



Dear Parents and Carers,

We are writing to inform you about an exciting new development for the Performing Arts facilities at Lymm High School.

Several of you may remember our proposed multi-million Performing Arts Centre that we had hoped to construct on our site. Regrettably with the increase in building costs, and the narrowing of available Government capital funding, we have had to make the difficult decision to cancel this project. However, we are undeterred to improve what opportunities exist for our students, so we have created a Plan B – this involves new accommodation for a standalone drama studio and the refurbishment of our Main Hall.

The drama studio shall be a new building based at the rear of the existing Performing Arts block at Lymm High and will consist of a 100m² performance space, the equivalent in size of two standard classrooms. It is anticipated that the facility will be in place this summer, subject to planning permissions. The modernisation of the Hall shall occur over a year in phases, dependent largely upon how much is generated from our community fundraising programme and what school can afford from its own resources.



With this in mind, 'Hall Together' is the name given to our Main Hall redevelopment project. This will involve a redesigned stage area, updated artwork, a new trophy cabinet, and enhanced audiovisual and lighting equipment. The schematics below give an impression of our plans.



To raise the funds needed for this impressive project necessitates an equally impressive fundraising campaign, and this is where we hope you can help. Our plans so far include financial donations via Parent Pay, a family raffle, and a series of PTA events where all fundraising will go to the Hall Together project. In the spring of 2026, we are launching an exciting Community Fun Run initiative, which we very much hope you will support. More information on all the individual events will follow in due course.

At this stage, we are looking for pledges of both money and time from parents, carers and our wider school community. We know money is tight and we therefore also welcome any help with electrics, audiovisual expertise, painting & decorating and soft furnishings. If this is something you could help with, please contact Simon Marsden on smarsden@lymmhigh.org.uk

Our very best wishes,



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