked to be at the school by 6:30 p.m.and doors will open in the theatre for guests at 6:30. The seating will be general admission, meaning no reserved seats except for the graduates.

## School Leaving Celebration - Thursday, June 22 from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.

This event will be hosted at our school, in 4 areas:

- ❖ The gymnasium will house a meet-and-greet for graduates, dates and families, with music and numerous photo areas for pictures;
- There will be food and water available in the cafeteria, along with limited seating;
- Graduates can have professional pictures taken in the LRC, and also take advantage of many photo areas; and
- ❖ Weather pending, the **courtyard** will be available with seating and photo areas.
- Tickets will be issued for this event as well and can be picked up when the Cap and Gown tickets are picked up. Each graduate can take a guest and two parents/family members/others for a total of 4 people (up to 4 tickets will be issued).



## **Expectations**

Graduation marks an important milestone on your journey of life. Our events are to celebrate a student's success and their friendship relationships throughout their high school experience. As this is a school sponsored event, there is a clear expectation that students and guests will abide by our regular school rules. This includes respectful behavior and interactions with others and in terms of the use of drugs, alcohol and vape devices. Individuals who refuse to follow these expectations will be asked to leave. While we hope that there will be no issues, unfortunately history has demonstrated that this is not always the case. So we ask graduates, guests and families to respect our expectations. Our hope is that all graduates and guests have a positive and joyous celebration.

## **Graduate To-Do List:**

- 1. Submit pictures of their favorite memories at HHM: <u>Favorite HHM Memories</u>. Please make sure pictures are appropriate for a school setting.
- 2. Request songs for the playlist and theme song: Song Request Form;
- 3. Vote for the Class of 2023 FUN Awards: HHM FUN Awards Voting 2023; and
- 4. Submit your graduate biography for the yearbook on the Google classroom, code: imevn2t.

All submissions are due by **Friday, June 16th**. These forms can also be found on our School Leaving Google Classroom, code: Bo6y5ix.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact the admin in the office of HHM.

Thanks,

Graduation 2023 Planning Team