# Lindow Newsletter 26 - 27 - Issue 9

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## Issue 9 - 6th November 2026

## Merit Awards

- Reception: Jack (caring) Teddie (learning) Alex (achieving)
- Year One: Ben W (caring) Cooper (learning) Ben S (achieving)
- Year Two & Three: Juliet (caring) ReeneeAnne (learning) Dougie (achieving)
- Year Four: Callum (caring) Jack (learning) Samyar (achieving)
- Year Five: Henry (caring) Jess (learning) Harry (achieving)
- Year Six: Ella (caring) Larissa (learning) (achieving)



## Happy birthday this week to...




Orla - Y3 - 8 years old

## Spotlight on Year 6

Year 6 have loved being back at school this week and throwing themselves into a busy and exciting half term of learning.

As part of our whole-school Poetry Fortnight, we have been deepening our understanding of World War II and exploring the experiences of those who lived through the Blitz through a range of powerful poems and texts. Inspired by both our learning and our class novel, *When We Were Warriors*, we have worked hard to make our own writing more vivid and engaging through the use of figurative language, carefully crafting imagery to create atmosphere and emotion for our readers.

Our ideas included lots of dramatic and powerful description and also oxymorons as a figurative language device that we have learnt about, which will all go towards inspiring our own free verse poetry next week!

'waterfall of rubble'

'only the bare spines of derelict houses remained'

'thick smoke strangled the victims'

'the heart of the town was shattered into a million pieces'

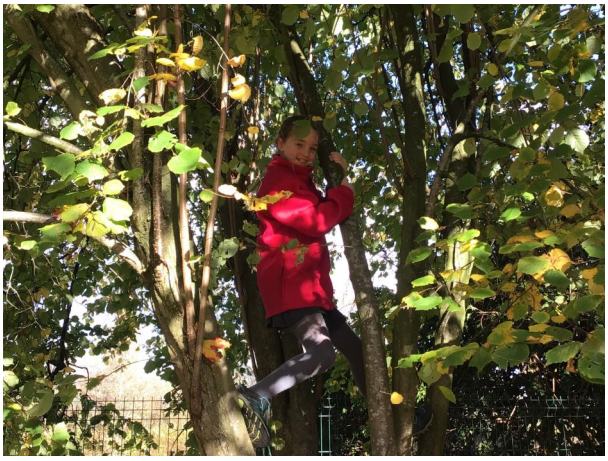
'broken bones of buildings were jagged and sharp-toothed'

We have also enjoyed beginning our new learning on endangered animals, which will follow through this half term in our Writing, Reading, Science and PSHE lessons. We have been fascinated to discover more about the challenges faced by species around the world and were amazed to learn that a tiger can leap an incredible 10 metres in a single jump, as well as the fact that an average tiger weighs 450 pounds, or the same as eight ten-year-old children! We are looking forward to finding out more about how humans can help protect some of the world's most vulnerable animals.

Beyond the classroom, we have enjoyed making the most of the Autumn weather through our outdoor learning opportunities. In PE, we have been developing our tag rugby skills to work in teams and we are eagerly anticipating an upcoming inter-house competition with Year 5 when Mr Sachro joins us from Wilmslow High School. During Forest School, we have been learning how to take measured risks in a natural environment, as well as using natural materials to create artwork inspired by the world around us.

With an exciting week of showcase opportunities ahead of us next week, including our Remembrance Day commemorations and our Poetry Recital, as well as a visit to a local Synagogue, we have been busy rehearsing songs, performances and readings, selling poppies and also bringing together our understanding of faiths, religions and beliefs. We are incredibly proud of all that we have achieved already this half term and look forward to sharing more of our learning and creativity with you next week.






















































## World of Work

A huge thank you to Mrs Andrews, Greg's mum, who visited Years 2 - 6 this week to share her fascinating role in marketing at Haribo. The children were captivated by the story of 'the sweet cycle' as they learnt about the journey of a new packet of sweets in its creation, from the very first idea and design stages right through to appearing on supermarket shelves. Mrs Andrews explained how creativity, teamwork, communication and problem-solving are all important parts of her role, and how no two days are ever the same.

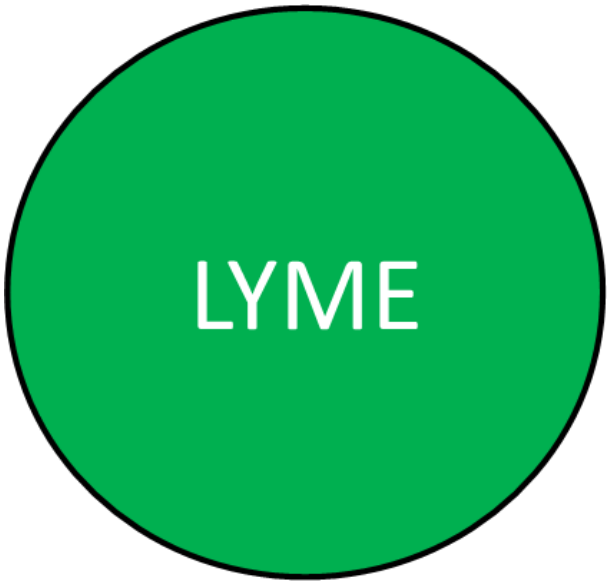
The children asked some fantastic questions about both Mrs Andrews' job and life at Haribo, and were interested to hear that she did not have just one favourite subject at school, but instead enjoyed lots of different aspects of school life like many of our Lindow children, and how variety can be something we see in the world of work too! Thank you Mrs Andrews for kindly sharing your world of work and for also bringing some Haribo sweets along for everyone to enjoy too!

If you would be interested in sharing your own world of work and helping to inspire our children in Years 2-6, we would love to hear from you. Please contact the school office to find out more about getting involved.

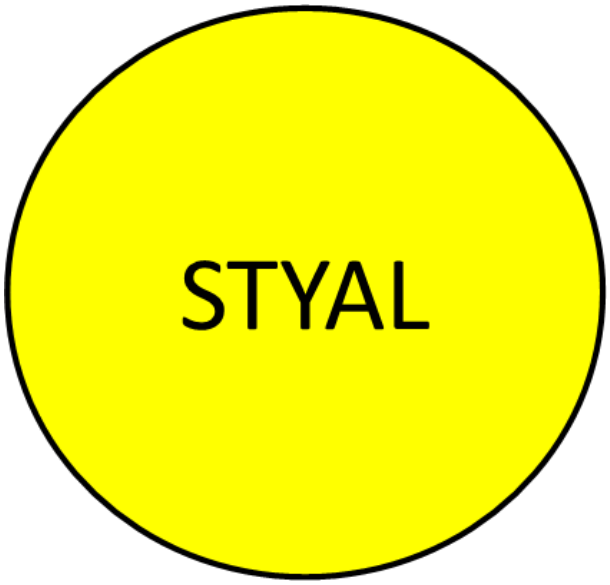



## House Points

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Congratulations to this week's winner, Styal!