

# THE SIXTH

18–22 September 2023

“ THIS WEEK...

ENRICHMENT,  
GET INVOLVED!

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All students will attend an Enrichment Fair this week so they can see what activities we have on offer: there is something for everyone! We will share the programme with parents as soon as this is finalised. Please do encourage your child to sign up!

## IAG EVENINGS

Year 12 and Year 13 IAG Evenings will be held in school on **Thursday 21st September**.

- Year 12: 6pm. Click [here](#) for the letter.
- Year 13: 7pm. [Click here](#) for the letter.

## UNIFROG PARENT CODE

Year 12 and 13 parents will have already received their Unifrog log-in code. Please email [lhughes@lymmhigh.org.uk](mailto:lhughes@lymmhigh.org.uk) if you have any issues with this. [Click here](#) for an outline of how best to use this platform.

## EPQ MEETING

All students who are completing the EPQ will need to meet in S201 at lunch on **Tuesday 19th September**. Please bring any drafts of your essay and your production log. See Mr Mullin if you have any questions.

## MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Our first charity event of the year will be held on **Friday 29th September**. Please do have a think about what cakes you can make in preparation for this. They will all need to be nut-free please. Shop bought ones are also very welcome!

## KEY DATES

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

Lymm High School  
Sixth Form



# WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK



## CALENDAR

18–22 September 2023

DAY	12AL, 12AH, 13AH, 12DL	12ML, 12MH, 13ML, 13MH, 12DH	12TL, 12TH, 13TL, 13TH, 13DL	12WL, 12WH, 13WL, 13WH, 13DH	Other events
MONDAY	<i>The Sixth</i> and preparation for the Enrichment Fair				
TUESDAY	Enrichment Fair	*Study skills	Healthy Relationships	Mentoring	EPQ meeting (see p.1)
WEDNESDAY	Mentoring	Enrichment Fair	*Study skills	Healthy Relationships	
THURSDAY	Healthy Relationships	Mentoring	Enrichment Fair	*Study skills	IAG Evenings (see p.1)
FRIDAY	*Study skills	Healthy Relationships	Mentoring	Enrichment Fair	

\*Study skills: Year 12 – What makes a good student? Year 13 – Effective Reading

# NEWS



## Parliament Trip

Miss Dixon and Mrs Jennings took a group of students to Parliament last week for a tour of the House of Lords and the House of Commons. Not only were students able to take part in a mock debate, they also met our local MP Andy Carter!

The students thoroughly enjoyed learning so much about Parliament and Government.

This is a trip we will repeat in the future!



# NEWS



## Welcome breakfast

On Thursday 14th September, our Student Leadership Team held a welcome breakfast for those students who have joined the Sixth Form from other schools.

It was lovely to catch up with them all and hear about the warm welcome they had received and the friends they have already made.

Welcome to our Lymm family!



## BIRTHDAYS

E. Allcock-Daniels	H. Lockwood
T. Anderson	M. Ryley
M. Barry	O. Scanlan
E. Burton	M. Smith
D. Connelly	J. Vickery
J. Harter	H. Wasey

# SPORTS

# UPDATE

## RUGBY DRAW

After going down 5–29 in hot conditions against Sandbach, the team rallied together and managed to fight back drawing the game 29–29. A narrowly missed conversion could have given us the 31–29 win.



## 1st XV RUGBY WIN

The 1st XV hosted Fallibroome in the National cup. The team took the first step and beat them 57–7: it was a very good performance and the team looked good.

Anyone wanting to get involved? Training is Thursday after school and games vary from Wednesday and Saturdays with a few Friday nights involved.



## FOOTBALL FIXTURES

1st and 2nd teams played at Manchester Grammar in their first game of the season. The first team lost 5–3 and the 2nd team won 3–2. Two entertaining fixtures played in good spirit!

Any Sixth Formers looking to get involved are welcome to attend training on Tuesday's (3.15–4.30pm) with Mr Hampton and Mr Mason.



# PREVIOUS

# NOTICES

DONT FORGET

## Admissions tests registration now open



Registration is now open for October 2023 admissions tests. This includes BMAT, ENGAA, NSAA, TMUA and TSA Oxford.

The registration deadline for all tests is 6pm on **Friday 29th September**. There is no late entry period.

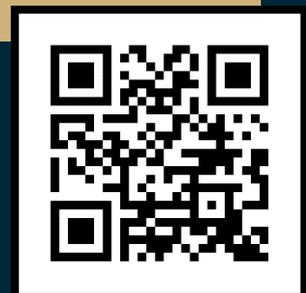
There is an earlier deadline of **Friday 15th September** for students that require modified papers (e.g. enlarged print).

Students should get registered by Lymm High's Exams Officer (jmonks@lymmhigh.org.uk) as soon as possible.

To learn more about the test sessions, including key dates, costs and details of how to register, [click here](#).

## Exam Timetable

The provisional exam timetable for summer 2024 can be [found here](#). Please note this is provisional and may be subject to change. Please do NOT book holidays around these dates just yet.



# ENRICHMENT



## Extra-curricular sports timetable

September 2023

	Lunch 1.30–2pm	After-school 3.10–4.15pm
<b>Monday</b>	Fitness Suite (GPO/LP) Table Tennis – Gym (OM) Rowing – Studio (KLJ)	Boys Hockey – Astro (All Years, DM)
<b>Tuesday</b>	Fitness Suite (JK/SM)	Senior Boys Football – 3G (Years 11–13, JHM/SMA) Girls Hockey – Astro (SAF) Netball Training, 3-week rotation (Years 7/ 8–9 / 10–13, HHA/HWA/JFO)
<b>Wednesday</b>	Girls Fitness Suite (HST/LP/JSL) Table Tennis – Gym (GPO)	Girls Hockey – Astro (KLJ)
<b>Thursday</b>	Fitness Suite (JHM/JK) Girls Hockey – Astro (SAF)	Rugby – Years 10/11/12/13 (LPJ/HT/JR)
<b>Friday</b>	Fitness Suite (JHM/HST) Girls Hockey (SAF / KLJ) Astro Basketball – Sports Hall	Senior Girls Football – 3G (Years 10–13, MD/RS) Sixth Form Sports – Sports Hall (GPO)

# FUTURES

# OPPORTUNITIES



## London School of Economics Essay Competition

*Deadline for submissions: Tuesday 10th October 2023*

The London School of Economics' Undergraduate Political Review (LSEUPR) has an annual Essay Competition, which aims to encourage high school students to explore the field of Political Science and undertake university-style essay writing. It also presents itself as an ideal extra-curricular for students wishing to include this experience in their UCAS personal statements.

Students in Year 12 and 13 are invited to submit an essay in response to one of the following questions:

1. *"The management of Artificial Intelligence technology should be the biggest priority for the international community."*  
To what extent do you agree?
2. *"Democracies would be better off without political parties."* Discuss.
3. Can International Organisations fight climate change effectively?

The essay should be no more than 1000 words, including all in-text citations, footnotes and headings but excluding title and bibliography. There are prizes for first, second and third places.

This year's first place prize is a £100 Amazon Voucher, a certificate signed by Professor Paul Kelly, Head of the LSE Department of Government, the Essay published in the LSEUPR blog, and the opportunity to attend and to present the essay at the LSEUPR Annual Conference 2024.

Further details and submission specifics are outlined in this [information guide](#).



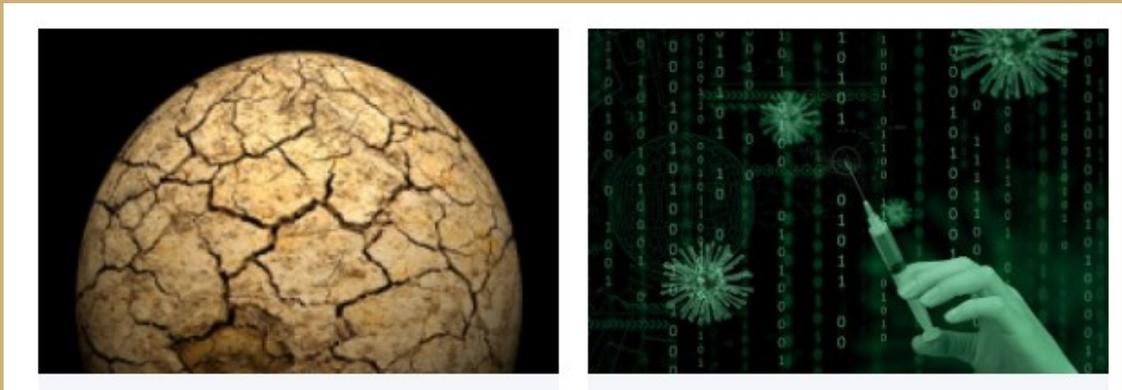
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## Practical Ethics and Responsibility competition

*Deadline for entries: Monday 8th January 2024*



The Oxford Uehiro Centre for Practical Ethics thinks a lot about responsibility and how we can all do more to tackle some of the biggest ethical problems facing us today. It is now inviting students to take part in its Practical Ethics and Responsibility Competition by making a video about an ethical problem and how you think responsibility is involved.

To take part, teams of between three and five people should send a video of up to 4 minutes in length. There will then be a day of competitive debate in Oxford for the four top video teams on **Tuesday 19th March 2024**. Full details of the competition, plus the terms and conditions can be [found here](#). A selection of resources and topic suggestions can be [found here](#). The competition is likely to be of most relevance to those interested in philosophy, law and medicine, but it is open to everyone in Years 12 and 13.



**UK** university &  
apprenticeship  
search fairs

# UK UNIVERSITY & APPRENTICESHIP SEARCH FAIR

## MANCHESTER AUTUMN

Wednesday 27th September  
Manchester, Old Trafford Stadium, M16 0RA  
Event Opens 9:30am | Event Closes 2.30pm

Special Focus – UCAS Applications – Applying for Apprenticeships



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APPRENTICESHIPS



# Apprenticeships



- Please [click here](#) to see this week's list of current apprenticeships in the Warrington area.  
For further details and to apply for any of these vacancies go to the [National Apprenticeship Website](#).
- [Click here](#) for the 2022 Top 100 Apprenticeship Providers.
- Further opportunities in Cheshire and Warrington can be viewed [here](#) and [here](#).
- Don't forget to use [Unifrog](#) to search for Apprenticeship opportunities too!

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# 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

- **Careers event with Tech Giants** (see p.13)  
*Wednesday 20th September, 5–6.30pm (Zoom)*
- **Looking ahead to your career options with PwC: Apprenticeships**  
*Wednesday 27th September, 4.30–5.30pm (online)*
- **Exploring your young person's options at PwC: Parent and teacher insight session**  
*Tuesday 3rd October, 5.30–6.30pm (online)*
- **Discover Technology at PwC**  
*Thursday 12th October, 4.30–5.30pm (online)*
- **Looking ahead to your PwC career options: Degree programme**  
*Thursday 19th October, 4.30–5.30pm (online)*
- **Army Engagement event**  
*Warrington, Thursday 19th October, 6.30–9pm*

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

# CAREERS

## Careers event with Tech Giants

*Wednesday 20th September, 5–6.30pm (Zoom)*

If you're interested in the future of Technology and how it will affect us all going into the future then this free event may be just for you. The virtual webinar will include some of the world's biggest technology organisations talking about the future of their industry, diving into topics such as AI, Data and Business Analytics, the Cloud and the future of Blockchain. Keynote talks and panel discussions will include senior leaders from PwC, Capgemini, Experian, the RAF and Bloomberg. There will also be an opportunity to ask any questions you may have to some of the world's top technology professionals. You'll also get to hear all about the upcoming 2023 in-person events and workshops taking place.

Technology is without a doubt one of the fastest growing and most lucrative sectors with new advancements and innovation constantly occurring. Each company involved offer a range of school-leaver, internships/placements, graduate scheme opportunities, as well as many work experience opportunities.

Following the event, you will receive a certificate of completion within 7 working days. This can be used on your CVs or LinkedIn profile and will undoubtedly enhance your applications for upcoming opportunities and help your CV to really stand out!

To sign up, [click here](#). You will be sent a zoom link prior to the event.





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

- **UK University & Apprenticeship Search Fair**  
**Old Trafford, Manchester**  
*Wednesday 27th September, 9.30–2.30pm*  
For details, [click here](#).
- **Discovery Days at Wrexham Glyndwr University**  
*September and October*
- **University of Liverpool Open Days**  
*Saturday 23rd September*  
*Saturday 14th October*  
For further information, [click here](#).

For details of these events and more, [click here](#) to access our dedicated UCAS webpage, and click the button **‘What’s on this month’**.