

## 'Start from the Heart'

Calor UK operate a system called 'Start from the Heart' which is essentially a nationwide initiative that encourages staff from Calor centres across the country to go out into the local community and provide help to a worthy cause of their choosing. A few weeks ago, I received an email from Alan Cook, a Calor UK employee, saying that he would like to nominate our school as a 'worthy cause'. Alan has spent many years working in horticulture and kindly offered to use his skills to refurbish or develop a garden area.



Knowing that we had 2 areas in particular in need of a bit of TLC, we snapped up the offer! After a visit from Alan to look at the areas in mind, he went away to source some plants and equipment to keep the cost down for the school. We are extremely grateful to the following businesses for their generous donations:

- ✱ Mark Netherway from Trevena Cross - a beautiful bird table
- ✱ Jane Mitchell from Hayle Plants - a whole van load of plants
- ✱ Jim Noble from Dobbies - decorative bark and weed control fabric.



So today, Alan and his workmates Peter and Steven, braved the weather and arrived at school ready to work on the area by the Funzone entrance and the large area on the path by the lower playground. With the help of some trusty little helpers and aspiring young horticulturalists, I am delighted, and excited, to say that they have completely transformed both of these areas!

I can't thank Alan, Peter and Steven of Calor UK enough for giving up their time to complete this project. The children have been admiring the work progressing throughout the day and there were many sounds of 'whoah' and 'wow' whilst the areas were developed. We spend a lot of time talking to our children about acts of kindness and how important it is to help others - what better example is there than this.

Mrs K Butcher



### NASAL FLU

**The new date for the flu immunisation is Monday 4th November 2019.** An extension to the online school portal has been made for any parents who would like to, but have not yet opted in for their child to have the vaccine which this year is for all children from Reception to Year 6. The letter you have already received advises about the vaccine programme and also how to access the online consent form. As in previous years you have to **opt in** if you want your child to have the vaccine.

<u>Fabulous Full-Markers</u>	
<u>Prussia Cove</u> Azalia A	<u>Porthcurno</u> Amy K-B Missy M Eloise B Sharla P Isla M
<u>Gwenver</u> Poppy Da Daisy R Jenna W Teddy H Noah M Millie L Malia W	<u>Sennen</u> Tegan C Josh D
<u>Gwithian</u> Jessica R Rohan M-J	<u>Kynance Cove</u> Isabella R Zara S
	<u>Perran</u> Cecily W



### Class Attendance

This week's attendance hot spot goes to Kynance Cove class with 98.1% Well done all.



### This Week's Hot Chocolate Friday Winners!

**Sasha R** was nominated by Mrs Somers because she enjoyed hearing his lovely chatty news about his recent weekend.

**Stanley P** was nominated by Mrs Whipp because when he brings the daily register to the office he is always smiley and extremely polite.

**Oliver D** was nominated by Mrs Challoner because he very kindly opened the door for her. Such a lovely kind thing to do when you had only been at school for a few days.

**Alfie L** was nominated by Mrs Gardner because he is always polite and holds the door for her every time she meets him in the corridor.

**Harry E** was nominated by Miss Brant because he is always a super smiley helper.

**Sacha R** was nominated by Mrs Sandow because he was a perfect gentleman and held the door open for her - superb manners.

**Hana V** was nominated by Mrs Davies because she is a St Hilary super star.

**Jacob S** was nominated by Miss Rowe because she is always so polite, caring towards others and a pleasure to have in Year 4.



### CLASS CERTIFICATES WEEK ENDING 11TH OCTOBER 2019

Perran	-	Shiloh T & Charlie S
Prussia Cove	-	Sophia S & Clea S
Porthcurno	-	Amelia L & Amy K-B
Sennen	-	Jessie P
Kynance Cove	-	India A & Freyja E
Gwithian	-	Gus H & Mason S
Gwenver	-	Monty C & the whole class
Lamorna	-	The whole class

### SPELLING SHED

Speller of the Week - Willow R (Prussia Cove)  
Top Class - Gwithian



### MATHS SHED

Mathstronaut - Poppy M (Kynance Cove)  
Top Class - Gwithian



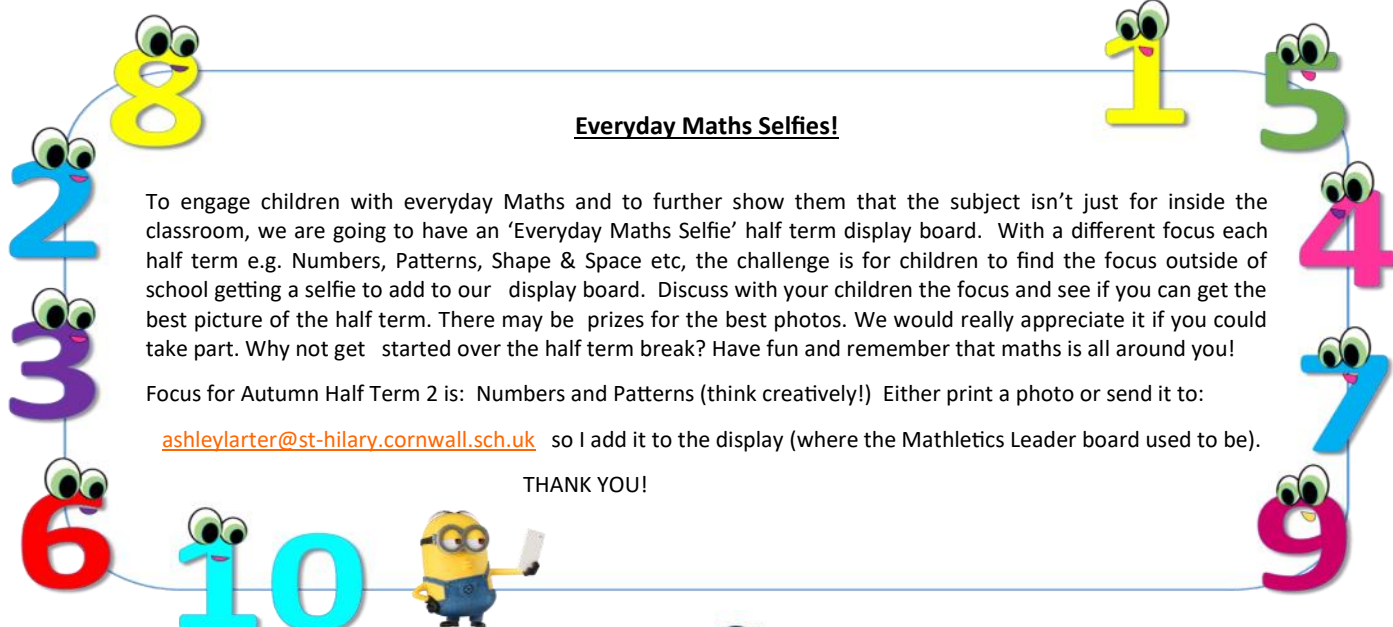
### Everyday Maths Selfies!

To engage children with everyday Maths and to further show them that the subject isn't just for inside the classroom, we are going to have an 'Everyday Maths Selfie' half term display board. With a different focus each half term e.g. Numbers, Patterns, Shape & Space etc, the challenge is for children to find the focus outside of school getting a selfie to add to our display board. Discuss with your children the focus and see if you can get the best picture of the half term. There may be prizes for the best photos. We would really appreciate it if you could take part. Why not get started over the half term break? Have fun and remember that maths is all around you!

Focus for Autumn Half Term 2 is: Numbers and Patterns (think creatively!) Either print a photo or send it to:

[ashleylarter@st-hilary.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:ashleylarter@st-hilary.cornwall.sch.uk) so I add it to the display (where the Mathematics Leader board used to be).

THANK YOU!







### **Children invited to meet 3 authors at WHSmiths on the 1st of November**

Just to say the Tri-Author event at WHSmiths is going ahead on the 1st of November from midday to 5pm.

This would be a great opportunity for any of your children to find out more about what it's like to be an author and discover the inspiring stories and the real people behind the bestselling books.

I'm Jenny, author of the Sammy Rambles series and I'll be there with Caroline Bramwell (author of the highly acclaimed Loo Rolls to Lycra novel) and Suzi French (newly published author of Living in the Brambles).

We're promoting reading and writing in Devon and will have our books available for children and adults to see and buy signed copies.

Our books cover diverse topics, from fantasy adventure coming of age, to overcoming illness to succeed in sport, to poetry talking about OCD, depression and anxiety - all key issues for anyone at any age.

If you would like any more information, please don't hesitate to contact me on 07950 264505.

Best regards

Jenny



Meet  
the  
Author



# PIPPA'S ART ACADEMY CHILDREN'S ART CLASSES

**Aged 4 – 11**  
**Wednesday or Thursday**  
**10 week term**  
**Run during the school term**  
**Cost: £55 per term**  
**From 4 – 5pm**

The children will use good quality materials, working in acrylic, watercolour, charcoal, pastel and graphite. They'll work from still life, their imagination and in abstract form. We'll look at different artists and their varying styles and techniques and apply these to their own paintings.

I am a fully qualified primary school teacher, with 14 years experience running Art Academy. The classes I run are all of a mixed age range and ability.

Contact Pippa on 0781 6535 411  
Instagram: @pippasartacademy  
Praa Sands Community Centre, Pengersick Lane,  
Praa Sands, TR20 9SR



**Half term children's dance session!**

**Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2 – 3.30pm at Penlee Coach House, Penlee Park, Penzance**

A fun Cornish dance taster session for children aged 8 and under, with circles and spirals, clapping and counting dances.

Children must be accompanied by an adult.  
£2 per child (no charge for accompanying adults)

Spaces limited, so please book!

## HALF TERM HOLIDAY MULTI-SPORTS CAMPS

**5-13 YEARS OLD**  
**22<sup>nd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> October**  
**8:30am – 6pm**  
**£16 per child per day**



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- Arts & Crafts
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