



Heamoor Community Primary School



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Attendance

Our overall attendance figure last week was **94.6%** as you will see from the table below— based on the Ofsted grades—this would be considered as **'AVERAGE'**

Well done to **ORANGE** class for having the **BEST** attendance figure for last week with **98.2%**



Red Class	85.6%
Orange Class	98.2%
Yellow Class	93.2%
Green Class	97.3%
Indigo Class	94.7%
Violet Class	97.7%

Ofsted Attendance Grades

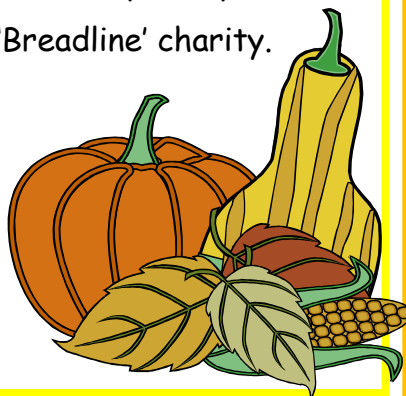
96.1% + High	95.7 – 96.0% Above national average	94.0 – 95.6% in line with national average
93.9% or below Low	90% or below Cause for Concern	85% or below Persistent Absence

Happy Harvest

The whole school joined together yesterday morning for a lovely Harvest Festival including our special guest Rev Julian Drew. It was a festival of poetry, singing and prayers. **Thank you so much** for your very kind donations of food, which made a beautiful display in our hall. Following the assembly the dry goods were donated to 'Penzance Food Bank' and the fresh food was donated to the St Petroc's 'Breadline' charity.



Penzance Food Bank



Secondary Transfer

Parents of our year 6 children...

Don't forget that the deadline for applications for secondary school places is **Friday 31st October**



PTA News

Can we please have donations of any **unwanted children and adult books**. Please drop any donations into the office either **Wednesday 5th November (pm)** or **Thursday 6th November (am)**. Thank you for your generosity.

Next PTA meeting is **Thurs 6th November** at **9am**

Check out our new kit!



Thank you to Miss Gooding (Layla's mum in Y2) for organising sponsorship of our new football kit and the generosity of Santander Bank ... don't the team look smart!!

Penwith High Five League



On Tuesday 14th October, 2 teams of Heamoor Pupils played their first games in this year's Penwith High 5 league at Mounts Bay Academy Sports Dome. Many of the children were competing in their first ever game and were, like our hockey team, understandably a little nervous at the prospect. However, they all performed remarkably well and were a real credit to both themselves and the school in their behaviour and sporting conduct.

Results were as follows:

Heamoor (A) 9 - 0 Penpol
Heamoor (B) 1 - 1 Ludgvan

A special mention must go to Cerys Arthur, Lily Rooth Smart, Summer Spires and Katie Bone who all stepped up from Towerball to High 5 and are still only just learning the rules - **well done girls.**

The children are looking forward to their next matches which will be on Monday 4th November (A Team) and Tuesday 18th November (Both Teams) at Mounts Bay Academy where they will hope to continue in their winning ways. **Thank you** to all the parents who came along and supported and to Mrs Jones for managing the teams in the league.

Mr Hickman

Penwith Hockey League

On Thursday 16th October, 8 Heamoor Pupils played their first games in this year's Penwith Hockey league at Penzance Astro Pitch on their brand new all-weather surface. Many of the children were competing in their first ever game and were understandably a little nervous at the prospect. However, they all performed remarkably well and were a real credit to both themselves and the school in their behaviour and sporting conduct.

Results were as follows:



Heamoor 2 - 0 Bodriggy
Heamoor 1 - 1 St Buryan
Heamoor 2 - 1 St Pirans



The whole team played well with a strong defence from Ismay and Harvey, hardworking midfield in Thomas, Dylan and Finn and courageous attacking up front from Mollie, Seb and Ellie.

The children are looking forward to their next matches which will be on Thursday 20th November at Penzance Astro Pitch where they will hope to continue in their winning ways. **Thank you** to all the parents who came along and supported and to Mrs Jones for managing the team in the league.

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BBC

Children in Need

It's almost time for BBC Children in Need again. It's our chance to do what we can to help change the lives of disadvantaged children and young people across the UK.

In line with the 'Be a Hero' campaign this year... we have decided to have a **"Superhero" fancy dress day** on **Friday 14th November**—so get your capes, masks and DONATION ready (*min. £1*) and if you've always wanted to be a Hero, now is your time to shine!

24-Hour Music Gig

Yesterday evening, our Glee club and band along with 4 other local schools took part in Mounts Bay Academy's "24-hour gig event" in support of their Arts Award fundraising. Our children did us proud (as they always do!) and thank you to all the parents who attended also.



What's on ...

Friday 24th October (Tonight!)
PTA Halloween Disco (6-8pm)
At The British Legion

Monday 27th to Friday 31st October
Half term week

Monday 3rd November
Inset Day—School closed to pupils

w/c Monday 10th November
Parent Consultation week (Y1-Y6)

Friday 14th November
'Superhero' day for Children in Need

Friday 5th December
PTA Christmas Fayre

W/C Monday 8th December
PTA Christmas Shop

Wednesday 10th December at 6pm
(Whole school) Christmas Carol Service



This week's winners of
Mrs Flynn's Headteacher
Awards are;



Ellie Dash
(Violet)

For her beautiful clay bust of the Greek
God 'Zeus'

Caitlyn LeBretton
(Violet)

For her excellent mathematical
problem solving skills

Cerys Arthur
(Indigo)

For always trying her best and being really
helpful. A model pupil!



Seb Dash
(Indigo)

For his Greek tapestry

Aiva Carr
(Indigo)

For her 'Trojan Horse' factfile

Isaac McKenna
(Indigo)

For his Greek spear (made with a real flint!)

Finn Loder
(Indigo)

For his Greek warship model

Amelia James
(Indigo)

for her portrait of Mount Olympus



George Steadman
(Indigo)

For his Greek temple model

