

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



Headteacher comment

Welcome to the new term! It has been fantastic to see all the children returning to school this week looking so smart in their new uniforms and with big smiles on their faces. A special welcome to all our new families who have joined us in Reception – we look forward to getting to know you over the next few weeks and months.

Next week our school clubs start. The letter was sent out before the holidays but I think, for some, it may have got mixed up in all the end of term things as there are a lot of children who often attend clubs who have not yet got a completed form in place. Apart from KS1 multi-skills (which is full) there is space in all other clubs. Any KS2 children who want to attend Young Voices need to be signed up for choir this term. Another copy of the clubs letter is attached.

Please note the poster for the Friends AGM next Thursday after school.

There is a lot of information in the newsletter today – especially if you have children in Y6 or who are due to start next year about admissions to Primary and Secondary schools.

We look forward to another great year in school.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mr Bowden

School diary

Clubs start next week

Music lessons start w.c. 14/09

Monday 7th September

Handball Club- Yrs 5 and 6 3.15 – 4.15

Tuesday 8th September

KS2 Choir 3.15 – 4.15

Wednesday 9th September

KS1 Multi-skills 3.15 – 4.15

Thursday 10th September

Netball Yrs 5 and 6 3.15 – 4.00

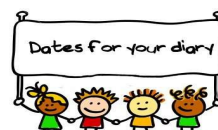
Gardening club

3.20 Friends AGM in hall

Friday 11th September

Curriculum swimming starts for Year 4

KS2 MFC Football 3.15 – 4.15



**ATTENDANCE
MATTERS**

**Whole School :
97.4%**

100% attendance in
Reception, Year 1
Year 3 and Year 6

Keep it up!

School website:

<https://www.slyne-with-hest.lancs.sch.uk/>



**Friday 4th
September 2026**

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





EYFS will start when full time

Year 1- Oscar and Nikol

Year 2- Jonty and Lilah

Year 3- Alma and Connor

Year 4- Alex and Alexie

Year 5- Ebony and Jonah

Year 6- Cielle and Olivia

Congratulations to you all

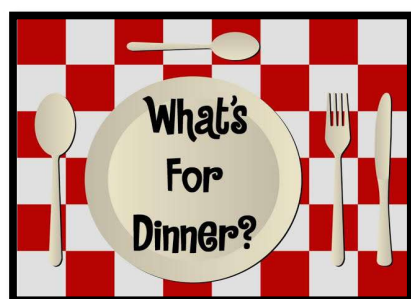


Our values this half term is :



Autumn Term 2026 PE days are:

Reception	Monday and Friday
Y1	Tuesday and Thursday
Y2	Tuesday and Wednesday
Y3	Monday and Wednesday
Y4	Tuesday and Swimming (Friday)
Y5	Monday and Friday
Y6	Tuesday and Friday



Menu : Week 3 (w.c. 07_09_26)

Monday- Mild Piri Piri Chicken or Quorn pitta pocket with sunshine rice and garden peas OR Pasta Twists and tomato sauce with homemade dough balls

Tuesday- Salmon and Sweet potato fishcake with paprika potatoes and baked beans OR Puff pastry cheese whirl with paprika potatoes and baked beans

Wednesday- Honey roast gammon and pineapple or BBQ vegetarian meatballs with rosti potatoes and sweetcorn medley OR Tomato and Mascarpone pasta with homemade herby bread and salad

Thursday- Chicken or vegetable tikka curry with mixed rice and naan bread OR Summer picnic lunch choice of ham, cheese or tuna sandwich with vegetarian sausage roll, pasta salad, vegetable sticks and dips

Friday- Pork or Vegetarian hot dog, crispy onions and tomato ketchup with oven baked chips, garden peas or baked beans OR Homemade Pizza Margherita with oven baked chips, garden peas or salad selection

*A Jacket potato (not Fridays) or sandwich 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*



PERMISSION TO WALK HOME

- A link to a form to give permission for Year 4 – 6 children to walk home is below. Please note that children in Year 3 and below need to be collected every day by a known adult.
- If you want to complete it, it can be accessed here:

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/PSkFAZKe2M>

OPEN CLASSROOMS

We welcome you to come into school with your child, at the end of the school day, to have a look at their new classroom and meet the teacher. This is not a parents evenings – they will be held in October.

Monday 14th September: Reception / Year 1 and
Year 6

Wednesday 16th September : Year 2 and Year 3

Thursday 17th September : Year 4 and Year 5

Admissions to Secondary Schools September 2027

Do you have a child who is due to start high 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-secondary-school/>

The open evenings for Ripley, LRGS and LGGS have already taken place but if you want more information contact the schools direct. There are open evenings at other schools as follows:

Dallam: 17 September and 23 September 2026
from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm

QES: Tuesday 22 September 5pm – 8pm

Bay Leadership Academy: Wednesday 16
September 2026, 6pm – 8:30pm.

Our Lady's : Thursday 24th September from 5pm

Carnforth : tbc

Year 4, 5 and 6 Permission to walk home/ leave the school site 2026 - 2027



SCHOOL ADMISSIONS PRIMARY

APPLY NOW!
at lancashire.gov.uk/schools

School and Academy places September 2027

You must apply if your child has a 4th birthday between 1 September 2026 and 31 August 2027.

You must apply even if an older brother or sister is already at the school, or the school is linked to your child's nursery.

If you're a non-Lancashire resident apply through your own local authority.

Please read the admission criteria for your chosen schools on the website or get a copy from them.

CLOSING DATE
15 January 2027

lancashire.gov.uk

School transport

If travel cost is an important factor in your school preference, search 'school transport' at lancashire.gov.uk or scan the QR code.

Lancashire County Council

Admissions to Primary School September 2027

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You are welcome to join us for our :

OPEN MORNING on Thursday 8th October from 9.15 – 11.30

when Y6 children will be happy to show you round our lovely school and Mr Bowden will be available to answer any questions you may have.



Information Board

 **FRIENDS OF** *Slyne with Hest St Luke's*

AGM

 **THURSDAY**
10TH SEPTEMBER
 **IN THE SCHOOL HALL**
AT 3.25PM

Everyone is welcome!

We would love for you to join us for our AGM.

 We will be going through last year's events and figures.

 We will be looking ahead to this year and putting plans in place.

 **WE ARE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR NEW MEMBERS!**
As a lot of our existing members will be leaving at the end of this school year, we need new volunteers to help keep our fundraising going strong.

*Together, we can continue to make a **big difference** for our school!*

St Luke's, Slyne with Hest
invite you to their

CHURCH WEEKEND

11th - 13th September

Friday, 7pm - Chocolate Bingo

Saturday, 2pm - 4pm 

Youth Games - details to follow.

Sunday, 9.30am - Family Communion
(with a guest speaker)

4pm - Pet Service in church, incorporating Families@4, followed by a Buffet Tea



 **All very welcome**
No charge for any events.

Lego Club

Slyne-with-Hest Church Hall
Saturday 12th September
For ages 11-16
From 2pm-4pm
Other crafts will be available
if Lego is not your thing!
Hope you can make it!



Please make payment via
Parent Pay for music
lessons and paid clubs.

Accounts should also be
in credit for school
dinners which are priced
at £3 per day for children
in Yrs 3-6 not in receipt
of free school meals.