



Newsletter

Thursday 22 October 2026

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Parents' Evenings - 12 & 17 November 2026

As noted on our website events calendar, the school will be undertaking in-person Parents' Evening Appointments for parents and carers this coming November. As part of this process, arrangements have been made to allow yourselves as parents and carers to book a teacher appointment on either Thursday 12 November or Tuesday 17 November. To this end, you should be able to select and book a convenient appointment with your child's teacher from 5pm today via Parentmail, the school's electronic communications platform. During both evenings there will also be a more extended opportunity for you to look through your child's learning and work within their class setting prior to the meeting.

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Parent Governor Vacancy

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, we will shortly have a parent governor vacancy here at the school. There is professional training available as part of the role and it is a real opportunity to become more closely involved with the school's development (many work places even give time off to attend events, meetings, etc). The role is open to those who are the parent or carer of a child currently within Lydgate Infant School, and who wish to contribute to the school's development both currently and in coming years. Please see the attachment alongside this week's newsletter for more information.

Saturday 28
Winterfest:
12midday –
2pm on
(more info to
follow)

Remembrance Day Poppies

Please note that poppies will be on sale in school during the first week of next half-term in advance of Remembrance Day the following weekend. If your child would like to purchase a poppy she or he will therefore be able to make a donation (20p suggested) in class from Monday 2 November onwards in order to do so.

Headlice

Please could we request that all parents and carers take the opportunity to carefully check their child's hair over the coming holiday period, in order to ensure the issue of headlice is as controlled as possible within the school. This is best done with a plastic comb, available from local chemists. Thank you.

TransPennine Trail – October Half-Term Activity Pack

We're delighted to share our latest **Kids Half Term Activity Pack**, bursting with fun, family-friendly activities to help children stay active, creative and connected with nature during the October half-term holiday. Follow the link for more information:

<https://www.transpenninetrail.org.uk/childrens-page/>

Half-Term Holiday

A reminder that the school closes to pupils at the end of the school day tomorrow (Friday 23 October) for the October half-term break. The school will **re-open to pupils on Monday 2 November** following this holiday period.