

WHOLE SCHOOL

Mobile phone policy

Please [click here](#) to read the response to feedback on plans to introduce mobile phone pouches.

Hall Together

Fundraising for the Main Hall refurbishment via our ParentPay Push has so far raised **£1506.25**. Thank you to the 115 parents and carers who have contributed. The Lymm High School Development Fund is also contributing to this campaign. Please [click here](#) to read the letter sent home last week.

Awards Evening 2025

invites have gone out to the parents and carers of those children nominated to receive an award at our Awards Evening on **Wednesday 9th July**. Please check your Class Charts announcements to confirm attendance.

Founders' Day

We will celebrate Founders' Day on **Wednesday 16th July** and the theme will be 'A celebration of community', reflecting our founding principles of community service and social responsibility. On this day, we will be inviting all students to take part in a very exciting, inflatable obstacle course, and an Inter-Hall raft challenge. Please [click here](#) to read the full details.

Medication and First Aid at school

We are improving the way we record and communicate first aid incidents and medication administration at school. Please [click here](#) to read the letter sent home today.

International Sports Awards

Please can you let us know if your child has represented their country in any sport this year. Please email Mr Kerwin (JKerwin@lymmhigh.org.uk) with the following information:

- Student name
- Current year group
- Sport
- Country
- Age group represented (e.g., U15)

Preloved school shoe collection

We would like to support the Warrington School Uniform Network by collecting any preloved school shoes that your child has grown out of. If you have any black school shoes in sizes 1–13 (as in adult size 13) that are in good condition, we'd be really grateful if you could drop these off to main reception at school by **Friday 11th July**. The Warrington School Uniform Network will then make your donations available to parents across Warrington who might be in need of this support. Many thanks in advance for your generosity.

Dreams of a Generation

On **Thursday 3rd July** (10–11am), students from Years 7–13 are taking part in a free drama, dance and singing performance as part of Chester's Festival of Ideas. The Performing Arts students will use their voices to explore their dreams about their personal futures, but also their dreams for the future of society, and the environment. This is an uplifting and dynamic performance showcasing the positivity of this generation of high school students.

For free tickets, please [click here](#).

Community safety: Abandoned building in Thelwall

We have received a message from a local resident regarding concerns about an abandoned nursing home on Weaste Lane in Thelwall. The site has become a gathering spot for young people and, unfortunately, has been subject to vandalism and antisocial behaviour. It now poses serious safety risks.

As we approach the summer holidays, we ask parents to speak with their children about the dangers of entering abandoned buildings, the legal consequences of trespassing and vandalism, and the importance of treating local residents with respect. We appreciate your support in helping to keep all our young people safe and maintaining positive relationships within our community. Please do not hesitate to get into contact with us, should you have any concerns.

Support for families in crisis

For families experiencing extreme hardship, the following support networks can help:

- Trussell's Help Through Hardship can triage people in need and give support as well as foodbank vouchers over the phone. Call 0808 208 2138, which is a free number, Monday to Friday (9–5pm).
- [Talking Points](#) are places you can go to get friendly, face-to-face information, support and guidance to help you to live and stay well across Warrington.
- [Warrington Foodbank](#)

Discounted social broadband tariffs

Home broadband is increasingly essential for supporting students' learning. Households receiving benefits such as Universal Credit could be eligible for discounted social tariffs on home broadband, helping them stay connected at lower costs. If you think you may be eligible, or for more information, we encourage you to visit [Ofcom's website](#). Please also be aware that receiving Universal Credit may also make your child eligible for Free School Meals and therefore also Pupil Premium, so please [click here](#) to complete the form and apply.

Careers Fair

Lymm High's Careers Fair is taking place on **Tuesday 8th July**. This event is free for all students from Years 8 to 13 and is a great opportunity to learn about many different industries and possible career paths. Please use [this link](#) to book your free tickets. If you have any questions, please contact Miss Williams (nwilliams@lymmhigh.org.uk).

Lymm Festival Trail Races

This day of races for all ages, starts and ends at Lymm High School on **Sunday 20th July**. All proceeds are going to the Woodland Trust. For information on the Fun Run, Junior or Adult races, please [click here](#). If any parent or carer would like to help serve refreshments during the day, PTA are hoping to raise funds towards the Hall Together campaign. Please contact pta@lymmhigh.org.uk if you are interested in finding out more.

Club Hub UK

Club Hub UK is a one-stop shop for all your children's clubs and activity needs near you. [Click here](#) to access the website to search the whole of the UK for activities for children up to 18 years old, including holiday camps, family days out, kids clubs, kids activities and much more.

To discover what's going on in your local area and community, simply type in your location, age and select 'All types' as the category.

Polish Studies

A Polish Saturday School, based in Warrington, offers Polish language education for children and young people of all ages. It provides a supportive environment where students can develop their Polish language skills, learn about Polish culture, and strengthen their identity. It also offer preparation for the Polish GCSE exam, helping students achieve excellent results with tailored support. For further information, please contact polskaskola@pceik.co.uk

Cashless catering

Please remember to top up your child's cashless catering account via ParentPay 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. 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

Upcoming Tynny trips

A reminder of our Year 7 residentials to Ty'n-y-Felin:

- Monday 30th June – Wednesday 2nd July (Moreton Hall)
- Wednesday 2nd July – Friday 4th July (Tatton Hall)
- Wednesday 9th July – Friday 11th July (Walton Hall)

The kit list and key information about the trip has already been shared on Class Charts. We can't wait to have fun in the Welsh sun (fingers crossed!).

Miss Taylor

Life Programme

As part of our Life Programme, KS3 students have been engaging in important PSHE sessions designed to broaden their understanding of key societal issues and prepare them for life beyond the classroom. We'd love for parents and carers to keep these important conversations going at home – discussing the topics together can really help students process and apply what they've learned.

Our next extended Life Programme is on **Thursday 3rd July**.

- **Year 7** have now completed their financial education for this academic year, finishing with an engaging session on the relationship between jobs and money. Next week, they will take part in a one-off lesson focused on challenging discrimination, using sport as a lens to explore diversity and inclusion. The session encourages students to reflect on how sport can break down social barriers and promote equality, while linking these ideas to core British Values.
- **Year 8** continued to explore the theme of discrimination, this week focusing specifically on gender discrimination and how bias can affect our decisions. Building on their previous discussions around group think and social responsibility, next week they'll be watching parts of *The School That Tried to End Racism*, using real-life scenarios to deepen their understanding of racial bias and the importance of inclusive thinking.
- **Year 9** have now completed their political literacy strand of PSHE, having explored democratic systems, voting and the boundaries of political opinion versus extremism. Next week, they will take part in a one-off session on discrimination, with a focus on the online world and gaming culture. Students will explore how to challenge discrimination through acceptance and respect, celebrate differences, and contribute to a more inclusive school community.

UPPER SCHOOL

Year 10 mock interviews

We are looking for volunteers to participate in mock interviews with our Year 10 students on **Tuesday 8th July** (9.45–12.15pm). If you have previous experience in recruitment or working with young people and would like to help run 1-to-1 mock interview sessions, please email Miss Williams (NWilliams@lymmhigh.org.uk).

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Our next extended Life Programme is on **Thursday 3rd July**. Moving away from the human rights focus, next week, Year 10 students will tackle financial risk and gambling, learning about thinking errors like the gambler's fallacy, how gambling can lead to debt, and the laws around financial crimes such as fraud and cybercrime. The session will also offer strategies for managing financial influences, especially online.

Personal Development Update

Our social responsibility theme for this half term is **COMMUNITY**.

In addition to our regular [extra-curricular activities](#), here are other events which students can enjoy over the next fortnight. What will your child get involved in?

WEEK A: 30th June–4th July Assembly theme: Sports Awards	WEEK B: 7–11th July Assembly theme: Hall assemblies
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Inter-Hall Pickleball for Key Stage 3 will be running at lunchtimes. Sign up with Mr Hayes.• St Rocco's Hospice have asked us to enter a competition to design a new mascot for them. Mr Beardsall will be running this until the end of the year. See Mr Beardsall for an entry form. <p>Monday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Year 7 Moreton Hall residential to Ty'n-y-Felin.• Architecture Workshop, Main Hall, 3.30–5.30pm <p>Tuesday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Year 8 trip to Quarry Bank Mill• Year 7 Moreton Hall residential to Ty'n-y-Felin.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• St Rocco's Hospice have asked us to enter a competition to design a new mascot for them. Mr Beardsall will be running this until the end of the year. See Mr Beardsall for an entry form. <p>Monday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Alton Towers Rewards Trip <p>Tuesday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Careers Fair, 5–8pm, Sports Hall <p>Wednesday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Year 7 Walton Hall residential to Ty'n-y-Felin.• Awards Evening

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