



Newsletter Friday 26th January 2024

NSPCC Number Day

A reminder that Friday 2nd February is NSPCC Number Day. All children are invited into school wearing something with a number on. This can be as creative as you would like it to be, and should be worn with school uniform.

The day will involve completing some fun maths activities as well as raising awareness of the work NSPCC does. More information can be found on the website: <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/support-us/charity-fundraising/schools-fundraising-ideas/number-day/>

If you would like to make a contribution to this worthy charity, please use the following link: <https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/numberday2024>

Thank You

A big thank you to Lymm Runners, who have kindly donated £500 to help with the purchase of sports equipment and exercise opportunities for our pupils. The money donated will go towards the funding raised from the colour run for the outdoor gym. A huge thank you also to Miss Maddison for putting us forward for the donation.

Volunteers Needed



You may be aware that we have a willow tunnel and den at the side of the school field. This time of year is ideal for cutting willow, which can be used for lots of garden or craft projects. We are looking for any volunteers who would like to come and trim back the willow for us. As a thank you, you are able to take any of the willow to use for your own projects. If you are interested and would like to help us out, please contact the school office.

Measles

There have been recent localised outbreaks of measles centred around the West Midlands. There is a risk of further outbreaks in other areas unless urgent action is taken to increase Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR) vaccination take up in areas with low MMR vaccine rates.

Measles spreads very easily among those who are unvaccinated, especially in nurseries and schools. The best protection against measles for children and adults is to get both doses of the MMR vaccine. It is never too late to have these vaccinations.

The NHS has the following advice for parents on measles: [Measles - NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](http://www.nhs.uk)

Healthy Families

We have been asked by the school nursing team to share the links below. You can use the links to find more information about steps you can make as a family to encourage a healthy lifestyle. There is also information about the Healthier Families Warrington Programme.

<https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/>

<https://bridgewater.nhs.uk/healthier-families-warrington/>

Parents can also contact the school nurse team on 01925 946803 for any support.

Parking

Please can we remind all parents and visitors to school that the staff carpark and driveway leading up to school is strictly for staff use only. Please can parents refrain from using the staff carpark and area on the driveway leading up to school when dropping off and collecting children from school. This includes drop off and collection from Oughty Owls. There have been a number of incidents this academic year where parents using the carpark have collided with parked, staff, vehicles. In the interest of safety, we politely ask that the carpark is kept to staff use only. Thank you for your cooperation.

Lego Donations

School Council are asking for donations of any old Lego. Lego is used throughout school in Lego therapy sessions, Oughty Owls and also during small world play in the tipi. Lego is always hugely popular with the children and School Council would love to add to the Lego already in school. Thank you for your support.

Lymm May Queen

Please see the below information sent from Lymm May Queen:

The pickings to find out who will be May Queen, Rose Queen and other positions will be held at Lymm Youth and Community Centre (downstairs) on Saturday 24th February at 3pm. Once the Queens have been chosen there will be two practice dates on Tuesday 7th and Monday the 13th of May at 6pm on the May Queen field off Pepper Street.

The May Queen itself will be held on Saturday the 18th of May. All participants will need to meet outside Brookfield Surgery on Brookfield Road at 11.30am with the procession to begin at 12pm. This is open to any children, regardless of gender as there will be a crown bearer and other positions too. Any participants must be available for all dates and be 6 years old or older.

Coffee Morning



Cheshire
Fire & Rescue Service

Coffee Morning

Lymm Fire Station are hosting a coffee morning for February to raise funds for the Cystic Fibrosis Trust and The Fire Fighters Charity.

Sunday 18 February
Lymm Fire Station, Cliff Lane, Lymm,
Warrington, WA13 0TE
10am - 12pm

 Have a look around our fire Engines and treat yourself to a Fire Fighters Charity toy.

 Why not bring some of your own cakes or biscuits to donate?

 Come and have a brew and chat!



Unfortunately, due to the risk of infection, we strongly advise that people with CF do not attend this event.

Sewing



**Sewing,
Spirituality
and
Sustainability**

Sanctuary Café are holding a sewing bee, Thursdays 7.30pm for a 7.45pm start to 9.30pm. There will be the opportunity to make a quilt from upcycled clothes. The project will run for 5 weeks (January 18th, 25th, February 8th, 22nd and 29th).

Booking is essential as spaces are limited so please book early if you would like to attend! For more details leave your name and number by calling 01925 753987 or emailing Jill and Sue at info@sanctuarycafe.org.uk.

Sports Camp



Ravenbank Primary School, Lymm

KIDS SPORTS CAMP

ONLY £20 PER DAY

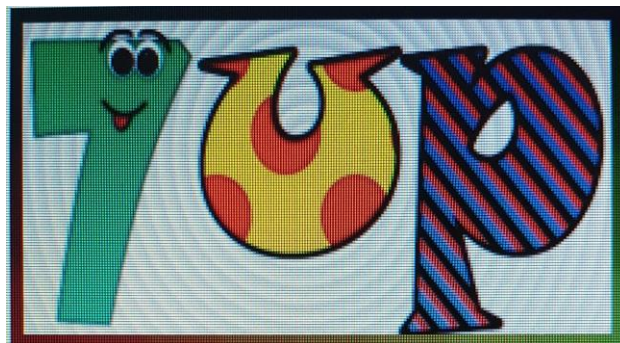
Our experienced and qualified staff members are dedicated to providing a safe and supportive environment for children to learn, grow, and make new friends.

12TH - 15TH FEBRUARY
8:30AM - 4:00PM

REGISTER NOW scottssports@yahoo.com

The poster features a logo for Scott's Sports with a soccer ball and stars. It includes three small photos: two children playing table tennis, a child playing hopscotch, and two children playing soccer on a field.

7 UP



7 Up - Friday 26th January at Lymm Methodist Church Hall, Eagle Brow 5.30pm - 7.00pm.

Held monthly for age 7-11s - fun, games, discussion, crafts and of course Pizza! All welcome.

No charge and parents do not have to stay