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STUDENTS HIT THE SLOPES! ITALY SKI TRIP 2018

Students spend their half term break having fun on the slopes in Aprica, Italy as they brush up on their skiing skills.

During February half term twenty students spent a week skiing in the fantastic Italian resort of

Aprica, a small town situated between Lake Como and the Dolomites in the Northern Italian Alps. Students spent

five hours each day skiing in the glorious Italian sunshine after a 27-hour coach journey, via Sandbach School.

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To begin with, students skied together whilst being assessed to see who would be placed in the advanced, intermediate or beginner groups.

Despite fog creeping in over the mountain at times, amazingly students persisted in learning a very challenging new skill even when tiredness started to creep in.

Away from the snowy Alpine mountains, students were able to sample the local Italian cuisine and culture as well as karaoke, which led to some very bad singing!

During their stay, our students also headed down to the arcade for a pool tournament which included all students and teachers in pairs. There were plenty of shocks and surprises throughout but students

James Anderson and Tom Roberts emerged victorious, beating Mr Mason and Mr Hardman in the cup final. Miss Moreno and Mr Hayes also won their plate final.

Each evening students had a range of après ski activities to

take part in which included, snow ball fights, bowling, swimming and a disco!

All of the students were a credit to the school, themselves and their families

with many locals in the town commenting on their behaviour and maturity.

Year 11 student, James Anderson said 'All in all it was a great trip, and we would all like to thank Miss Moreno, Mr Hayes and Mr Mason for organising the trip and looking after us throughout. We all look forward to next year!'

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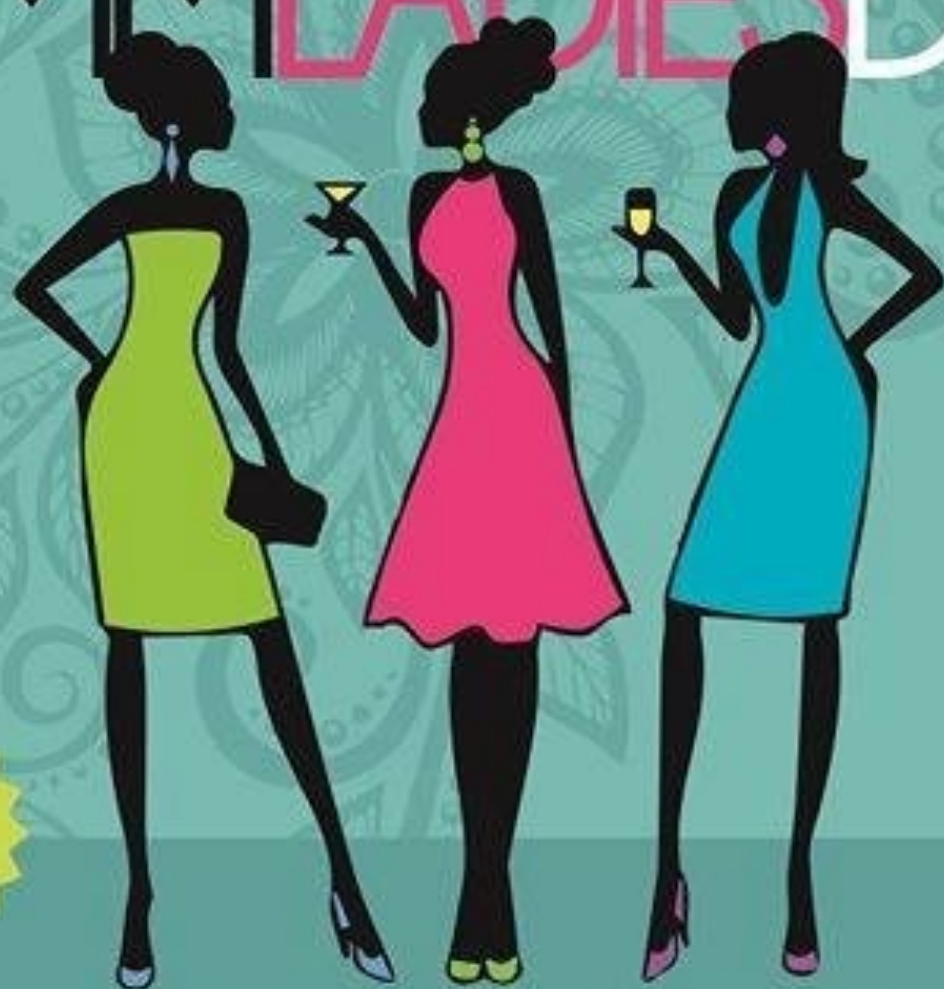
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LYMM LADIES DAY



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A day of indulgence for the ladies, from 10:30am-5pm

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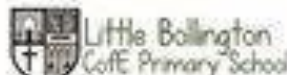
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Enjoy a suitably glamorous
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NOTICES

SPORT FUNDRAISING DINNER

It is with deepest regret that we must announce the cancellation of the Lymm High School Sport Fundraising Dinner 2018. We enjoyed an excellent response from the LHS community to last year's Sporting black tie event. As we prepared for this year's dinner we were excited about the event including, interest in sponsorship and guest speaker Jan Molby. However, we have struggled to generate enough interest.

We have been working on a number of approaches to try and get ahead of this challenge and increase ticket sales, but with just a month left before the event we had to make the difficult, but necessary decision to cancel this year's event. We remain committed to raising funds to increase the sporting opportunities for our students. We will continue to seek opportunities to enhance their learning experience, wherever possible, but we cannot do this without your support. Again we are deeply sorry about not being able to execute this event and any unfulfilled expectations this may cause. We hope to see you at our sports fundraising dinner next year.

AFRITWIN THANKS

Thank you to all those who came to the Afritwin Auction of Promises Event on Friday evening. A big thank you to all who pledged promises for auction and of course to our many bidders who were all so generous on the night.

SUMMER BEDDING PLANTS

The Gardening Club are fundraising again this year by taking orders for hanging baskets and bedding plants.

The order form is available [here](#) and should be returned, with payment, to Student Services by Friday 6 April. All funds raised pays for materials used by students. Thank you for your support.

LADIES DAY

Ladies' Day brings a touch of elegance for the ladies of Lymm High School, providing the opportunity to browse an array of gorgeous boutique stalls and enjoy a suitably glamorous fashion show, followed by a two-course lunch.

Taking place at Lymm Rugby Club, tickets are £32.50 and include a glass of fizz on entry and fabulous goody bag, available to buy through the Lymm High School PTA and the school shop.

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GOLF DAY

Local golfers are raising funds for the Lymm High School "Pitch In" project.

Big Red Events, with the kind support of Lymm Golf Club, are hoping to support this fantastic initiative with a Golf Day, taking place on Friday 4th May 2018, at Lymm Golf Club.

The event will begin at 1.00 pm with great prizes, refreshments and a raffle on offer, followed by an informal meal and prize presentation.

We do hope you can support the golf day in whatever way you can. Be it attending and playing, donating prizes, raffle prizes or sponsorship. All will be greatly received.

Entry is £140 per four-person team! To enter a team, please make payment to Big Red Events Limited, Sort code – 30-98-97, Account no – 46396268, stating your team name in the reference section.

We do hope you can support our event for this great cause!

SPRING FAYRE

Roll up! Roll up! Why not join us for a Spring day of fun for all the family? Our annual Spring Fayre is one of our biggest fundraising events of the year and takes place Saturday 9th June, 12pm, at Lymm High School. There will be games organised by students and staff as well as stalls run either by Lymm students or local community enterprises. The day includes all the traditional attractions of a fayre including raffles, rides, inflatables, music, hot food, bar, face painting, craft stalls, music, performances from our talented students....and much much more!! Local businesses are invited to sponsor a stall at the Fayre. These donations help us cover the costs of attractions and in exchange your business will be promoted to all who attend the event. We also welcome donations of raffle prizes.

This is always a great event for family, teachers and LHS friends to have fun outdoors. All are welcome to join us for what promises to be a great day.

SPORT RELIEF 2018

This year we are really excited to be raising money for Sport Relief 2018! Lymm High School has decided to raise money by inviting students and staff to come dressed in an item of sportswear on Friday 23rd March. To support such a fantastic cause, we ask that each student donate £1 in exchange for wearing their Sporty Outfits during the day. We really appreciate your support and hope that you'll have fun helping our school raise lots of money for Sport Relief!

A close-up photograph of green grass with water droplets, serving as the background for the text.

GOLF DAY

FRIDAY MAY, 4TH 2018
LYMM GOLF CLUB
SHOTGUN START AT 1.00 PM



ENGLANDGOLF

GIRLS, LEARN TO PLAY
GOLF IN A FUN WAY THAT...

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james-goltpm@hotmail.co.uk

**BROMBOROUGH
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Sunday 8th April
@ 12 - 2.00pm

Contact Alex on 0151 334 4489
alexevans25@hotmail.co.uk

STYAL GOLF CLUB

Sunday 8th April
@ 3pm - 5pm

Contact Mark on 01743 642028
mark@styalgolf.co.uk

**POULTON PARK
GOLF CLUB**

Thursday 12th April
@ 6pm - 8pm

Contact Freddy on 07571 926919
freddy@pmpgolf.co.uk

HALE GOLF CLUB

Saturday 14th April
@ 9.30am - 11.30am

Contact Richard on 0161 904 0835
richardishootuk@gmail.com

DELAMERE GOLF CLUB

Saturday 21st April
@ 11am - 1pm

Contact Martin on
01606 883800 option 2
delameregpr@delameregolf.co.uk

**MOTTRAM HALL
GOLF CLUB**

Saturday 21st April
@ 3pm - 5pm

Contact Matthew on 01625 826175
mturnock@mottramsgolftacademies.co.uk

LYMM GOLF CLUB

Saturday 28th April
@ 2pm - 4pm

Contact Graham
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#GIRLSGOLFRCKS

RYMAN TEAM RACE TO THE FINAL



Our first round winning teams head to Chester to compete in the regional finals of the Ryman National Enterprise Challenge.

On Monday 12th March, Mrs Feast and Mrs Worrall had the pleasure of taking the three Lymm High School first round winning teams to the Chester final of the Ryman National Enterprise Challenge. This event would give our students the opportunity of competing with the very best schools and

teams in the North West, all with the hope of enjoying further success and going onto the national final!

In the days leading up to the event, all three of our fantastic teams of students were busily preparing, gathering new and updated props, as well as personalised costumes which looked creative and

professional! The team work, commitment and motivation from the students exuded in all that they did, reminding us how lucky we are to work with such brilliant young people.

On the night of the event, we arrived at Chester Racecourse, all students feeling both excited and nervous to be

pitching their idea in front of teachers, students, parents and of course, the all-important judging panel! Our first team up was 'Too Cool for School', who had the audience engaged from the outset with their light hearted and humorous advertisement which consisted of Hawaiian dancing! The judging panel commended them for their confidence and clear diction, as well as their catchy slogan and overall product idea.

Next up, we had 'Start Your Year, The Ryman Way', who looked very professional in their customised t-shirts! Using the infamous 'Mamma Mia' song, this team swapped the lyrics and produced a very memorable song for their product which had the judges and audience engaged with from the get go! This team were again praised for their dedication and teamwork, with all of the students equally partaking in the presentation. Lastly, we had our 'Bee School

Ready' team who were even dressed using 'bee like' props and immediately caught the eye of the judging panel! This product was commended for being genuinely useful and realistic, as it was a spelling projection pen to help primary school children who struggled with their spellings. This team matched their product and marketing campaign perfectly and had really thought about their target audience in all that they did!

Mrs Feast and Mrs Worrall, along with parents who had come along to support, were extremely proud of all three teams. They were a credit to the school and had presented with confidence and determination. The standard of presentations throughout the evening were extremely high, it was very clear to see that all schools involved had thought carefully and precisely about their products and pitches!

Whilst we all anxiously awaited the judges' decision

on which three teams had been selected for the national final, we enjoyed entertainment from ITV presenter and magician Ben Hanlin. It was then the moment of truth, who had been selected to go through? We definitely did not envy their task as it seemed like an impossible decision to make with the standards being so high!

Success! 'Start Your Year the Ryman Way, Lymm High School!'. We were all ecstatic! One of our fantastic teams had done it! This team will now represent Lymm High School at the national final of The Ryman National Enterprise Challenge. This is truly a fantastic achievement and we are so proud of the students. However, we must also commend our other two teams who performed brilliantly and competed at regional level.

We wish 'Start Your Year The Ryman Way' all the very best of luck in the finals!



OFSTED REPORT 2018

Lymm High School celebrates as Ofsted praises its 'inclusivity and scholastic ambition'

OFSTED inspected Lymm High School in February, and its report has just been published – praising the school for the improvements made under headteacher Gwyn Williams since he was appointed in 2015, and lauding its combination of “inclusivity and scholastic ambition”.

OFSTED's report says that at A level “students made some of the strongest rates of progress seen across the whole country” and that they also make excellent progress in GCSEs.

It rated the school good, saying “pupils are extremely

proud to attend Lymm High School” and “are an absolute credit to the school”.

The inspection team met with staff, governors and students, observed teaching and learning and scrutinised student books and other documents, as well as having almost 400 responses from parents to the ParentView questionnaire.

Writing to Mr Williams, they said “You, your leadership team and governors have an accurate understanding of the quality of education that the school provides. Without doubt, you have created a

culture of thorough monitoring and evaluation that is underpinned by honesty and integrity.”

Mr Williams said: “This is a great report, which we think really reflects where the school is at the moment, and how hard staff and students have worked to improve things over the last few years.

Nevertheless, there is no room for complacency – we know that we and our students are still capable of doing even better.”





STUDENTS LEARN TO STAY SAFE ONLINE

The Warrington Youth Team share some e-safety tips and resources and talk about the benefits and risks of using the internet

On Friday 16th March we welcomed The Warrington Youth Team to deliver the Risky Behaviour E-Safety Programme to all our Year 7 students. The programme is designed to ensure our students know how to keep themselves safe on the internet and use technology responsibly.

The youth team covered aspects of e-safety such as online reputation, privacy and access, use of smart phones and, very usefully, social networking sites as well as discovering new ways to tackle issues such as cyber-bullying.

The workshops were a huge success and gave all who took

part enormous food for thought.

We now hope that equipped with the right e-safety knowledge, our students can better understand the dangers of releasing personal information, as well as how to recognise unethical behaviours or prevent cyberbullying.

THE BIG BANG FAIR

A group of our students, visited the University of Essex in Colchester for The Big Bang Fair.

The Big Bang Fair was aimed at raising students' awareness of S.T.E.M. (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) subjects and the impact they have on our planet.

During the visit our group were given the opportunity to listen to inspiring engineers and scientists from some of the UK's biggest companies and find out about the opportunities available in science and engineering. Our students had the opportunity to engage in over 150 activities across the centre. There were also four stages showing exciting demonstrations from rocket science to marine biology.

The fair demonstrated how STEM subjects are fun, interesting, open to all, and how they can lead to careers our students might not have otherwise considered. That might be through the science of sound waves and music technology, the biology of the body in sports science, the engineering behind a Formula 1 car, or the maths behind



magic tricks.

Bronagh Dowdall, who organised the visit, said: "It was a really enjoyable day and really got our students thinking about how S.T.E.M. subjects link into certain careers and how they have an impact on the world around us.

We know it's great for a

students' motivation if they're aware of the relevance and importance of their subjects to their future education or career.

As always our students were impeccably behaved and came away with lots of new ideas about what lies ahead for them!

THE ROBOTS ARE COMING!

Snow, a banana orchestra and of course, robots - A student account...

One way to lighten the first weeks back after the half term break is a trip, especially on a cold and dismal Wednesday afternoon. After originally being led to the wrong building students journeyed through the snow to the Roscoe Building at Manchester University.

After the short detour, we were led triumphantly by Mrs Wills into the recently refurbished building before the thirty of us entered the lecture hall and excitedly took our seats.

Professor Danielle George was having one last survey of the robots and we waited patiently, eagerly awaiting her presentation.

The lights dimmed, and opened by the leading Rotarian, the lecture began. Professor George was welcomed to the stage and introduced herself to the audience, thanking them for endeavouring to make it, despite the snow. Students were dumbfounded as the first robot introduced to spectators managed to solve a rubix cube faster than most humans could manage.

If that wasn't impressive enough Dr George, then introduced her spectators to an adorable robot, who at her command demonstrated some excellent Tai-Chi moves.

We continued to watch with delight as an orchestra was assembled using everyday household items – using only a baguette, a banana, some floppy discs and a bunch of flowers. After being shown how these items all worked together, we were able to play 'The Hall of the Mountain King' by Edvar Greig.

The musical theme continued as Dr George assembled her robots to form a fully functioning orchestra, which fellow students were invited up to the stage to also be a part of. They created a drum kit using only a single, and bunch of bananas.

The lecture came to a close with words from the same Rotarian we were introduced to at the start of the show and students made their way back to the coach.



AUCTION OF PROMISES 2018

The Auction of Promises, the biggest event on Afritwin's fundraising calendar was held on Friday 9th March and was a huge success.

Our students were fantastic in setting up the event and running the activities throughout the evening which included some very entertaining paper plane and jelly baby tower competitions.

In the auction itself there were 32 items sold in the Live auction, 86 items in the Silent auction and more than 50 items in the Online Auction which ended on Friday evening, all of which were donated by friends, family and local businesses. We would like to say a big thank you to everyone that donated the wide variety of promises.

This year's Auctioneer, Sarah Smith, was very enthusiastic and created a great atmosphere, tempting bidders to spend lots of money.

Some of the students had the role of Auctioneer assistant, and they did a brilliant job

ensuring that the auction ran smoothly.

The buffet provided by parents was extensive and plates of sausage rolls, sandwiches and cakes were eaten for days afterwards.

Rosie Larkin and Katie Reader gave a short presentation to explain the project and what the money raised would be spent on when out in South Africa.



This year we will continue to support our twinned school Qhasana High School in the Eastern Cape, by improving the school facilities and the quality of the education there.

We will also be supporting a township Soup kitchen in Chintsa, also in the Eastern Cape, by providing bathroom facilities, which will make a significant impact on the lives of the children that use the Soup Kitchen.

Finally this event would not have been possible without the help of a group of 7 Afritwin

parents who made up the parent committee alongside the Afritwin staff, so a really big thank you from me to those people. But an extra special mention needs to go to Phil Davies who has dedicated so much time and effort into organising every detail of the event. He has been brilliant, and I can't thank him enough.

Before the trip in August there will be a few more fundraising events, the first being the Bags2schools collection on Wednesday 4th April. So between now and then if you have any unwanted clothes or

need a clear out to make space for your Spring wardrobe (if and when Spring finally arrives) then please put them in a bag and drop them off in the school atrium on the morning of the 4th April.

Miss Millington – Afritwin Coordinator



Afritwin 2018



ROWING FOR MEDALS AT THE NATIONALS



Eight Lymm High School students represent their school and Warrington Rowing Club at the Oarsport Junior Scullers Head.

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Taking place on Tuesday 13th March, at the Olympic venue at Eton Dorney near Windsor, this was a national competition against 54 other clubs from

across the country.

Two female and two male squads took part on the day along with other school students from across the county.

Our students had an amazing day with amazing results and as a club, Warrington Rowing Club had some really strong

results when compared to the whole country!

We are proud to announce the medallists and boys representing Lymm High School included; students Ben Exley, awarded a Silver medal, Sam Preston, also a Silver medal winner, Nick Mundy, Liam Ellis and Matthew Smith.

The Girls representing our school on the day included; Martha Farrow, Mia McGonagal and Izzy Potts.

Other students worth mentioning for their fantastic performances include; Matt Baguley who came in 6th place and Angus Wooler and Tom Carroll who placed 11th overall but achieved GOLD in the B category.

Ella Stanhope and Cam Nyland also did well, placing 9th with student Joe Baguely placing 10th in

the J16 boy's category.

The Great Britain men's squad presented students with their medals, before posing for a photo with our students and their two coaches!

Suzanne Exley, Mum of student rower Ben Exley commented saying 'The kids were not just amazing ambassadors for Warrington rowing club but for LHS also.'

We couldn't be more proud of their achievements!



LEARNING THE ROPES

Keep on reaching for the next grips! That's exactly what our students practiced recently when they went on a trip to the Climbing Depo in Manchester as part of their GCSE PE assessment.

As an additional unit, students could opt to tackle the climbing wall as part of their GCSE PE course.

The group received some fantastic tuition off two experienced and well qualified coaches over three days in one of Europe's largest indoor climbing facilities.

They were fantastic throughout, learning new key skills, techniques and how to safely use the equipment on the artificial climbing wall.

The students worked incredibly hard during the visit and showed great teamwork. They attained some excellent grades that will count towards their final GCSE PE grade.

The PE department would like to say a big thank you and well done to all twelve students involved.





ENGLISH CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Students battle the elements representing Cheshire at this year's English Schools Cross Country Championships .

Students Jordan Jones, Lauren Ferris and Dan Fox represented Cheshire in the English Schools Cross Country Championships at a very hilly Temple Newsam Park in Leeds on Saturday. Battling with the brutal weather conditions as a result of the #MiniBeastFromTheEast, the three tackled the course in sub-zero temperatures, strong icy

winds and snow showers.

In the Intermediate Boys race Jordan Jones (Year 11), who was struggling with a heavy cold, had a poor start but he moved through the field on the second lap of the 5.2km course to finish in 89th place in 19 minutes 20 seconds. The Cheshire team finished in 17th place (out of 46).

In the 4.1km Senior Girls race Lauren Ferris (Year 13) had an

excellent run to finish in 48th place in 17 minutes 17 seconds. And the Cheshire team finished in a fabulous 7th place.

In the Senior Boys race over a 6.8km course, Daniel Fox (Year 13) who was also suffering with illness finished in 265th place in 27 minutes 47 seconds. And the Cheshire team finished in a fabulous 6th place.



REPRESENTING THE COUNTY



I have been a member of Warrington Athletics Club for the past two years and on the 10th March I was selected to run for Cheshire at the National Inter-County Cross Country Championship.

When we arrived, we soon realised that the conditions were going to be tough as it had been raining consistently for about 48 hours. To add to this, the u17s race was the second to last of the day,

therefore there were going to be hundreds of runners churning up the mud further before my race. This was going to require 15mm spikes and tape to hang onto my shoes.

Despite the tough conditions I was extremely proud to represent my county for the first time and am now looking forward to the summer track season.



SOUTH AFRICA

Not long to go, 58 students are getting excited, the kit is ordered and the flights are booked it's the final preparations for South Africa now with a last few fundraising efforts.

Manchester airport will see 58 students gather on the 17th July ready for their flights to Cape Town where they will be playing Football, Hockey, Netball and Rugby against local schools and sampling some of the main excursions and scenery.

Table Mountain, Cape of good hope, Robin Island a Cheetah Sanctuary and other activities are what the group from Lymm High school will be doing. Going then on to Johannesburg to then go to a Game reserve and try and see the BIG 5!

We are producing a tour programme and local companies have got on board and bought some advertising space, students are currently trying to speak to companies within Lymm. If you see this and feel that you want to be linked with the tour please get in touch with lpickles@lymmhiGh.org.uk.

On Sunday 10th June there will be a 'Summer Solstice' Festival, there will a DJ and live music.

This event will be open to Year 7 and Year 8 but there will be limited tickets so please keep your eyes open for when the tickets are released.





LYMM STUDENTS FOR THE SHARKS

This year has been another great year with students involved at Sale Sharks Academy.

Whilst we have a number of students that are making their way through the DPP age groups at Sale, Joe Johnson, Joe Murphy and James Rooney (pictured) were in the Academy U18s squad for the 'finals day' at Allianz Park, home of the Saracens.

To add to this, Josh Hadland has also played in previous rounds and Ewan Murphy trained as a U16 with the U18s squad and was a whisker away from playing for them.

The final of the U18s competition that the academy competed in was against Harlequins and was a tough contest that Sale came second in losing 29-34.

Other great news for the

school; James Sherlock has been selected for the England Counties U18s squad. They played a game against Ealing Trail Finders Academy in a warm up game ready for their 2 tests against Ireland.

James played well and managed to get over the white wash to score a try. We wish him luck in his selection and upcoming games.



GIRLS FOOTBALL COUNTY TOURNAMENT

Nail Bitingly Close Semi-Final Clash for the Year 7 Girls' Football Team

The Year 7 Girls' Football Team narrowly missed out on reaching the final of 'The Cheshire County Girls' Football Tournament' on Tuesday 13th March.

Emily Forshaw, Anna Shaw, Francesca Miller and Freya Jackson demonstrated skill and speed in their attacking positions, allowing Freya to

score an amazing five goals against the three opposing schools – Fallibroome High, Hartford High and Congelton High.

Ava Smith and Lucy Williams showed resilience and determination in defence and Katy Burgess's and Katy Horne's amazing tackling skills enabled them to win the

ball on numerous occasions.

As the winner of the group, we went into the semi finals with high hopes.

Unfortunately, we lost 1 – 0 to Christleton High, which meant we were playing against Whitby High for third position. At full time it was a tense 0 – 0 draw, so it went to penalties.

Francesca Miller and Charlotte Baker took brilliant penalties and Jada Bone was a fabulous goal keeper saving 2 opposing shots, however Whitby managed to shoot the winning goal into the back of the net – leaving us in fourth position.

We went away with our heads held high as we won the trophy for 'Best Sportsmanship'.



GIRLS HANDBALL



The U15 Girls Handball competition was an exciting event, with three schools scoring the same number of points for second place; all seeking a slot for the final against Lymm High School.

Winning that slot was Upton-by-Chester High School who

had scored the most number of goals in their games. In a thrilling final, Lymm High School scored the winning goals to become champions.

Both teams will now represent Cheshire and Warrington at the Northwest Regional Finals in May.

BOYS HANDBALL

The U15 Boys Handball competition was a very fast and competitive event with five schools across Cheshire and Warrington taking part. Lymm and Wilmslow High Schools fought it out in an exciting final which went into extra time. Lymm scored the winning goal with just seconds to spare. Both teams will now represent Cheshire and Warrington in the Northwest Regional Finals in May.





VOLLEYBALL

COUNTY SCHOOL GAMES

Girls crowned under 15 volleyball champions!

On the 16th March both girls and boys teams travelled to Frodsham to compete in the Volleyball County School Games Finals.

There were some fantastic teams in the event! The girls made it through to the finals beating Wilmslow in a fantastic game to be crowned

U15 Volleyball champions.

The boys fixtures were in a league, with the Lymm team and Blacon team winning all of their games so it came down to the game between the two which finished a closely contested 15-13 to Blacon. Leaving the Lymm boys to finish runners up.

Well done to both teams involved in the day.

The girls team included Isabel Gare, Phoebe Hampson, Ella Oldland, Natasha Garside and Katy Thomas-Carter.

The boys team included Sam Horne, Joe Bagueley, Sam Wadsworth

WARRINGTON GYMNASTICS CLUB

On Tuesday 6th March the A-Level PE students visited Warrington Gymnastics club for a taster session on all of the apparatus with elite coaches. Whilst both challenging and fun, it also gave them hand on experience of the sport which is key for understanding some of the complex biomechanics elements of the course.



NETBALL THANKS

Since September 2017 we have played over 65 netball matches which is an incredible achievement. At most of these matches there are also at least 2 or even 6 teams playing from Lymm. We have definitely won the majority too! The netball staff would like to take this opportunity to thank all the girls and parents for attending training and matches. Some of you have not missed a match or a training session. We know who you are and will celebrate this at the end of the season.

INDOOR ATHLETICS COUNTY FINAL

On 14th March, our year 7 girls squad travelled to Ellesmere Port Sports village for the county final of the indoor athletics championships.

It proved to be a tough competition and unfortunately the team didn't qualify for the regional round.

Still, there were some great individual performances. Well done to all competitors.



STANDOUT PERFORMANCES FROM OUR FOOTBALL BOYS



Well done to our U18's Boys Football team after a fantastic performance against King Edward VI Camp Hill Boys on Friday afternoon.

The game was played in great spirit with some fantastic individual performances from our Y11 players which bodes well for the future of the 1st team. We look forward to welcoming you again next year

on your tour of Cheshire.

Please see below this list of players involved in the fixture.

Kai Bone, Matthew Thompson, Jack Heale, Oliver Quarmby, Jonny Caldwell, Paddy Smith, Thomas Houston, Tom Davenport, Alfie Davies, Cameron Higgins, Will Ardron, Sam Bernard, Max Allardyce, George Potts, Jack Sweeny, Matthew O'Brien, James Forshaw, Lewis Cooper.

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

Good Friday
Friday 30th March

Bank Holiday
Monday 2nd April

Spring Term Ends
Friday 6th April

Return to School
Monday 23rd April

Golf Day
Friday 4th May

Ladies Day
Friday 15th June

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