



# Manchester High School for Girls Speech Night Programme and Roll of Honour

**Monday October 8, 2007  
Bridgewater Hall, Manchester**

**Introduction by the Chairman of the Governors**

Mrs C Walker, BA

**Senior Orchestra Leader:** Sarah Lewis

Conductor: Mrs K Rundell

*Danse Macabre: Saint-Saëns*

**Report by the Head Mistress**

Mrs C Lee-Jones, MA, MIMgt, FRSA

**School Song: Years 7, 8 and 9**

*Teach Me to Learn : Sasha Johnson Manning & Carol Ann Duffy*

**Report by the Senior Girls**

Victoria Baron, Aishah Choudhri, Laura Harper,  
Ghazal Hodhody, Sara Oldfield

**Winner of the Warburton Prize:** Sarah Lewis

Accompanist : Miss C Dunham

*Nigun from Baal Shem (Three Pictures of Chassidic Life): Ernest Bloch*

**Presentation of certificates, prizes, awards and trophies**

**Combined Choirs**

Conductor: Mrs P Elcombe Accompanist : Miss A Brzezinka

*Is This the Way to Amarillo? : Sedaka and Greenfield*

**Address by the Guest Speaker:**

Miss Rachel Edis

**Vote of thanks by the Head Girl:** Hannah Shackleton

**Postlude:**

Cello : Clare Bernstein

Accompanist : Miss C Dunham

*Tarantella : Squire*

## ***A Level Candidates and Destinations Senior Sixth 2006/2007***

- Neena Agravat, The University of Manchester, *Italian & Spanish*.
- Sara Ahmed, The University of Nottingham, *English Studies & French*.
- Uzma Ahmed, Cambridge University, Fitzwilliam (2008), *Law*.
- Afeefah Ali, The University of Manchester, *Biomedical Sciences*
- Gul Ali, Imperial College London, *Chemistry with a Year in Industry*
- Arshnoor Amershi, The University of Birmingham, *Law*
- Farah Aslam, Leeds Metropolitan University, *Law*
- Damilola Ayeko, Imperial College London, *Mathematics*
- Samreen Azim The University of Liverpool, *Medicine*
- Iram Baber, The University of Manchester, *Economics & Finance*
- Bianca Barnett, The University of Edinburgh, *English Language*
- Emily Beirne, GAP Year
- Serena Bellamy, University of Chester, *Information Systems Management*
- Dominique Black, The University of Birmingham, *Modern Languages*
- Deborah Blank, The University of Birmingham (2008), *History & Social Science*
- Jenni Blank, The University of Birmingham, *Philosophy*
- Emma Bluff GAP Year
- Jennifer Broman, The University of Birmingham, *Philosophy*
- Jennifer Bromley, The University of Nottingham, *Politics*
- Susannah Canning, University of Bristol, *Medicine*
- Amy Chan, The University of Liverpool, *Dentistry*
- Jade Cheema, University of Leeds, *Graphic & Communication Design*
- Prathyusha Chennupati, The University of Sheffield, *Medicine*
- Jenny Cornforth, The University of Manchester, *History*
- Abigail Corson, University of Leeds, *History*
- Rosie Delfino, Cambridge University, Robinson, *Modern & Medieval Languages*
- Catherine Easton, The University of Edinburgh, *Religious Studies*
- Lois Edlin, University of Newcastle upon Tyne (2008), *History*
- Jet Evans GAP Year
- Lisa Feng, Cambridge University, Queen's, *Economics*
- Kate Forbes, University of Leeds, *History*
- Angelina Goff, Oxford University, St Peter's, *Chemistry*
- Dalya Goldstone, University of Leeds, *Dentistry*
- Sophie Gray, GAP Year
- Li-An Hardman, University of Leeds, *Political Studies*
- Olivia Heagerty, University of Leeds, *History of Art*
- Joanne Hill, The University of Birmingham, *International Business with Language*
- Avni Hindocha, University College London, *Medicine*
- Jennifer Hoban, University of Newcastle upon Tyne, *Medicine*
- Kathryn Howarth, The University of Birmingham, *English & French Studies*
- Helen Hutchinson, University of Bristol, *French and Italian*
- Grace Imafidon, University of Bristol, *Law*
- Jessica Jairath, The University of Edinburgh, *Chemistry with Industrial Experience*
- Harriet Johnson, University of Leeds, *Mathematics & Philosophy*
- Sophia Kellar, The University of Salford (2008), *Criminology and Cultural Studies*
- Abby Kersh, University of Leeds, *Psychology*
- Amina Khan, The University of Birmingham, *Medicine*
- Saira Khan, The University of Birmingham, *Ancient History*

- Lucy Kliner The University of Birmingham, *French Studies & Hispanic Studies*
- Anisha Kotecha, London School of Economics, *Human Resources Management and Employment Relations*
- Chloe Lewis, The University of Warwick, *Politics with International Studies*
- Alice Lighton, Oxford University, Balliol, *Physics*
- Jessica Lo, Imperial College London, *Mathematics*
- Kay Anne Mak, University of St Andrews, *Medicine*
- Sarah Mayne, Oxford University, Hartford, *Biological Sciences*
- Bethany Minors GAP Year
- Sonal Mistry, The University of Manchester, *Physics with Astrophysics*
- Sunita Mistry, King's College London, *Dentistry*
- Emma Mockford, Oxford University, Hartford, *Law*
- Nichola Moore, University of Leeds, *History*
- Georgina Murray, Cardiff University, *City & Regional Planning*
- Katherine Nicholson, The University of Liverpool, *Music/Popular Music*
- Yi Min Ong, Imperial College London, *Mathematics*
- Jahnvi Pal, St George's, University of London, *Medicine*
- Natasha Polak, GAP Year
- Alexandra Pollitt, The University of Birmingham, *Business Management*
- Sophie Pollitt, The University of Birmingham, *Business Management*
- Amy Pressman, The University of Birmingham, *Philosophy*
- Alisha Raza, London School of Economics & Political Studies, *Law*
- Sophie Sabet, University of Leeds, *History*
- Brooke Sadler, Cambridge University, Newnham, *Theology & Religious Studies*
- Parisa Saleh, Glasgow Caledonian University, *Biomedical Studies*
- Rakhee Savjani, The University of Birmingham, *Dentistry*
- Maria Scott, Cambridge University, New Hall, *Law*
- Kathryn Sen, The University of Manchester, *International Management with American Business Studies*
- Louisa Shackleton, Cambridge University, St John's, *Modern & Medieval Languages*
- Amina Sheikh, The Manchester Metropolitan University, *Mathematics Education*
- Zainab Sherazi, The University of Manchester, *Medicine*
- Judith Showman GAP Year
- Farnoosh Skeldon, University of Newcastle upon Tyne, *Medicine*
- Maria Sokolovski, University College London (2008), *History*
- Natalya Stoll, University of Leeds, *Childhood, Education & Culture*
- Amy Stout, University of Leeds, *History*
- Stephanie Tepper, Royal Northern College of Music, *Music*
- Kimberley Thornhill, King's College London, *Classics*
- Jenna Thornton, University College London (2008), *Astrophysics*
- Talia Tobias, The University of Birmingham, *Psychology*
- Caroline Vass, The University of Birmingham, *Economics*
- Gabriella Weisberg, The University of Birmingham, *Childhood, Culture & Education*
- Victoria White, Imperial College London (2008), *Aeronautical Engineering*
- Olivia Wild, Loughborough University, *Art Foundation*
- Raabiah Yasin, The University of Manchester, *Pharmacy*
- Cathryn Yeates, University of Newcastle upon Tyne, *Business Management*
- Elaine Yip, Cardiff University, *Optometry*

**General Certificate of Secondary Education Year 11 2006/2007  
Platinum Award for academic effort, attainment and  
citizenship**

The following girls are commended for achieving sixty or more merits for academic assignments and contributions to the community during the 2006/7 school year.

Huma Ahmed	Sophia Ellis	Alice McGregor
Meena Ali-Naja	Saiba Ghafoor	Harriet Morecroft
Iqra Aslam	Sara Gill	Anna Morrison
Jemma Becker	Olivia Hill	Aria Pattinson-Speirs
Elizabeth Birch	Grace Huffer	Sarah Peel
Helena Brown	Ashleigh Hyslop	Sana Qadri
Ruth Canning	Natasa Ivkovic-Moutrey	Laura Reynolds
Darcy Cecil-Oakes	Karishma Kapoor	Alice Richardson
Lisa Chaudhri	Chan-Song Kim	Neetu Roy
Sahdia Choudhri	Jennifer Kimber-Pride	Isabella Rubin
Jessica Chow	Sophie Kirby-Mayers	Leyla Sudbury
Faye Clayton	Aneeksha Kohli	Woorim Sung
Laura Collier	Gabrielle Lebovits	Niecoo Tajmehr
Katie Collins	Iram Mahmood	Niamh Walshe
Zeinab Drabu	Philippa Mallon	Nadia Younis
	Kirsten McAslan	

**Year Prizes**

- Year 11 Progress and commitment Hannah Serene
- Year 11 Service to the community Sophie White
- Year 10 Attainment across all subjects Laura Bonney
- Year 10 Progress and commitment Saffiya Haddad
- Year 10 Service to the community Fiona Hilton

**Year 11 GCSE Overall achievement**

**Highest attainment across all GCSE subjects, with exceptional performance in:**

- English Literature: Zara Abod
- Chemistry, French, German, Music and Physics: Rebecca Banks
- Biology: Preithy Kumar
- Religious Studies; Drama (within top six nationally): Hannah Lee
- English Literature, French and Latin: Catherine Moshkun
- French, Latin and Statistics: Susannah Thom

**Highest attainment in three or more subjects**

Exceptional performance in Chemistry, Geography and ICT: Sarah Ellis

### ***Additional Year 11 GCSE subject prizes***

- Year 11 Fine Art Rachel Lentin
- Year 11 Design Food Iqra Ashraf
- Year 11 Design Graphics Sophie Adams
- Year 11 Double Award Science Jessica Lee
- Year 11 Drama (within top six nationally) Natalya Paul
- Year 11 English Sian Morgan
- Year 11 English Literature Phoebe Canning
- Year 11 History Jenny Bellini
- Year 11 Mathematics Natalie Haley
- Year 11 Music Gemma Balamoody
- Year 11 Physical Education Rosanna Collier
- Year 11 Spanish Sarah Hunt
- Year 11 Statistics Sabrina Khushi
- Year 10 Religious Studies Laura Bonney
- Year 9 Attainment across all subjects Grace Canning
- Year 9 Progress and commitment Anita Lo
- Year 9 Service to the community Melissa Carver
- Year 8 Attainment across all subjects Gayatri Deshpande
- Year 8 Progress and commitment Sophia Ellis
- Year 8 Service to the community Hannah Burke-Tomlinson
- Year 7 Attainment across all subjects Varsha Samuel
- Year 7 Progress and commitment Alice Richardson
- Year 7 Service to the community Jessica Chow

### ***British Association for the Advancement of Science Crest Awards***

#### **Silver Award**

- Priyanka Comar
- Helen Kay

### ***National Schools' Analyst Competition***

The team won the Regional Competition and were placed 2nd in the National Final.

- Amnah Ahmed
- Cecily Fan
- Tara Wood

### ***Young Enterprise Award : Best Presentation, Manchester North Area***

Company: Pearls

Saffiya Haddad: Managing Director

Lindsay Weisberg: Managing Director

Zenab Aslam Georgia Kirsch, Olivia Bentley, Emma Jackson, Channelle Laird

Lily Huggins Moyinoluwa Olubodun

### ***Angela Trueman Awards for Drama***

Junior Scene: Eleanor Cassidy and Laura Collier

Junior Monologue: Claudia Gold

Senior Scene: Rebecca Morgan, Danielle Hobday

Senior Monologue Henrietta Hughes

### ***The London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art***

- Grade 6 Solo Acting with merit: Giulia Boggiano
- Grade 6 Solo Acting with merit: Coco Creme
- Grade 6 Solo Acting with merit: Zahra Ullah
- Grade 6 Solo Acting with distinction: Sabrina Khushi
- Grade 6 Duologue Devised Performance: Lauren King
- Grade 6 Duologue Devised Performance: Nicola Levy
- Grade 6 Duologue Acting with merit: Hannah Gillan
- Grade 6 Duologue Acting with merit: Beth Holmes
- Grade 6 Duologue Acting with merit: Katie Jones
- Grade 6 Duologue Acting with merit: Fiona Lewis
- Grade 6 Duologue Acting with distinction: India Cecil-Oakes
- Grade 6 Duologue Acting with distinction: Laura Deslandes
- Grade 6 Duologue Acting with distinction: Charlotte King
- Grade 6 Duologue Acting with distinction: Emily Muir
- Grade 7 Solo Acting: Susannah Thom
- Grade 7 Solo Acting with merit: Rebecca Carver
- Grade 7 Solo Acting with merit: Henrietta Hughes
- Grade 7 Solo Acting with distinction: Zoya Hussain
- Grade 7 Solo Acting with distinction; Sarah Lewis
- Grade 7 Duologue Acting: Roshni Khanijau
- Grade 7 Duologue Acting: Arti Kotecha
- Grade 7 The Speaking of Verse and Prose: Katherine McIntosh
- Grade 7 Group Acting with distinction: Emma Cohen
- Grade 7 Group Acting with distinction: Hannah Lee
- Grade 7 Group acting with distinction: Nausheen Siddiqui
- Grade 8 Solo Acting with distinction: Robyn Forsythe
- Grade 8 Duologue Acting with distinction: Catherine Bell
- Grade 8 Duologue Acting with distinction: Olivia Williams

### ***2007 Music Festival***

The Early Grades Cup: Genevieve Wood

The Intermediate Cup: Sarah Humphreys

The Senior Cup: Sarah Lewis

### ***The Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music***

Grade 6 Viola: Laura Bonney and Grade 7 Clarinet with merit

Grade 6 Violin: Ella Walsh

Grade 6 Piano with merit: Hay Jung Han

Grade 6 Piano with merit: Tina Liu

Grade 6 Flute with distinction: Sarah Humphreys

Grade 7 Flute: Hannah Williams

Grade 7 Piano: Sujata Sridharan

Grade 7 Violin: Olivia Williams

Grade 7 Piano with merit: Rebecca Banks

Grade 8 Singing: Robyn Forsythe

Grade 8 Piano with distinction: Kimberley Tang

***P.F.A. General Knowledge Quiz 2006/2007***

***Year 7 General Knowledge Shield***

**FORM 7S**

Captain: Varsha Samuel  
Tanisha Amin  
Sophie Goodman  
Eve Suharwardy  
Fatimah Suliman  
Amy Turner

***Year 8 General Knowledge Shield***

**FORM 8M**

Captain: Gabriella Bullman  
Isabella Chen  
Liylan Elaby  
Nimishi Ilango  
Philippa Willis

***Year 9 General Knowledge Shield***

**FORM 9G**

Captain: Grace Canning  
Laura Collier  
Alice Ellaby  
Sofia Fedeczko  
Aria Pattinson-Speirs

***Community Sports Leaders' Award***

Harriet Allen  
Gabrielle Brown  
Helen Eeckelaers  
Robyn Forsythe  
Ghazal Hodhody

Sophia Miles  
Kumari Morar  
Fiona Morris  
Jessica Pates  
Tara Wood

## **School Awards and Trophies**

**Junior Tennis Singles:** Alice Galloway

**Senior Tennis Singles:** Alexandra Ford

**Kantorowich Vases for Open Doubles Tournament:** Alice Galloway, Claudia Williams

**The Kilgarriff Cup for Athletics:** (Junior) Kirsten McAslan

**The Kilgarriff Cup for Athletics:** (Senior) Jennifer Simmons

**Warburton Trophy for Musical Performance:** Sarah Lewis

**Miss Bellamy's Cup for Musical Composition:** Rebecca Banks

**Marie Wright Trophy for Musical Composition:** Olivia Williams

**Rachel McGrath Award for Musical Contribution:** Laura Bonney

**Margaret Lane Memorial Trophy for Singing:** Emma Wigley

**Merle Tong Shield for Latin: (Middle School):** Grace Canning, Gayatri Deshpande

**Merle Tong Cup for Latin: (Upper School):** Sarah Humphreys

**Junior Design Technology Cup:** Sofia Fedeczko

**Junior Art and Design Cup:** Sofia Fedeczko, Glesni Williams

**Stevenson Cup for Middle School:** Chemistry Vidya Samuel

**Scarsbrook Bowl for Middle School Physics:** Claire Ung

**Geary Middle School Prize for Mathematics:** Grace Canning

**Geary Middle School Prize for English:** Hibah Ansary

**Mary Lomas Trophy for Mathematics:** Sarah Ellis

**Alice Thornley Chisholm Prize for French:** Saffiya Haddad

**Pauline Kellett Year 8 Achievement Award:** Meena Ali-Naja

**Diamond Award for academic effort, attainment and citizenship**

Meena Ali-Naja

**Year 7 Achievement Award:** Helena Brown

**Year 8 Achievement Award:** Meena Ali-Naja

**Year 9 Achievement Award:** Jemma Becker

**Year 10 Achievement Award:** Parvathi Varma

**Head Mistress's Commendation Cup:** Jemma Becker

**Ida Carroll Prize for Music:** Sarah Humphreys

**Elizabeth Diggory Prize for Academic Achievement in Year 6:** Emily Barcroft

**Merlyn Lowther Award for Scholarship and Achievement:** Cecily Fan

**Pankhurst Prize for Community Service:** Anna Taylor

**The Cecilia Bingham Prize for Public Speaking :**Laura Bonney

**Head Mistress's Merit Cup:** Meena Ali-Naja

**AND Diamond Award for academic effort, attainment and citizenship**

**Sunny Lowry Cup for Sporting Achievement** Tara Wood