



Friday 22nd May 2026

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

Headteacher comment

Dear parents,

There has been a real sporty flavour to this week in school. On Monday many of the children worked with either local sports coach, Mike, or members of Lancaster Giants to develop their skills and Y2-6 children competed in class based cross country races. Some of the winners will represent school at the local cross-country tournament after the holidays. On Wednesday we were thankful to be able to complete the main part of Sports Day. It was lovely to see so many parents and friends cheering the children on – thank you for coming. As many will be aware, we took the decision not to finish with the running races as the ground was still very slippery and we didn't want any accidents. We will run the class races after half term.

Yesterday the Y5 and 6 children enjoyed a day of sports at the Sports Festival at Salt Ayre. Thanks to Mrs Jennings and Mrs Winder for all their hard work in facilitating all the sporting events that school takes part in.

A reminder that school closes today for half term and we are also not open for children on Monday 1st June – a school INSET day. We re-open for children at the normal time on Tuesday 2nd June. Have a great half term.

Mr Bowden

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

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

School diary

Monday 1st June

School closed: INSET day

Tues – Fri Bikeability for Y6 (2 groups)

Tuesday 2nd June

3.15 Choir

Wednesday 3rd June

8.15 Athletics club

Thursday 4th June

Year 4 – 6 Relationships and Sex Education sessions led by Life Education

Woodwind and singing lessons

3.15 – 4.15 KS1 Football skills (MFC)

3.15 – 4.00 Gardening club

KS2 Korfball and basketball @ BLA

Friday 5th June

2.15 Stay and play for new EYFS children

Year 3 swimming

3.15 – 4.15 KS2 Football (MFC)

Whole school attendance this

week: 91.34%

Class of the week: Year 4 97.24%

Well done! Keep it up!



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

Stars of the Week

Reception- Lucas and Tilly

Year 1-Gracie and Margot

Year 2- Faye and Alma

Year 3- Sophia and Esmae-
Poppy

Year 4-Olivia F and Jonah

Year 5- Lennie and Nikita

Year 6- Ezra and Clara

Congratulations to you all



Kindness Awards

Reception: Margot

Year 1: Lilah

Year 2: Nico and Matilda

Year 3: Emmie (Winner!!!!)

Year 4: Martha

Year 5: Grace L

Year 6: George **Congratulations to you all!**



SCHOOL DINNERS w.c 01.06.26

Tuesday- Mild beef or vegetarian chilli nacho bake with mixed rice and sweetcorn OR Summer picnic lunch with vegetarian sausage roll, pasta salad, vegetable sticks and dips

Wednesday- Pork or vegetarian Sausages and Yorkshire pudding with mashed potatoes, seasonal vegetables and gravy OR Tomato and mascarpone pasta with homemade herby bread and salad selection

Thursday- Mild chicken or quorn balti curry with mixed rice and naan bread OR Homemade cheese flan with baby potatoes, baked beans or salad selection

Friday- Golden crumb fish or vegetable fingers with oven baked chips, garden peas or salad OR Homemade pizza margherita with oven baked chips, garden peas or salad

A Jacket potato and sandwiches with a choice of fillings are available on the specified days. All meals are served with fresh seasonal veg or salad, a glass of milk or water and a choice of dessert

UPDATED

Important Dates for the Summer Term
Monday 25th – Friday 29th May HALF TERM

Monday 1st June INSET day

Thursday 4th June Year 4 – 6 RSE
(Relationship and Sex Education Day)
Year 1 trip

Friday 5th June World Environment Day

Monday 8th – Tuesday 9th June Year 5
London residential

Thursday 11th June Year 2 trip to Fleetwood
'Victorian Seaside holidays'

Friday 12th June Y4 Class assembly
Y4 trip to Haffner concert in Lancaster

Friday 19th June Y2 Class assembly
p.m. School discos

Saturday 20th June Choir Bridgewater
rehearsal 1 in Blackpool

Thursday 25th June Y6 trip to Lancaster
University

Friday 26th June 6 – 8 Y6 leavers party

Sunday 29th June Choir Bridgewater
rehearsal 2 in Ormskirk

Monday 29th June Choir singing at the
Bridgewater Hall

Friday 3rd July 9.30 and 2.20 EYFS and KS1
Summer Concert

Monday 6th July p.m. Music concert for
those who have lesson with LMS staff

Thursday 9th July 7 p.m. Y6 production

Friday 10th July Circus event in school
(Friends)

Monday 13th July 6p.m. Y6 Bowling

Wednesday 15th July 9.30 and 2.20 Y3 - 5
Summer Concert

Thursday 16th July 2p.m. Leaver's service in
church

Friday 17th July 1.30 p.m. School closes for
the summer holidays

Other events / activities

Keep a note of all these upcoming events...

St John's Hospice
May Half Term Challenge
 25th May - 31st May 2026

Do something meaningful this May Half Term

This May Half Term, we're inviting you to take on our 7-Day Challenge and raise **£40**, that's **£1 for every year of care** as we celebrate **40 years** of St John's Hospice.

Set your own challenges, get family and friends involved, make memories and have fun all whilst raising vital funds for **YOUR** local hospice.

GET A FREE CHALLENGE PACK

Hospice Hero T-Shirt
 Challenge Tracker with handy ideas
 Lanyard with personalised QR code linked to your fundraising page

SCAN THE QR TO REGISTER!

Can you raise £40? £1 for every year of care.

stjhospice.org.uk/mayhalfterm2026

St John's Hospice North Lancashire and South Lakes is a charitable organisation registered in England with charity no. 357032

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We have recently set up a new children led environment group with all children in Years 2 - 6 invited. We have already had 3 meetings including a talk from the local hedgehog supporter. We are now planning activities for World Environment Day on Friday 5th June.

Competition : Linked to World Environment Day

Everyone can enter! (Reception to Year 6)

Over half term, could you make something out of items from your recycling box at home? You could build a bird feeder out of old yoghurt pots or a pencil pot out of a drinks bottle. There are lots of ideas online.

Please bring in your final make by Friday 5th June.

All entries will be awarded a recycled pencil and the winners some other recycled goodies as well! Presented in assembly.

Do you ever go litter picking? Have you helped the earth by planting new trees? Do you help cleaning areas near you? Have you tried saving water?

If you do anything to help the planet please send photographs to Mr Bowden for the new environmental pages on the website and for our environmental noticeboard.

p.bowden@shyne-with-heat.lancs.sch.uk

During the first week back after half term we are going to:

- Have a lunchtime when we design posters for around school with messages about how to look after the planet
- Judge the competition
- Litter pick around the edges of school on World Environment Day (Friday 5th June)



Have you seen the 1st environmental grp newsletter?

LANCASTER MUSEUMS
 Spring Half-Term Family Fun
JOLLY JACKS POP-UP CRAFTS

Saturday 23 May 12pm - 3:30pm	Lancaster Maritime Museum
Monday 25 May 10:30am - 3:30pm	Lancaster City Museum
Tuesday 26 May 10:30am - 3:30pm	Lancaster City Museum
Friday 29 May 12pm - 3:30pm	Lancaster Maritime Museum

£4.50
 Drop-in. No booking required!

Lancaster Maritime Museum, St George's Quay, Lancaster, LA1 1RB.
 Lancaster City Museum, Market Square, Lancaster LA1 1HT.

Usual admission fees for adult museum entry apply. Locals (LA1-LA6) FREE. Other adults £5

Follow us on Social Media: [f](#) [@](#)
www.lancaster.gov.uk/museums

We're putting the Spring in our family crafts this half-term! Come and make your own Jolly Jack-in-a-box. Which character will you choose?

Crafty capers perfect for everyone aged 4 to 104!

COFFEE & CONNECT

Free refreshments
 Toys available to keep your little ones entertained too.
 Everyone welcome

A chance for people to drop in and connect with others in a warm and friendly environment.

Get practical advice on:

- Housing & Finance
- Employment
- Parenting Advice
- Emotional Health & Wellbeing
- SEND advice

every first Thursday of the month
 9:30am-11:30am

Morecambe Library
 Central Dr. Morecambe LA4 5DL

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