



St Hilary School Newsletter

"The Best we can be"

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National TTrackstars competition

Last week, the children of St Hilary from Year 2 upwards, took part in a national TTrackstars competition in order to become the champion school, class or child. Over 18,000 classes across the country took part and it was a fierce tournament! It is the first year that we've engaged Year 2 in the resource in the bid to ensure children gain rapid recall of their times tables by the time they leave Year 4 where they will take part in a National Multiplication Check set by the government.

As ever, our children did themselves proud and we could not be happier with the results especially with ensuring the children receive a broad and balanced curriculum (and not just stuck on an iPad all day!) We appreciate all the support you have given your child during the week with their engagement in the competition.

The results are:

Class	Average amount of coins per class	Position in the country (21,000 Classes)	Total correct answers per class	Position in the country (21,000 Classes)
Gwenver (Year 5)	1,714	1,353	61,706	560
Gwithian (Year 4)	875	3,813	33,265	1,646
Porthcurno (Year 2 – Mrs Ellis)	457	7,881	10,792	5,968
Lamorna (Year 6 – Mr Hamshar)	450	7,986	8,685	7,056
Kynance Cove (Year 3)	251	12,509	7,036	8,133
Sennen (Year 2 – Miss Worsey)	33	20,534	231	19,294

Top Pupils:

Position	Pupil Name	Class	Score
1	Monty	Y5	9,846
2	Thomas	Y5	7,428
3	Henry	Y5	5,430
4	Jack	Y5	4,781
5	Oscar S	Y6	3,882
6	Lucy	Y5	3,843
7	Phoebe	Y4	3,817
8	Noah E-R	Y5	3,753
9	Ruairi	Y5	3,099
10	Isaac	Y4	3,037

Position	Pupil Name	Class	Score
11	Robyn	Y6	2,744
12	Lilla	Y4	2,535
13	William	Y4	2,525
14	Tressa	Y2	2,493
15	Taher	Y4	2,361
16	Elsie	Y4	1,881
17	Jessica H	Y2	1,879
18	Poppy Da	Y5	1,874
19	Malia	Y5	1,590
20	Poppy Do	Y5	1,583

The total amount of correct answers achieved by the children last week was 121,715 which is a staggering amount! St Hilary came 611th out of over 5,000 schools. They also reduced their rock speeds and are now more fluent with their times tables. As it was a huge success, we will be holding 'Battles' in school where classes will compete against each other to become the champions! Watch this space!

Congratulations to every child who took part and here's to the next tournament.

Mr Larter - Maths Leader



Fabulous Full-Markers

Prussia Cove

Willow R
Azalia A

Gwenver

Flo P
Ruairi L
Ruby B
Lucy B
Elisha E
Jolie G

Kynance Cove

Freyja E
Mazey H
Sikya C
Poppy M
Levi S
Harry B
Isabella R
Matt A
Josh T
Brody T
Ella C

Porthcurno

Raffy M
Eloise B
Cohen R

Sennen

Jessie P
Stanley M
Tegan C
Joshua D

Gwithian

Rosie K
Christopher C
Phoebe S
Isaac S
Lola F
Harvey W

Accelerated Reader



Perran

Cecily W

Head Lice

We have recently had more reports of children having Head Lice. To prevent the Head Lice spreading, please could you check your children's hair and if any head lice or eggs are found, take appropriate steps to eradicate them e.g. the 'wet-combing' method which involves washing the hair, applying conditioner and combing through with a special 'nit comb'.



SCHOOL CAROL CONCERTS

Unfortunately we have had to change the dates for our Carol Concerts to:

Monday 9th December - Juniors

Tuesday 10th December - Infants.

We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.



Class Attendance

This week's attendance hot spot goes to Gwenver with 97.8% Well done all.



Star Writers

This week's 'Star Writers' were awarded with their special stickers in this morning's assembly! Check out their amazing writing on our writing display in the main school corridor.

Prussia Cove - Nellie H

Porthcurno - Archie B

Gwithian - Callum T

Lamorna - Sam H

Huge well done children - keep up the fantastic writing! Miss J :-)

This Week's Hot Chocolate Friday Winners!

Sophia S was nominated by Miss Brant because she is always smiling and always stops to say "Hello" when she sees her, which always makes Miss Brant smile too!

Christopher C was nominated by Mrs Challoner because he very kindly moved a wet chair and replaced it with a dry one for his friend who had his hands full at lunchtime. An unprompted act of kindness.

Archie B was nominated by Mrs Somers because he always greets her with a cheery smile and a lovely chat.

Tegan C was nominated by Mrs Sandow because she greeted her with a friendly smile and was incredibly polite and well-mannered as always.

Brody T was nominated by Mrs Gardner because he is always polite and remembers his manners in breakfast club.

Dominic H was nominated by Mrs Greygoose because he has been kind, considerate and genuinely lovely! You make her smile.

Wyatt T was nominated by Mrs Whipp because he is always extremely polite every single morning when he comes in to breakfast club.

Elsie S was nominated by Mrs Davies because she has been very helpful this week when Mrs Davies needed lots of help.





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We have raised **£481.40** since in 2016 through Easyfundraising donations alone.

Currently 59 people are signed up but 29 of these have never shopped. Imagine how much we could raise if every parent, carer, teacher and their extended friends and relations signed up!

It's **quick and easy** to register, then visit your choice of online retailer (there are over 4000 in the scheme including M&S, eBay, John Lewis, Argos and Amazon) and shop as normal. The shops make a small donation on each purchase which comes straight to us – at no extra cost to yourself!

These donations really mount up and make a **BIG** difference to us, so we'd really appreciate it if you could sign up and support us when you're ordering the things you'd be buying anyway. It's completely **FREE** and only takes a moment.

You can find our easyfundraising page at:

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/sthilaritypta/?utm_campaign=raise-more

If you would like more information or would like help registering please email: sthilaritypta@gmail.com



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JUNIOR & INFANT CHOIRS SINGING AT THE GOLDSITHNEY LIGHTS SWITCH ON

All children and parents are invited to take part in the Goldsithney Lights Switch On Parade on 6th December starting at St Piran's Hall at 6.15 p.m. The road will be closed from 6 p.m.

After the parade, at around 6.30 p.m., our Infant and Junior choirs will be performing their carols beside the tree.

Santa will also be there at 7 p.m.

GOLDSITHNEY CHRISTMAS LIGHTS SWITCH ON PARADE

Free lantern making workshops for children wishing to take part in the parade for the Goldsithney Christmas Lights Switch On on Friday 6th December.

Workshops will be at St Pirans Hall on 26th & 28th November & 3rd & 5th December between 4pm - 6pm



Josh Mann selected for Exeter Chiefs Academy

Josh Mann was always a keen and dedicated sportsman at St Hilary School and we are delighted to hear that he has been selected to train for the Exeter Chiefs Academy. A huge well done Josh and please keep in touch with how you get on!

