



Friday 28th November 2025

*Slyne-with-Hest St Luke's
Church of England Primary School*

Headteacher comment

Dear parents,

'It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas' – this week the children have been practising their songs and parts for the Christmas plays that will soon be upon us. The dates for these are on the second page of the newsletter – please note they are all during the school day. EYFS and KS1 both at 9.30 on the 10th and 11th December and KS2 at 9.30 and 2.30 on 16th. We hope to see you there.

Today the Friends have organised the annual children's Christmas Fayre – thank you to all concerned for a great time of fun, games and prizes. Please also note the times for the other Christmas activities:

- Wednesday 10th December Christmas dinner day
- Friday 12th December Secrets Room (letter sent out earlier today)
- Monday 15th December KS2 @ The panto p.m.
- Tuesday 16th December EYFS party
- Wednesday 17th 9.30 Christingle service in church
- Thursday 18th December Y1 and 2 Party a.m.
- Friday 19th Christmas jumper day and break up for the holidays!

Have a great weekend,

Mr Bowden



School diary

Monday 1st December

Special Elf Lunch

Guitar, Keyboard and Drumming lessons

Tuesday 2nd December

Y1 to Judges Lodgings. Leave School 9.15am Leave JL Noon – normal lunch

KS2 Choir 3.15 – 4.15

Wednesday 3rd December

Thursday 4th December

Woodwind and singing lessons

3.15 – 4.15 Y1 and Y2 Multi Skills MFC

Friday 5th December

Year 4 Swimming

3.15 – 4.15 KS2 Football Club

Please note Hockey, Netball and Athletics club have now finished for the term.

Check out the school website for curriculum information, latest news and much more:

Online : www.slyne-with-hest.lancs.sch.uk



Listen, learn, love and laugh and part of God's family.

Stars of the Week

Reception- Dexter and Gracie

Year 1- Nico and Aria

Year 2 -Axel-Jake and Alice

Year 3- Nathaniel and Frankie

Year 4- Rose and Renee

Year 5- all of Year 5 for a great trip!

Year 6- Abigail and Daniel

Congratulations to you all



Clubs this half term:

Yr 5 and 6 Hockey on Monday 3.15-4pm **(Last session was 24/11/25)**

Yr 3,4,5,6 Choir on Tuesday 3.15- 4.15pm **(Last session 09/12/25)**

Yr 3,4,5,6 Athletics club on Tuesday 8.15am- 8.45am **(Last session was 25/11/25)**

Yr 1 and 2 Multiskills on Thursday 3.15-4.15pm **(Last session 11/12/25)**

Yr 5 and 6 Netball on Thursday 3.15-4.00pm **(Last session was 27/11/25)**

Yr 3,4,5,6 Football Club Friday 3.15-4.15pm **(Last session 12/12/25)**



SCHOOL DINNERS w.c.01/12/25

Monday

SPECIAL LUNCH : Chicken / Quorn Pizza or Creamy tomato pasta

Tuesday Chicken/Veg Goujons with curry sauce OR Puff Pastry Cheese whirl

Wednesday Pork or Veg Sausage Toad in the Hole or Pasta spirals in tomato sauce

Thursday Spaghetti Bolognese or Omelette

Friday Fish and Chips or Pizza Margherita and Chips

A Jacket potato (not Fridays) is available daily with a choice of fillings.

All meals are served with fresh seasonal veg or salad, a glass of milk or water and a choice of dessert

Our VALUE this half term is
COMPASSION

Admissions to Primary School September 2026

Do you have a child who is due to start school in September 2026? If you do it is time to apply now. The forms can be accessed here:

<https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/children-education-families/schools/apply-for-a-school-place/starting-primary-school/>



CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Early Years and KS1

Wednesday 10th December @ 9.30 a.m.

Thursday 11th December @ 9.30 a.m.

KS2

Tuesday 16th December @ 9.30 a.m. and 2.00 p.m.

Save the dates!

Other events / activities



CHRISTMAS FAIR

Friday 28th November
4.30pm to 7.30pm

Church Hall, Shady Lane,
 Slyne with Hest. LA2 6JG

3.30pm - Carols in Church
 with the Village School Choir

Festive Stalls Fun Activities Raffle

St Luke's Church
 TV Roof Appeal



29 and 30 November
10am-4pm
FREE

LANTERN MAKING WORKSHOPS

Join us to make your own lantern to carry
 at the Lantern Festival on Sat 6 December

BOOK ONLINE AT WWW.MOREMUSIC.ORG.UK

More Music



ST LUKE'S C.E. SCHOOL

Events happening in 25/26

THROUGHOUT THE YEAR!
 100 CLUB NUMBERS ON SALE NOW!

Keep a note of all these upcoming events...

FRIDAY 28TH NOVEMBER
 CHRISTMAS FAIR

FRIDAY 6TH FEBRUARY
 SCHOOL DISCO

MONDAY 2ND MARCH - THURSDAY 5TH MARCH
 WONDERLICIOUS WEEK

FRIDAY 13TH MARCH
 MOTHERS DAY

APRIL
 EASTER RAFFLE

FRIDAY 15TH MAY
 BAR, BBQ & BOUNCE

FRIDAY 19TH JUNE
 FATHERS DAY

FRIDAY 26TH JUNE
 SCHOOL DISCO

WE WILL ALSO BE DOING CHRISTMAS CARDS, AND OF COURSE OUR CHRISTMAS RAFFLE TICKETS WILL BE GOING OUT IN DECEMBER!

The friends will be meeting once a month either in school or on zoom so if you have any suggestions on Events we could run or want to join in the fun no matter how big or small your contribution, please get in touch or join us at one of our meetings!!

PLEASE HELP THE SCHOOL OFFICE BY :

- Communicating by email where possible to avoid unnecessary calls to the office
- Reading, noting and responding to all communications promptly.
- Ensuring your child has everything they need for the school day.
- Ensuring payments for trips are made on ParentPay prior to sending in the reply slip
- Checking Parent Pay regularly, keeping payments up to date

REMINDERS

- School gates open at 8.45 and morning activities can be accessed from then. Gates close at 8.55. Please try to make sure your child is here on time each day. When arriving or collecting your child outside normal start and end times, please report directly to the school office
 - Mobile Phones: Are not to be in the possession of children in school. If a parent in Upper KS2 deems their child needs a phone in school for the journey home please ensure it is brought to the school office at the start of the day
- Breakfast and After School Clubs: Please remember that a **NEW** booking form is required for each term as bookings **DO NOT** carry forward. **THANK YOU** 😊