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# NEWSLETTER

Friday 28th March

Dear Parents & Carers,

We are so proud to say we are a myHappymind bronze accredited school! It has been amazing to hear the impact that myHappymind has had already on so many children. So far this year, the children have learnt about the different parts of the brain and how they work together, the importance of celebrating their character strengths and how to develop an attitude of gratitude. Lots of children said they look forward to myHappymind lessons and the Happy Breathing as it helps them feel calm and ready to learn. We have had really positive feedback about the parent app, so please download it and take a look if you haven't already.



A huge thank you for all the OPAL bingo contributions, they will be very much enjoyed by all the children. Due to the sunny weather, we've been able to finally put up the green flag and allow the children to start eating outside and open up the sandpit. It will be wonderful to share this with families at our annual OPAL open afternoon on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May at 2.30pm. Finally, thanks to the commitment of our wonderful pupils, staff, and supportive families, we are thrilled to announce that our school has been ranked in the top ten primary schools in Warrington based on our Year 6 SATs outcomes. This is a fantastic reflection of our shared drive for excellence and high expectations of staff, pupils and parents. You can read more about this [here](#).

Kind regards  
Mrs Jill Sach

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Thursday 3rd April

- Choco-Bingo (5.30-8pm) & dress down
- PAN performance (4DF only)

### Friday 4th April

- School closes @2pm

### Tuesday 22nd April

- Children return to school

### Thursday 24th April

- Online Zoom session 7pm
- This will be an update of our development priorities so far.

### Monday 28th April

- Red Envelope Week (PTA)
- Year 3 Art Exhibition 3.15-3.30pm everyday this week

### Monday 5th May

- Bank Holiday

### Monday 12th to Thursday 15th May

- SATs week (Y6)

### Friday 16th May

- PTA Circus 6pm

### Monday 19th May

- Class Photographs

### Thursday 22nd May & Friday 23rd May

- Talent Shows

### Friday 23rd May

- OPAL play afternoon & own clothes day (2.30p-300pm)
- School closes at normal time

### Monday 9th June

- Children return to school
- Y1 Phonic Screening Check begins
- Y4 Multiplication Check begins

### Thursday 19th June

- Year 2 Assembly 2.30pm

### Friday 20th June

- Year 2 Assembly 9am

### Friday 27th June

- EYFS & KS1 Sports Day

### Friday 4th July

- KS2 Sports Day

### Saturday 5th July

- Summer Fair (PTA)



## USEFUL REMINDERS/ INFORMATION



### PUPIL PREMIUM FREE SCHOOL MEALS

A reminder that anyone who is currently entitled or becomes entitled to Free School Meals up until 31st March 2025 will still remain protected until the end of their phase of education (end of Primary School or end of Secondary). Each eligible child at Ravenbank receives a £70 contribution from the school for extra-curricular enrichment.

To ensure Ravenbank receives the maximum amount of pupil premium funding we would like to ensure that families eligible apply before 31st March 2025- even if you think you are not eligible as your circumstances may change at a later date. Click this [link](#) to our website where you will find the relevant forms.

### HOUSE POINT PRIZES

We've introduced to the children the end of term prize for any house team that collectively reaches 4000 points. This will be a board game afternoon in the hall. If you have any spare board games you'd like to donate to the school for this activity, please send them with your child or drop in at the school office.

### COMIC RELIEF

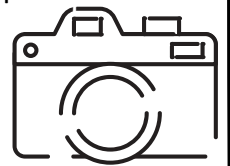
Many thanks for the donations for Comic Relief. We were able to raise £297.09 through the dress down day.



### PHOTOGRAPH PERMISSIONS

I wanted to update you in our progress with photograph permissions. You will be aware that we've been seeking updated permissions for using your child's image on 'social media'. I wanted to clarify the situation. The school has decided not to use any children's images on X (formerly Twitter) due to ethical concerns about the platform. We will retain our account, but only to share photographs of children's work and curriculum updates.

If you have given us consent, this means we can include your child's image on the website, Tapestry, Class Dojo, newsletter (which goes on the school website) and the local Guardian. Parents do need to be aware that the Warrington Guardian may use images taken on their social media pages. We are also very aware in this digital age that an image can be found on our website and copied and used, so want to ensure parents/ carers are fully informed when giving consent. If you have said no to social media we have removed all photograph permissions and you will be asked each time when permission is required. For example, our school photographer taking group photographs as these can be shared digitally. Many thanks for your support.



### YEAR 3 ART EXHIBITION

Year 3 are hosting an art exhibition during the week beginning 28th April. Miss Green's classroom will be open every day that week between 3:15-3:30pm if you would like to come in and see the artwork (from both 3IG and 3MN) that has been produced throughout our expedition 'Echoes of the Nile'. Photos of the gallery will be posted on Dojo for those of you who can't make it.

### DRESS DOWN DAY

A reminder that next Thursday 3rd April is a dress down day in exchange for a donation of an Easter egg for the choco-bingo. Many thanks in advance.





# CURRICULUM INFORMATION



## YEAR 6 EXPEDITION SOUTH AMERICA: A SYMPHONY OF LIFE AND LANDSCAPES

This week, Year 6 children have been working really hard on their presentation of learning. The children have made their own display boards and chosen work out of their history and geography books to illustrate their learning over the spring term. It was a delight to go into both classes and see the children working so diligently on their writing and art work. Well done Year 6!



## WARRINGTON PRIMARY ARTS NETWORK (PAN)



Children in Year 4 and Year 6 have contributed art work to this year's PAN exhibition. This year's theme is 'All Change' and Ravenbank have chosen to include Year 6's self-portraits and the children's poems about the changing planet. Year 4 DG have contributed some beautiful pieces of art based on the theme of climate change.

If you are in the Golden Square shopping centre between Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> March and Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April, head to the area near Tim Horton's to see our work. The PAN performance will be led by Miss Fenney's class on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at the Parr Hall.



# PE AND SPORTS NEWS



On Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> March, the Lymm Under 10 team took place in the Cheshire Mini Festival. They won every match they played and did incredibly well. Congratulations, Tobias L, James O'B, Archie S and Max R from Year 5.

For the last year, Lani (6PS) has been playing for the all-girls rugby union team

Manchester Rubies Under 12. On the 16th March, Lani travelled to the Stone X stadium (home of Saracens) to take part in the biggest girls rugby festival ever. Sale sharks nominated the Rubies team and they flew the flag for the North! They played 4 games and won 3. Lani played extremely well, showing determination and perseverance. Lani, we are so proud of you! What a fantastic role model you are! We can't wait to hear about your next sporting achievements.



On the 18th March, a group of girls from Year 3 and 4 took part in a football festival at Priestley Collage. The girls thoroughly enjoyed the festival and represented our school amazingly! Mr Williams was extremely proud of how well they worked together. Well done: Lucy, Iris, Rose, Elsie (Year 3) and Milly, Layla, Abbie, Jess, Olivia and Mabel (Year 4).

Don't forget to share your sporting news with us by sending to [ravenbank.primary@thebeamtrust.co.uk](mailto:ravenbank.primary@thebeamtrust.co.uk)





## OPAL PLAY-FLAG SYSTEM (REMINDER)



Children need to wear trainers when using the trim trail.

We have reminded the children that digging needs to be in the allocated digging area or the sand pit. They are encouraged not to dig near paths or on the fields due to trip hazards.

## DOES YOUR CHILD HAVE ASTHMA?

Warrington Borough Council is working in collaboration with St Helens Borough Council and St Helens wellbeing teams on a DEFRA indoor air quality project called 'Healthy Air for Healthy Lungs'.

The project aims to improve the indoor air quality for households with children aged 2-10 who have asthma or persistent wheeze needing at least 3 salbutamol inhalers a year. Asthma is the most common long-term medical condition affecting children in the UK affecting around 1 in 11. We know that outcomes are worse for children and young people living in the most deprived areas.

The overall aim of the Healthy Air for Healthy Lungs project is to reduce unplanned and emergency admissions to hospital; reduce visits to the GP; reduce over reliance on reliver inhalers; improve overall asthma management using preventer therapy; and identify and support the wider causes of poor respiratory health.

Those who are eligible to participate in the project receive:

- An initial home air quality assessment
- Installation of an indoor air quality monitor which can measure particulate matter, volatile organic compounds, carbon dioxide, humidity, and temperature
- £50 Love to Shop Voucher or an air purifier if air quality is persistently poor
- Frequent personalised advice and support on how to improve their indoor air quality
- Regular check-ins with the St Helens wellbeing team
- Individualised support and signposting to services including housing, energy assistance, and wellbeing.

For more information, visit: [www.sthelenswellbeing.org.uk/services/health-checks/pages/healthy-air-for-healthy-lungs](http://www.sthelenswellbeing.org.uk/services/health-checks/pages/healthy-air-for-healthy-lungs) or scan the following QR code:



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**Ravenbank Primary School, Lymm**



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**PRO SPORT COACHING**

7TH-11TH & 14TH-17TH MULTI-SPORTS HOLIDAY CLUB

**JOIN IN THE FUN!**

- Multi-sports
- Arts & crafts
- Lego
- Orienteering
- Capture the flag

**MON-FRI**  
9-3PM £22  
9-5PM £35

SCAN TO BOOK

**Save the Date:**  
Queen and Retinue Selections  
May 17th, 2pm at  
The Church Green  
May Queen Festival July 5th, 2025

**LYMM MAY QUEEN**

# GIRLS RUGBY LEAGUE

**WE ARE RECRUITING FOR THE 24/25 SEASON**  
COME DOWN TO A TRAINING SESSION

**ARE YOU IN YEARS 5 & 6 - COME JOIN OUR TEAM!**

**WE TRAIN AT VICTORIA PARK (WINTER TRAINING)**  
FRIDAY - 7PM - 8PM

Get in touch to find out more [warringtongirlsrl@gmail.com](mailto:warringtongirlsrl@gmail.com)

LYMM HIGH SCHOOL

**7TH-11TH & 14TH-17TH FOOTBALL HOLIDAY CLUB**

**JOIN IN THE FUN!**

- 3V3 TOURNAMENT
- PENALTY SHOOTOUT
- COMPETITIONS
- CERTIFICATES FOR EVERYONE
- PLAYER OF THE DAY
- PRIZES FOR THE WINNERS

**MON-FRI**  
9-3PM £22  
9-5PM £35

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# HAF

## Holiday Activities and Food

Are your children on benefit related free school meals?

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If yes, they can attend up to four fully funded holiday activities this Easter. Browse now at [warrington.gov.uk](http://warrington.gov.uk). Bookings open 9am on Monday 10 March. Email [haf@warrington.gov.uk](mailto:haf@warrington.gov.uk) to find out more.

**Not eligible?**  
Many clubs offer paid places at a reduced rate.



#HAF2025

WARRINGTON Borough Council Department for Education



# WOMEN'S YOGA

Namaste, I'm Emma and I teach regular classes in Lymm. Suitable for all levels of yoga knowledge and I am specialised in pregnancy, post natal, perimenopause and menopause.

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Mon 630-730pm

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# EASTER DANCE & SPORT CAMP

**LIMITED AVAILABILITY**

WARRINGTON Borough Council

**7TH-10TH APRIL 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM**

**HOT LUNCH MEAL INCLUDED**

**AGES: 5 - 12**

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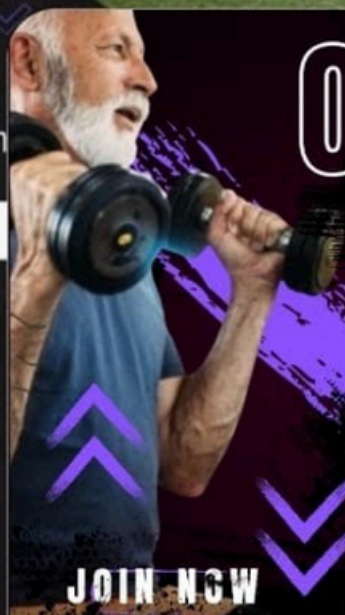


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### Every Body Counts

A free programme for children and young people aged 5-16 years\* (up to 25 years with special educational needs) and their families. Our programme will help family members make better informed lifestyle choices leading to positive health gains including physical activity, mental wellness and nutrition. Our approach is compassionate and inclusive where our families will feel supported, their needs understood and coached for long term behavioural change.

SCAN BELOW FOR FURTHER INFORMATION



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## Age 8-14's

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## 2025

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## Easter half term holiday club!

HAF funded spaces available for eligible children

Thursday 10th April, Friday 11th April, Monday 14th April, Tuesday 15th April.  
Morning (9-1) or Afternoon (12.30-4.30) sessions available.

Snacks and hot lunch or tea available for all children  
attending these sessions.

01925 758 959 | 07494 744 992  
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## Easter half term holiday club!

Suitable for school age children

Join us from Monday 7th April - Thursday 17th April  
for our half term holiday club.

Monday  
7th April-  
Thursday  
17th April

Activities available during these dates:

- Forest School - developing tool skills, using fires.
- Cooking/ baking activities
- Sports games and activities
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- Building activities

Making new friends, time with old friends, supporting children's wellbeing for around 3 hours a day outdoors.

Contact us today for more  
information around session times  
and prices of sessions.

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# Colour Run

Sunday 11th May 2025

Walton Hall & Gardens

01925 575780

Events@stroccos.org.uk

Volunteer Marshals Needed!

Adults- £15

Children- £12

20% off entry fees until 30th March!

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for children & their families/carers



Tuesday 8th April  
Theme The Last Supper



At Lymm Youth & Community Centre  
Doors open at 3:30 p.m.  
Start 3:45 p.m. & Finish 5:30 p.m.

Come and join us  
as we tell stories from the bible  
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We finish with a simple 2 course meal.  
Free event but donations are welcome.

For more information contact  
Juliet on 07729326594 or cfw.lymmmc@gmail.com



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## HAF PROGRAMME

Active Future are working with Warrington Borough Council to bring a fun and exciting Summer youth club for children on benefits related to Free School Meals for FREE. With activities on our programme such as nerf battles, futsal festivals, healthy eating workshops and other fun team building Activities - all delivered by our caring and expert staff! \*Free for children on benefits related to Free School Meals. We can also cater for those not on FSM for £12 per day. Family discounts are also available! For children aged 4 - 12.

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