

THE SIXTH

4–8 November 2024

THIS WEEK...

WELCOME BACK
TO SIXTH FORM!

We have a busy half term ahead but hopefully one also filled with a good balance of hard work and fun! Ensure you embrace the challenges ahead, support each other, and make the most of every opportunity.

APPLYING FOR APPRENTICESHIPS?

Take a look at the apprenticeship page (p. 14) to see this week's LIVE apprenticeship vacancy spotlight and more key links. Each week this will be updated with upcoming events and vacancies.

GENEVA TRIP

Mr Mullin and Mr Hawker-Green will be hosting the Parental Information evening on Teams at 6.30pm on **Tuesday 5th November** about the Maths and Physics trip to Geneva. Please see Class Charts for the link or contact Mr Mullin if you need any further information.

OPEN EVENING HELP

Student Ambassadors are still needed for Sixth Form Open Evening on **Thursday 14th November**. If you haven't already signed up with a subject or department, please support this fantastic event by emailing Mrs Hughes on lhughes@lymmhigh.org.uk.

WEAR IT PINK

Thank you to everyone who supported our Wear it Pink day on **Friday 18th October**. With the Bingo session at breaktime and the annual staff vs. students netball game at lunchtime, we raised over **£525!**

EPQ

Mid-project reviews will take place this half term. Please speak to Mr Mullin to arrange a slot.



MOVEMBER

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Lymm High School
Sixth Form



WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK


NOVEMBER®



Please [click here](#) to view the Assessment calendar, which includes key dates for the year ahead.

CALENDAR

4–8 November 2024

DAY	YEAR 12	YEAR 13	OTHER EVENTS
MONDAY	<i>The Sixth</i> and mentoring – Weekly reset	<i>The Sixth</i> and mentoring – Weekly reset	
TUESDAY	Assembly – Welcome back/ expectations	UCAS – Have you submitted to school? Apprenticeships, have you made applications?	Geneva Parental Meeting (see p.1) Careers Advisor
WEDNESDAY	Study Skills – Introduction to MOOCs	Assembly – Welcome back/ expectations	Politics Club, 1.30pm, A201 School Nurse, 1.15–2.10pm
THURSDAY	Issues, Debates and Current Affairs – US Election results	Issues, Debates and Current Affairs – US Election results	EPQ meeting, 8.25am in N105 Personal statement & apprenticeship workshop, N205, 1.30pm
FRIDAY	Futures Friday – Interests Profile on Unifrog	Futures Friday	

CONGRATULATIONS



Punctuality Challenge Winners

For this competition, we took into account **ALL** late marks, including Form Time, lessons, and even those supervised study periods.

After reviewing the data, the two Forms with the *least* late marks this term are...



Form 12TL and Form 13ML!

Congratulations! Your reward was a box of **freshly baked, original glazed Krispy Kreme doughnuts**, which were delivered straight to your Form rooms.

Maths Success

Congratulations to Year 12 Lottie Nicholson and Year 13 Nora Abbassi-Stewart for obtaining a Merit and Distinction in the girls Maths Olympiad, respectively.

NEWS



Cambridge Interview Workshop

On **Wednesday 23rd October**, the Cambridge Admissions Tutor from Sidney Sussex College, along with a recent Cambridge graduate, visited Sixth Form to deliver a Cambridge Interview Workshop.

They met with our Year 12 and Year 13 Gateway students to support their university applications, particularly to institutions that require interviews, such as Cambridge. The workshop was well-received, offering students valuable insights into what interviewers are looking for. Students learned more about the interview process and how it helps Admissions Tutors assess a candidate's enthusiasm for their subject, academic strengths, and potential to thrive within the Oxbridge teaching system.



NEWS



Scavenger Hunt

Sixth Form students took part in an end-of-term Chocolate Scavenger Hunt on the last day of the half term. They received instructions via email to find items such as mice, bats and eyeballs to exchange for chocolate.

Teachers told us they have never seen Sixth Formers so enthused as they looked for spooky items all over school. There were 50 prizes in total and no surprises that every single one was won!

Inter-Hall Pickleball



Well done to our Sixth Form competitors who took part in the Inter-Hall Pickleball tournament. Year 12 Alisdair Broadbent, Matthew Harrison and Ben Humble all made it to the semi-finals, but were sadly pipped to the post by KS4 opponents in the Final.



BIRTHDAYS

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| S. Brocklehurst | A. McGerty |
| I. Davis | H. Millachip |
| A. Hassett | J. Sands |
| C. Hewitt-Dutton | A. Shevtsiv |
| M. Jones | C. Stockton |
| P. Marsh | A. Thomason |
| M. McCarthy | |

REMINDERS

DONT FORGET TO:

YEAR 12 LIVERPOOL TRIP

On **Wednesday 4th December**, Year 12 students will be visiting the University of Liverpool as part of our Futures Programme. Please ensure that you have paid and completed the medical information form on ParentPay for this trip.

YEAR 13 PARENTS' EVENING

Year 13 students have been given appointment cards to arrange meetings with their subject teachers for the upcoming Parents' Evening on **Thursday 7th November**. Ensure you consider transition time between appointments.

CHILDREN IN NEED

Not long to go until the annual Children in Need fundraiser on **Friday 15th November**.

Don't forget to get your costume sorted!

What will you dress up as?



REVISION SUPPORT



Year 13 revision sessions

	Subject	Time	Room
Monday	Economics (A week)	1.15–2pm	S106
Thursday	Psychology	1.30–2pm	S109
	Economics (B week)	1.15–2pm	S106
	Geography NEA advice	3.20–4.15pm	N105



GIVE SOMETHING BACK

Movember

Movember is our month-long fundraising and awareness campaign starting on **Friday 1st November**.

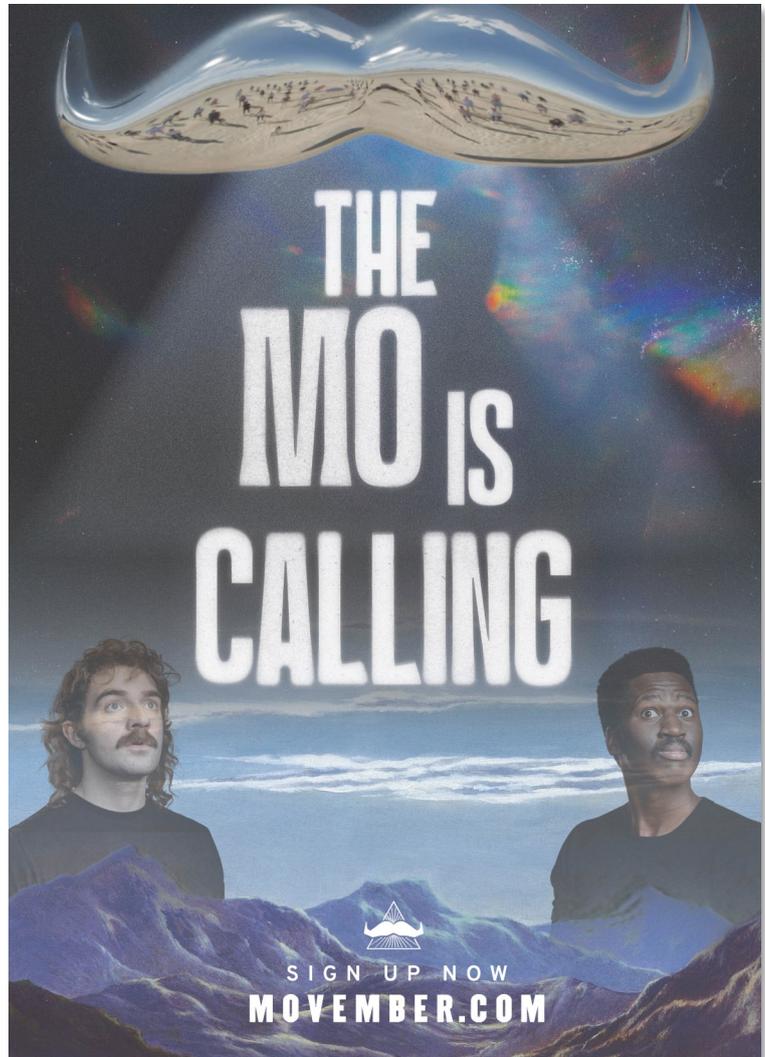
During Movember, men sign up to grow a moustache for 30 days, getting friends, family and colleagues to donate to their effort.

Want to get involved in Lymm High's fundraiser?

- Sign up to the [Movember website](#)
- Join the team: 'Lymm High School'
- Let Mr Hawker-Green and Mr Dobson know you're in the competition by emailing them a baby face picture at the start of November.

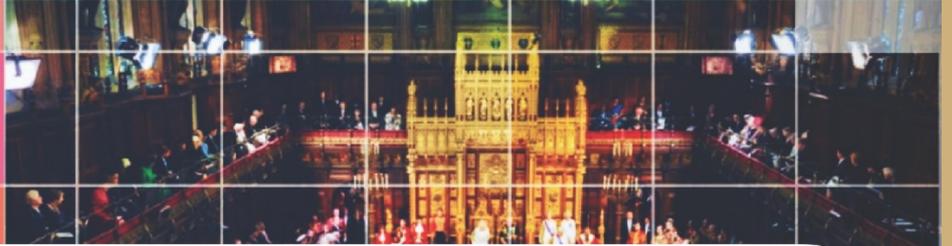
You don't need to grow a moustache: Men and women can also get involved by committing to Move for mental health. Every hour, 60 men are lost to suicide globally. By walking or running 60km over the month, or by hosting an event, you can also raise funds and help change the face of men's health.

For further information on Movember, [click here](#).

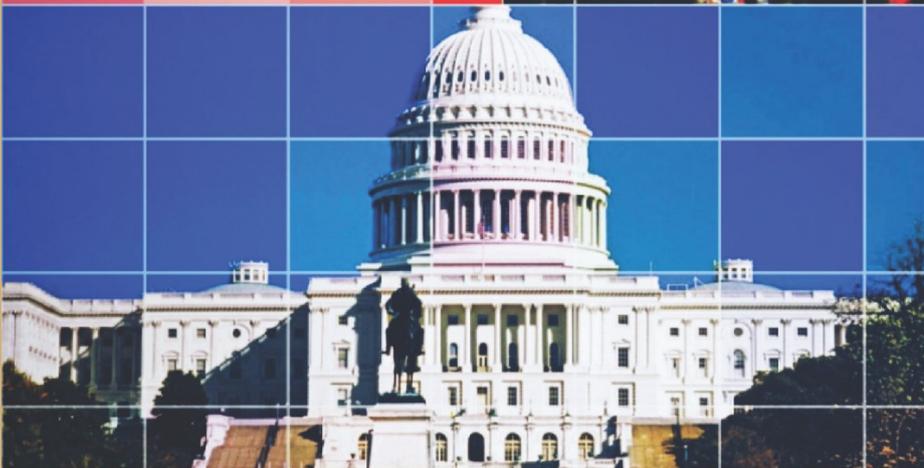



MOVEMBER®

Mr. Wilde's Room : A201



Politics Club |



Every Wednesday 1.30-2pm

FUTURES

OPPORTUNITIES

MANCHESTER
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The University of Manchester

Discover Business Accounting with PwC

The University of Manchester,

Wednesday 20th November, 12.45–3.30pm



At this afternoon event, students will get insights into the University Of Manchester's BSc Business Accounting with Industrial/Professional Experience course.

The event will feature two informative sessions designed to increase your understanding of studying at the university and provide a glimpse of what it's like to work with a leading firm like PwC. Sessions will be delivered by academics on the course and a representative from PwC, giving you a perspective of both the university and placement aspects of the course.

To register, please [click here](#).

Get into Medicine and Dentistry conferences

The Get into Medicine or Get Into Dentistry Conferences offer a comprehensive guide to navigating the medical or dental application journey. Students gain crucial insights into the medical/dental UCAS application process, including the new focus on extracurricular activities.

- Application timelines
- How to tactically choose Medical/Dental Schools
- CV building
- Personal Statements - New format from 2026
- Medical/Dental School interviews
- UCAT - Entrance exams to Medical/Dental School
- Medical Leadership and awards programmes
- Accessing work experience
- Accessing scholarships

The Get Into Medicine conferences are:

- **Saturday 26th October** (9.30–3.30pm)
- **Sunday 27th October** (9.30–3.30pm)
- **Sunday 3rd November** (9.30–3.30pm)

To register, [click here](#).

The Get Into Dentistry conference is:

- **Sunday 10th November** (9.30–3.30pm)

To register, [click here](#).

Students will need to ensure they have a functioning camera and microphone for the session. It's also important that they have a parent or guardian present at these conferences, not only for safeguarding, but also to gain insight and guidance to support them effectively.

FUTURES

OPPORTUNITIES



Year 12 OxNet applications now open

Deadline to apply: Thursday 31st October



OxNet is an Access Programme delivered by Pembroke College, University of Oxford. It is an academically-intensive programme in which students will get a real taste of Oxford-style learning. There are six courses to choose from, each with 14 places available.

- Languages
- Humanities
- Social Sciences
- English
- Philosophy & World Religions
- Sciences

Each programme will provide students with an opportunity to explore their discipline beyond the A' Level curriculum as well as engaging in interdisciplinary thinking through a thematic approach to each area.

Successful applicants will show a willingness to participate, to step outside of their comfort zone, and an enthusiasm for their subject area.

To apply, students only need to fill out the application [form here](#). Students applying for OxNet Sciences programme will also be required to complete a scientific problem sheet.

All students will receive correspondence about the success of their application in December.

OxNet 24/25

OxNet is an intensive academic programme for Year 12 pupils living the North West and North East of England and London, leading to a residential at Pembroke College, Oxford.

APPLICATIONS ARE NOW OPEN FOR OUR YEAR-LONG COURSES IN:



TO APPLY, VISIT:

WWW.OXNET.ORG



APPLICATION DEADLINE:
THURSDAY 31ST OCTOBER

- **Thursday 7th November**

Weekly Drop-in Session at lunchtime in N201, speak with Mr O’Flynn for advice on applications, CVs and finding apprenticeships.

- **Tuesday 26th November**

CV Writing Workshop - Writing a Professional CV.

Mock Interviews with an employer

Weekly LIVE Apprenticeship Spotlight: Financial Services / Commercial Banking	
HSBC www.hsbc.co.uk	 HSBC
Location	Manchester
University / Training Provider	Kaplan Financial
Salary	Competitive
Start Date	October 2025
Application Deadline	Tuesday 5th November
To find out more and apply, click here .	

Register for New Degree Apprenticeship Alerts:

- [Indeed](#)
- [Total Jobs](#)
- [Rate My Apprenticeship](#)
- [Prospects](#)

Key Apprenticeship Links

- [Current apprenticeships in the Warrington area](#)
- [Higher & Degree Apprenticeship Vacancies - October 2024](#)
- [Cheshire and West Apprenticeship Opportunities](#)
- [Search for an apprenticeship – GOV.UK](#)
- [A Guide to Traineeships and Apprenticeships - Lymm Sixth Form](#)
- [Not Going To Uni - Search for Opportunities](#)
- [Liverpool John Moores University - Apprenticeships Courses](#)
- [Manchester Metropolitan University - Become A Degree Apprentice](#)
- [Apprenticeships | University of Salford](#)
- [Programmes - Apprenticeships - The University of Manchester](#)
- [Search apprenticeships | UCAS](#)
- [NHS Apprenticeships](#)
- [Linkedin - Degree Apprenticeships](#)

Need More Help?

Our Careers Advisor, Ms Draper, is available for one-on-one support. Contact Mr Brown at Sixth Form Student Services to book an appointment nbrown@lymmhigh.org.uk).



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Your Future, Your Choice, Move On - Careers Fair

Warrington Youth Zone (WA2 7NG)

Wednesday 13th November 2024 - 15:30 - 19:00

Free and open to all in the local area, especially those in Year 9 – 13 including parents/ carers.

With over 50 stands, meet with; employers, colleges, universities, training providers and voluntary organisations from varying sectors, including digital, healthcare, finance and the services.

Whether you are deciding on subjects to study or careers to pursue, this is a great step to help you to explore your options.

- Learn about apprenticeships, T-Levels and A Level progression routes

- Find out more about going to university and interact with local universities

- Seek out part time jobs, volunteering placements or work experience opportunities.

Register now to confirm your place.

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CAREERS

Our [careers website](#) includes a [calendar of events](#), [labour market information](#) and a link to [Unifrog](#).



In Cheshire and Warrington, the industry sectors that are growing include life science, digital & technology, logistics & distribution, energy, zero carbon and clean growth. Find out more [here](#).

Key sectors with significant levels of employment are: chemicals, manufacturing & engineering, finance & business services, and health & social care.

Upcoming Events

- **Careers Days**
 - Law – Saturday 2nd November
 - Vet – Saturday 9th November
 - Computer Science – Saturday 23rd November
 - Engineering – Saturday 7th December
- **In-person Law Experience Days**
 - October and November in London, Manchester and Newcastle
- **Browne Jacobson October Law Work Experience**
 - Tuesday 29th October, 9–4pm (online)
- **Females in STEM work experience with Wates**
 - Tuesday 29th October, 9.30–12pm (online)
- **Year 12 Law Insight Evening with Clifford Chance**
 - Wednesday 30th October, 5–7.30pm, Canary Wharf, London
- **Lloyds Banking Group Technology & Data Event**
 - Tuesday 5th November, 5–6pm (online)

For details of all these events and more, [click here](#).

Females in STEM work experience with Wates

Tuesday 29th October, 9.30–12pm (online)

This virtual work experience event will focus on career opportunities in Construction and Engineering for female students in Years 12 and 13. You'll learn about Wates' Trainee Management Programme and the career pathways available in:

- Commercial
- Building Services Engineering
- Design
- Production (Site)

During the session, you will:

- **Hear from Current Trainees:** Gain first-hand insights from current Wates trainees and professionals about their roles and experiences.
- **Engage in Interactive Activities:** Participate in hands-on activities designed to showcase your creativity and problem-solving skills.
- **Understand the Recruitment Process:** Learn valuable tips on standing out as a candidate and navigating the Wates application process.

Wates is one of the UK's leading construction, development and property services companies. With 4321 employees and a turnover of £2.18 billion in 2023, they partner with both public and private sector clients to create the places, communities, and businesses of tomorrow.

Spaces are limited, so students are encouraged to register quickly by [clicking here](#).





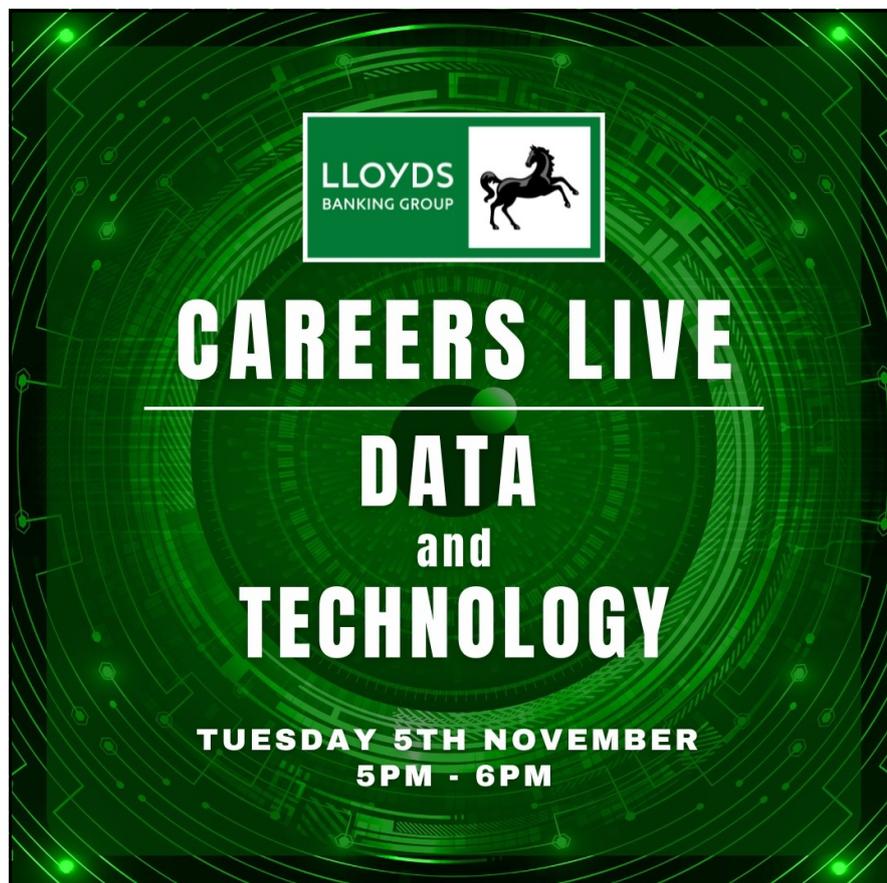
Lloyds Banking Group Technology & Data Event

Tuesday 5th November, 5–6pm (online)

This Careers Live session is perfect for anyone interested in how technology is transforming finance and how you can be a part of it. Whether you're curious about data analytics, software development or cybersecurity, this is your opportunity to learn from the experts and explore the exciting opportunities ahead.

- Discover Career Pathways within one of the UK's largest financial institutions.
- Gain insights from professionals who work at the intersection of finance and technology, and get an insider's view of what it takes to succeed in these fast-growing fields.
- Get top tips on the skills and qualifications you need to build a career in data and technology, and how to make your application stand out.
- Ask any questions at a Q&A session.

To register, [click here](#).



Fragomen's UK Immigration Law School

*Wednesday 6th November & Wednesday 13th November (both dates)
6–8pm (virtual)*

Fragomen, the world's largest corporate immigration law firm, invites you to join their exclusive 2-day law school, which will take place over two evenings in November. This immersive experience has been a great success over the last 4 years, offering valuable content, senior speakers from the legal industry and fantastic networking opportunities.

Have you ever wondered how global firms like Uber, HSBC or Netflix relocate hundreds of their employees worldwide? Or how some of the world's highest-profile sportspeople secure visas to work across the globe? Now's your chance to explore the fascinating field of corporate immigration law – a growing area of law you might not have considered before.

This event is open to all school students with an interest in law, particularly immigration law. The Fragomen Immigration Law School will provide you with insights on pursuing a legal career, navigating applications, and preparing for interviews. You'll hear first-hand from leading legal professionals, global clients and charities, giving you an inside look at the workings of a major global law firm.

- Expert speakers from the legal industry
- Networking opportunities with professionals and peers
- Insights into Law Careers and immigration law
- Advice on job applications and how to stand out in the legal field

To register, [click here](#).





To view the latest online University events, [click here](#).

These are listed in chronological order and include Open Days (in-person and virtual), online chats and webinars. Students can browse these events and engage with higher education from the comfort of their mobile, tablet or computer.

UCAS

- **Liverpool Hope Open Days**
Saturday 16th November 2024
Wednesday 4th December 2024
Wednesday 8th January 2025
- **University of Salford Open Day**
Saturday 9th November
For further information, [click here](#).
- **Manchester Metropolitan University**
Saturday 23rd November
For further information, [click here](#).
- **Liverpool John Moores University Open Days**
Friday 8th November
Saturday 16th November
For further information, [click here](#).

For details of these events and more, [click here](#) to access our dedicated UCAS webpage, and click the button **‘What’s on this month’**.