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WALK OF LIFE: Good Shepherd Lutheran College students make their Walk of Honour. PHOTO: GEOFF POTTER

## Stepping out into a new phase of life

WALKING through the pupils from all of the school grades brought back memories for the Year 12 students as they made their way to the chapel for the last time.

Good Shepherd Lutheran College 2013 graduates completed the annual Walk of Honour on Wednesday to say goodbye to the school that most have spent 13 years with.

It was an emotional ride for the Year 12 students as they say goodbye to their schooling and celebrate their formal in the evening.

The Walk of Honour started in 2006 to create a touching experience for their Year 12 students to complete their final walk to their chapel with the path lined by all of the students.

The walk finishes with the youngest pupils, the preps, so the school leaders can reflect on their years of schooling at the college.

The number one song hits from each year the students have been at school echoed in the background as they walked through the grades.

College vice-captain Harri Crossley, 17 years, made the school journey with the college and was excited to be a part of the walk on Wednesday.

"I have really valued the caring and friendly environment at Good Shepherd, along with the engaging and considerate teaching staff who have made the last 12 years unforgettable. Next year I plan to move to Melbourne to study Political Science and International Affairs," Harri said.

Friend and college captain Matilda Fry said she was going to miss the amazing students and teachers at the school. Next year she plans to live on campus at UQ and study psychology.

Lily Beaulieu, college vice-captain said she valued being a part of a "loving and caring school community".

"It has been an amazing environment to learn and grow into who I am today. I hope to study at the University of Melbourne and eventually end up with a law degree. Human rights is a huge passion of mine and I intend to fight for equality."

Munna House captain Eric Michaels said he was going to miss the smaller school community as he planned to head to the University of Queensland in 2014 to specialise in either Aerospace or Mechanical Engineering.