

## WHOLE SCHOOL

### National Careers Week

National Careers Week (**4–9th March**) provides a focus for careers guidance activity at an important stage in the academic calendar. This helps support young people develop awareness and excitement about their future pathways. At Lymm High School, all students will have the following sessions:

- An assembly delivered by an employer.
- Form time sessions to remind students where to find out information to support them in making decisions about their futures.
- On **Thursday 7th March**, Year 7 and Year 8 students will experience an employer carousel to find out a range of careers available to them.

Please [click here](#) to read a guide we have created that we hope will help you have conversations with your child about their futures.

### World Book Day competition

To celebrate World Book Day on **Thursday 7th March**, 21 members of teaching and support staff will be wearing badges of well-known authors from **Monday 4th March** to **Friday 8th March**. Students need to find the staff wearing badges and write their names on the competition sheets available from Form tutors (Years 7 and 8 only) or from the library desk in the ILC.

Every student who hands in their completed sheet by the deadline of **Monday 11th March** will be given a Hall Point. Prizes of Easter Eggs and Amazon vouchers will be awarded to the lucky winner and runner ups chosen from entries who match the most authors and staff.

### PTA Party Night

Tickets are now on sale on Parent Pay for the PTA Party Night on **Friday 26th April** at Lymm Golf Club. Tickets are £25 and include a band, DJ, food, raffle and dancing till late!

### Cashless catering

Please remember to top up your child's cashless catering account via Parent Pay to ensure your child is able to purchase food at break and during lunchtimes. You can [click here](#) to view the lunch menu, which changes each day. The price list can be [viewed here](#).

### Easy Fundraising

You can help us raise money for Lymm High's PTA while online shopping at no extra cost to yourselves. All you need to do is go to <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/> and select Lymm High School as your cause, school will then receive a percentage donation. Last year, we raised over £700 just by shopping! As always, thank you for your support.

### LHS Lottery

Congratulations to this week's school lottery winner, Ms Fraser, who won £74.40! You could be a winner too! If you have not signed up for our lottery yet, please head to our dedicated lottery website [here](#). If you

want to find out how the school lottery works, please [click here](#). Tickets are only £1 each week and your support would be hugely appreciated.

## LOWER SCHOOL

### Life Programme

On **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March**, students will be covering the following:

- **Year 7** will discuss what it means to live with a disability and how we as a community can help reduce barriers for people with differing abilities. Students will look at different examples of how we can help others. They will receive a brief starter session on [Makaton](#).
- **Year 8** will consider the importance of the five British Values and reflect on how individual liberty may benefit them in their life. They will look at the meaning of individual liberty and discuss different examples of where people have a right to be 'free'.
- **Year 9** will consider how to manage the end of relationships, be that friendship or romantic ones. They will be given advice on how to deal with online issues that may arise as relationships change and end.

### Year 7 residential at Ty'n-y-Felin

At Lymm High School, we pride ourselves on giving all Year 7 students the opportunity to take part in a residential programme that is designed as an integral part of the Year 7 curriculum. This opportunity allows all students to continue their learning whilst staying at our wonderful outdoor education centre, Ty'n-y-Felin, on Anglesey. Please [click here](#) to read the full details.

### Year 9 Choices

A reminder that the Choices deadline is **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March**. For further information, view the Choices [website here](#).

### Boys Football Tour – May 2025

We are planning to take a group of boys on a football tour to Spain in May 2025, departing on **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May** and returning on **Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May**. The basic format of the trip consists of a 4-day tour to Salou in the Northeast region of Spain. A full programme of events is provided and is likely to include:

- Two fixtures for each team
- Tour of the Nou Camp Stadium
- Full use of sports facilities at Futbol Salou Sports Complex with two Pro coaching experiences.

The tour is open to boys involved in school football who are currently in Years 7 and 8 (i.e., Years 8 and 9 next school year). To read the full details, [click here](#).

## UPPER SCHOOL

### Life Programme

On **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March**, students will be covering the following:

- **Year 10** will consider what gambling is and the risks associated with it. Guidance will be given for where to go to get support if students are worried about themselves or others in relation to this topic.
- **Year 11** will have a careers talk and consider their Plan A and Plan B for next year after GCSEs.

### National Citizen Service

The National Citizen Service (NCS) is visiting Lymm High on **Monday 11th March** to talk about its summer experience for students in Year 11. Please [click here](#) to read the letter for parents and carers.

To read the parent pack, [click here](#).

## SIXTH FORM

### Life Programme

On **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March**, students will be covering the following:

- **Year 12** will have an online speaker talk to them about addiction and drugs.
- **Year 13** will remain on study leave for their mocks.

# Personal Development Update

Our social responsibility theme for this half term is **Tolerance and Equality**.

Our work on tolerance and equality continues this half term, with all students across Years 7–11 having received an assembly on LGBT + History month throughout the week. This assembly included important reminders on their social responsibility to support our school in being an accepting, inclusive and respectful community. Next week, we will be dedicating our time looking at National Careers Week with assemblies and Form time activities linked to this.

Here's what's going on over the next two weeks. What will your child get involved in?

<b>WEEK B: 4–8<sup>th</sup> March</b> <b>Assembly theme:</b> National Careers Week	<b>WEEK A: 11–15<sup>th</sup> March</b> <b>Assembly theme:</b> Year group assemblies, SLT theme
<b>Monday</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• World Book Day competition starts. Can you find and name the famous authors?</li> <li>• Year 9 <i>Lord of the flies</i> rehearsal, lunchtime, Drama studio</li> <li>• Sixth Form 'Brain Day'</li> </ul>	<b>Monday</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A' Level RS conference, Manchester</li> <li>• STEM Halliwell Jones trip</li> <li>• National Citizen Service visit for Year 11</li> </ul>

- 7<sup>th</sup> 'Treasure in the Library' clue
- Year 8 French play, Main Hall

### Tuesday

- GCSE RS conference, Manchester
- Year 7 Dance Club, lunchtime
- PE Climbing trip

### Wednesday

- Life Programme
- Year 8 Dance Club, lunchtime
- School nurse drop-in at break in Student Services (mental/physical health support)
- PE Climbing trip
- Year 9 *Lord of the flies* rehearsal, after school, Main Hall
- 8th 'Treasure in the Library' clue

### Thursday

- Year 9 Dance Club, lunchtime

### Friday

- 9th 'Treasure in the Library clue'
- **Ongoing Freddo Friday:** As part of our commitment to recognise the brilliant achievements of our students we are launching 'Freddo Friday'. The top six 'Star Students' in each group will be identified and rewarded with a praise postcard and Freddo to spread some Friday joy!

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- Operating Theatre Live, Main Hall
- Year 7 Dance Club, lunchtime

### Wednesday

- Year 8 Dance Club, lunchtime
- School nurse drop-in at break in Student Services (mental/physical health support)

### Thursday

- Year 8 German play
- Halle Orchestra trip
- Year 9 Dance Club, lunchtime
- History trip to Poland

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In addition, [click here](#) for the extra-curricular activities and sports timetable



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