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Dear Parents/Guardians

This is probably the last BWS email you'll all receive, so firstly I'll say how proud we are of your sons as they move beyond Sixth Form and into the wider world. Best wishes to those with one or two last exams to complete. Thank you all for your support for BWS over the past years, and I hope all families have a really good summer once the exams are done.

We have two key dates still – Leaver's Day on Friday 29 June and A level Results Day on Thursday 16 August. I'm sending a version of the details below as a reminder to your son, but thought it might be useful to send it to you as well.

Friday 29 June – **Leavers' Day** – **Boys meet at** <u>11.00am in the BWS Chapel</u>, after which we'll do any book return if necessary (Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Business and History are expecting books back, but there may be individual books to return to other subjects too. We'll collect SWGS subjects' books in here and take them up by car afterwards).

There is then a BBQ lunch for them at 12.00pm on the No. 11 Lawn – they should have obtained a free ticket for this from me (if not, please get them to email me ASAP so we can count them in for catering - with a note on any dietary requirements).

If students are away on 29 June, returning books is their responsibility and they should see the relevant Department as soon as possible, making sure the books are signed back in properly.

Thursday 16 August – **A Level Results Day** – results will be available in the Sixth Form Block from 9.30a.m. – 12.00pm (although UCAS will show whether they have secured a place before this, the UCAS website does not tell them what grades they've obtained). Mrs Armstrong will be available through the day to give advice about applications, and will also correspond with students by email after this date.

We expect all students to collect results in person, but if this is impossible they should write to Mrs Glasson, our Examinations Officer <u>beforehand</u>, nominating a named person (often a parent or friend) who can collect results on their behalf.

Please note that remarks are no longer available, but post-results marking reviews are possible – see http://www.bws-school.org.uk/Curriculum-Exams/Exams/ for information on this.

After 16 August, school will remain closed until 3 September, but even after BWS moves into a new academic year we will continue to gladly support your sons with any careers and applications advice they need, as well as providing references and being their linked institution for any UCAS applications. Do encourage them to take advantage of these as they need.

Thank you again and best wishes

Alastair Endersby Head of Year 13