

WHOLE SCHOOL

Last day of term

This school year finishes at 12.15pm on **Friday 18th July**. The bus company have told us that they will not be able to send buses earlier to collect students for this early finish. Please can parents/carers make arrangements to get their children home safely.

Start of new term

Please note that on the first day of the new school year, **Wednesday 3rd September**, only Years 7 and 12 will be in school. All other year groups will return on **Thursday 4th September**.

Mobile phone policy

A final reminder to get in touch with your Head of Year or the SEND team as soon as possible if you have any specific issues relating to your child and the introduction of mobile phone pouches from September. Mr Williams' letter and short video with all the details about the new approach can be <u>accessed here</u>.

Hall Together

Fundraising for the Main Hall refurbishment via our ParentPay Push has so far raised **£1638.25**. Thank you to the 126 parents and carers who have contributed. The Lymm High School Development Fund is also contributing to this campaign. Please <u>click here</u> to read the full letter.

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 various fun activities, including an inflatable obstacle course and a sponsored walk. Donations via Parent Pay are now live. We thank you for any support you can give to our Hall charities. Please <u>click here</u> to read the full details.

Sister Act

Our KS3 production, *Sister Act*, is taking place in the Main Hall at 7pm on **Monday 14th**, **Tuesday 15th** and **Wednesday 16th July**. Tickets are on sale now from the School Shop.

Extra-curricular sports clubs

All extra-curricular sports clubs at lunchtime and after school finish today. There will be no clubs running during the last week of term.

Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR) vaccine

We've been made aware that measles is on the rise in Cheshire. To avoid further spread, please make sure your child has received two doses of the MMR vaccine for full protection. Please <u>click here</u> to read the full details from Warrington Borough Council.

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).
- <u>Talking Points</u> 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.
- <u>Warrington Foodbank</u>

Leisure Centre Family Fun Day

On **Sunday 27th July** (11–4pm), Lymm Leisure Centre is holding its annual Family Fun Day. This will include Sports taster sessions, bouncy castles, face painting, free swimming, fairground rides, food stalls and much more!

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 <u>https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/</u>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, Mrs Johnson, who won £66.30! You could be a winner too! If you have not signed up for our lottery yet, please head to our dedicated lottery website <u>here</u>. If you want to find out how the school lottery works, please <u>click here</u>. Tickets are only £1 each week and your support would be hugely appreciated.

LOWER SCHOOL

Introduction to Year 8

Mr Barnett and Mrs Purslow will be taking over your child's year group from September 2025 and working with them for the remainder of their time at Lymm High School. Please <u>click here</u> to read the full letter sent home.

UPPER SCHOOL AND SIXTH FORM

Exam Results Days

Please <u>click here</u> to read the letter sent home about arrangements for GCSE and A' Level Results Days.

Personal Development V/pdate

Our social responsibility theme for this half term is **COMMUNITY**. In addition to our regular <u>extra-curricular</u> <u>activities</u>, here are other events which students can enjoy next week. What will your child get involved in?

WEEK A: 14–18th July **Assembly theme:** *Staying safe over summer* St Rocco's Hospice have asked us to enter a competition to a 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. Afritwin trip to Kenya all week. • Monday **Cinema Rewards Trip** DofE Bronze Qualifying Expedition. *Sister Act,* Main Hall, 7pm. Tuesday Sports Day. *Sister Act,* Main Hall, 7pm. Wednesday • Founders' Day. Sister Act, Main Hall, 7pm. Founders' Day Service, 6pm, St Mary's church, Lymm

Thursday

Reserve Sports Day

Friday

- School Nurse drop-in: Break time in Student Services.
- 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!

