

Mattole Valley Charter School expresses sincere gratitude for all those who made this day possible. Many thanks to Pocket of Posies for helping us find the amazing violet roses, Sun Valley Group for the lilies, and Eureka Oxygen for providing Helium for balloons.

Special thanks go to Gail Franklin and Siena Klein for their many years of service as an Education Specialist for the students of Mattole Valley Charter School. Congratulations on your retirement.

At the beginning of this school year, Mattole Valley Charter School celebrated its tenth anniversary. We've been able to provide choice and personalized learning to all students, along with co-enrollment and online courses. We are all so very proud of our eleventh graduating class of 2009.

As always, education is a group effort, and we want to thank everyone involved in the incredible efforts of love, work, and support it takes to bring these young adults to this milestone. Thanks to all who helped in this endeavor. We wish the best future, full of happiness, to our graduates and all who love and support them.



“The Pursuit of Happiness”

11TH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM
MATTOLE VALLEY CHARTER SCHOOL
JUNE 13, 2009 2:00 P.M.
VAN DUZER THEATER - ARCATA, CA

PROGRAM

PROCESSIONAL ----- "I HOPE YOU DANCE"

WELCOME ----- PAMELA LANE

MUSICAL PERFORMANCE ----- TAYLOR TEGARDEN
THEME FROM "THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS"

KEYNOTE SPEAKER ----- NANCY HUNTER

SPECIAL PRESENTATION ----- PAMELA LANE

ROSE DEDICATION ----- 'KIND AND GENEROUS'

STUDENT SPEAKER ----- BRIANA HAMMOND
CLASS VALEDICTORIAN

MUSICAL PERFORMANCE ----- NOAH MONDRAGON
& BRANDON EVANS - "YOUR GUARDIAN ANGEL" - RED JUMPSUIT APPARATUS

PRESENTATION OF SCROLLS ----- EDUCATIONAL SPECIALISTS
STUDENTS GREETED BY RICHARD GRAEY/CONGRATULATED BY PAMELA LANE

MUSICAL PERFORMANCE ----- SERENE WALSH
& TIO ESCARDO - "CELEBRATE YOUR FREEDOM"

PRESENTATION OF THE CLASS OF 2009 ----- PAMELA LANE

RECESSIONAL ----- "WITH MY OWN TWO HANDS"

CLASS OF 2009

MARK BLACKWOOD - ES
LACEY ARAGON
SHAYLENE MIRANDA ❖
KIMBERLY ROBERTS ❖

LANCE BLODGETT - ES
ALEX GREENSPAN
NOAH MONDRAGON
SERENE WALSH ❖

SHERYL FEARRIEN - ES
FARYN GUILD ❖
BRIGAN VERGES
SONJI VERGES

GAIL FRANKLIN - ES
KEM PROCHKO
COURTNEY RENSHAW
EMILY STRANDBERG

CHRISTOPHER HAYNES - ES
HILEE ADIN
JENNA HARTZELL

DEVORA KAUFMAN - ES
JENNIFER TROSIN-STOOPS
DEANNA WATSON
CHELSEA ZIESKE

SIENA KLEIN - ES
SHAKA SICKELS ❖
YTTRIANA ANGELICA STAR
BILLIE STARRY

TAMMY LINDLEY - ES
AND KAREN MYERS - ES
JEFFERY BITTLE
KELSIE CHASE ❖❖
JOSHUA POLACEK
TAYLOR TEGARDEN ❖
LACEY TRASK ❖❖

CATHIE SHERMER - ES
BRIANA HAMMOND ❖❖

JULIE SMITH - ES
DANIEL AMELUNG
GARRETT MILLER
KELSY-ROSE STRONG ❖
COURTNEY TAUSCHER

VALERIE WALSH - ES
GREGORY MILLER
CINDIE SIMPSON

❖ HONORS
❖❖ HIGH HONORS
ES - EDUCATION SPECIALIST