

# THE SIXTH

2–6 December 2024

“ THIS WEEK... ”

POSITIVE  
MINDSETS

This week we encourage you to embrace challenges, learn from mistakes, and seek to continuously improve. Regard any setbacks as opportunities for growth rather than failures, seek to develop a positive growth mindset and try to build your levels of resilience in all opportunities.

## MANCHESTER MARKETS REWARDS TRIP

We are looking forward to announcing which students have been offered a place on the Rewards Trip. The successful students and their parents/carers will be informed by Class Charts on **Monday 2nd December**. See p.7 for more information.

## CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Sixth Form Christmas lunch will be served on **Thursday 12th December**. Join us for festive fun, served at your table, all for £2.75. See p.4 for more information.

## UNI OF LIVERPOOL TRIP

On **Wednesday 4th December**, Year 12 students may attend in their own clothes and must register at 8.25am as normal. Lunch is not provided, so bring a packed lunch or money to purchase anything extra.

## DEBATE CLUB

Are you looking to develop your confidence, reasoning and communication skills? Why not pop along to Debate Club. It will run on Tuesdays at 1.30pm in N201. The first session will be **Tuesday 10th December**.

TELL US!



Lymm High School  
Sixth Form



# WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK



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

## CALENDAR

2–6 December 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	Talk on Healthcare Apprenticeships, 10.45–11.15am (see p.11)
TUESDAY	Study Skills	Study Skills	Careers Advisor
WEDNESDAY	University of Liverpool trip	Issues, Debates and Current Affairs	School Nurse, 1.15–2.10pm
THURSDAY	Issues, Debates and Current Affairs	Assembly	
FRIDAY	Futures Friday – Using the Unifrog Skills profile	Futures Friday – Interview preparation/reflection	

# NEWS



## Geneva Trip

Last weekend, 30 Maths and Physics students flew to Geneva to fully immerse themselves in the world of Particle Physics. Students visited CERN where they learnt about Dark Matter as well as learning more about the endless benefits and possibilities regarding Nuclear Fusion.

Students also visited a chocolate factory and got to sample the amazing food and festivities at the Swiss Christmas Markets.



## BIRTHDAYS

G. Brown

I. Chang

L. Hockenull

E. James

B. Shelton



# LYMM

## Sixth Form

### CHRISTMAS DINNER

THURSDAY 12TH DECEMBER

CRACKERS INCLUDED!



SERVED TO YOU AT THE TABLE!

ROAST PAPRIKA TURKEY OR  
ROASTED QUORN FILLET WITH  
YORKSHIRE PUDDING

*Savoury stuffing and cranberry sauce*

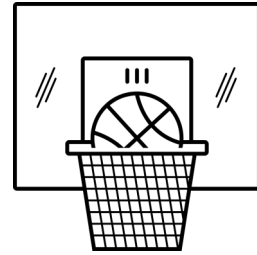
ROAST POTATOES, GLAZED CARROTS,  
BUTTON SPROUTS, PIGS IN BLANKETS, GRAVY.  
AND A CHRISTMAS MINCE PIE!

£2.75

ALL BOOKINGS TO MADE ON PARENTPAY  
BY THURSDAY 5TH DECEMBER

# SPORTS

# UPDATE



## SENIOR NETBALL SUCCESS

Our Senior netballers are through to the Quarter Finals of the National Shield after winning their last game:

Lymm, 34

Newcastle-Under-Lyme, 31

Stonyhurst College is their opponent in the quarter final, which is likely to take place in January.

Best of luck girls!

## NW LEAGUE WIN

The Seniors also excelled in the NW League game on **Wednesday 27th November:**

Lymm, 44

St Christophers, 30

The player of the match was Martha Henderson.

Coaches players were Afy Agina and Sophia Brocklehurst.



# REVISION SUPPORT



## Year 13 revision sessions

	Subject	Time	Room
<b>Monday</b>	Economics (A week)	1.15–2pm	S106
<b>Thursday</b>	Sociology	1.30–2pm	S109
	Economics (B week)	1.15–2pm	S106
	Geography NEA advice <i>(until Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December)</i>	3.20–4.15pm	N105



# CONGRATULATIONS

## Manchester Markets Rewards Trip

We are looking forward to announcing which students have been offered a place on the Rewards Trip. The successful students and their parents/carers will be informed by Class Charts on **Monday 2nd December**.

This trip has been organised as a reward for students who have demonstrated consistent attendance at Sixth Form and punctuality to Form, lessons and supervised study periods. All students who met these criteria were entered into a blind draw for the opportunity to go on the trip.

Congratulations to all those who made the effort to meet these expectations. Ensure you sign up promptly if you choose to go as places not taken prior to the deadline will be allocated to other students.





# THANK YOU

**Lymm High School**

for raising a fantastic

**£958.77**

The money you have raised will be used to help change the lives of children and young people facing disadvantage in communities across the UK.

**BBC**  
**CHILDREN**  
**IN NEED**



# FUTURES

# OPPORTUNITIES

## Lead Coaches Wanted!

Little Kickers is looking for a Fixed Lead Coach at Lymm Leisure Centre starting after Christmas.

- Saturday morning (3 hours) and
- Sunday morning (2 hours)

Interested applicants can contact Chandon Gioacchini to organise an interview:

- Text: 07862 064624
- Email: [chandongioacchini1999@gmail.com](mailto:chandongioacchini1999@gmail.com)



## 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).

## Register for New Degree Apprenticeship Alerts:

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

## Healthcare Apprenticeships

*Monday 2nd December, 10.45–11.15am, N105*

- Are you interested in a career in healthcare?
- Want to learn more about apprenticeships in the Allied Health Professions?



Come and meet Jane Ansell, Senior Lecturer at the University of Derby, who will be talking to students about healthcare apprenticeships, including Degree Apprenticeships and other exciting opportunities in healthcare.

This informal session will offer a chance to learn about healthcare apprenticeships, hear real-life experiences, and get answers to all your questions. Whether you're curious about healthcare pathways, this is a great opportunity to explore your options.

Don't miss out—this session is open to all Sixth Form students! Please grab your food from the Lower Hex and bring it along.

## Healthcare Apprenticeships



## Apprenticeship Spotlight

- **Company:** Balfour Beatty  
www.balfourbeatty.com

## Balfour Beatty



- **Qualification:** Apprentice Environmental Advisor- Level 6 (degree) – 2025
- **Location:** Manchester
- **Salary:** £24,600 per annum
- **Start date:** September 2025
- **Application Deadline:** Wednesday 25th December

To find out more and apply, [click here](#).



# 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

- **Lloyds Banking Group Application Masterclass**  
*Tuesday 3rd December, 5–6pm (Zoom)*
- **Careers in STEM: Engineering insights**  
*Thursday 5th December, 5–6pm (virtual)*
- **Engineering Careers Day**  
*Saturday 7th December*
- **Insight to KPMG virtual event**  
*Monday 9th December, 5–6pm*
- **Year 12 and 13 in-person Law event with TLT**  
*Monday 9th December, Manchester, 5–7.30pm*
- **Waterside Apprenticeship Open Evening**  
*Wednesday 11th December, 5–7pm*
- **Virtual work experience with the Highways Agency**  
*Wednesday 11th December, 5pm*

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

## Lloyds Banking Group Application Masterclass

*Tuesday 3rd December, 5–6pm (Zoom)*

Are you curious about a career in Banking, Finance or Technology? This virtual event is designed to give you insights into one of the UK's largest financial institutions and how to make an impactful corporate application. This is your chance to learn about the wide range of career opportunities available at Lloyds Banking Group (LBG) and how to take your first steps towards an exciting future.

LBG is at the forefront of the banking and financial services sector, committed to innovation, diversity and nurturing future talent. This event is perfect for students interested in finance, technology and business, offering a glimpse into the opportunities and pathways available within a leading organisation.

- Learn about the company's role in shaping the UK economy and its commitment to supporting businesses and individuals across the country.
- Discover apprenticeship programmes, graduate schemes, and internships designed to help you launch your career in banking, fintech and beyond.
- Gain practical advice on what LBG looks for in candidates, including guidance on preparing for apprenticeship applications, excelling in interviews, and mastering online assessments.
- Ask your questions directly to LBG representatives and receive tailored advice on navigating the recruitment process and starting your career journey.

To register, [click here](#).



## Careers in STEM: Engineering insights

*Thursday 5th December, 5–6pm*

Are you interested in an exciting career in engineering and energy systems? At this virtual event with National Energy System Operator (NESO), students will discover opportunities in the energy sector and learn how they can help shape the future of sustainable energy. NESO are part of the UK Government so are publicly owned with a core responsible for the entire distribution of the UK's electricity and gas supply. This is a fantastic opportunity to:

- Learn about engineering roles.
- Explore career pathways.
- Meet engineers working at the forefront of the energy transition, tackling real-world challenges to create a greener and more sustainable future.
- Participate in a live Q&A session to get tailored advice about the skills, qualifications and experiences needed to succeed in this field.

NESO plays a crucial role in shaping the UK's energy landscape, ensuring a reliable and sustainable energy supply. By attending this event, you'll gain valuable insights into how engineering is driving the energy transition and how you can be part of this vital work.

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**  
*Wednesday 4th December*  
*Wednesday 8th January 2025*
- **University of Chester School of Education Experience Day**  
*Friday 13th December, 10–2pm*
- **University of Chester Open Day**  
*Saturday 18th January 2025*  
For details of these events and more, [click here](#) to access our dedicated UCAS webpage, and click the button '**What's on this month**'.