



# Mount Hawke Academy

Head of School: Miss C Biddick

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Dear Families

It is an incredible seven weeks since we returned after Christmas! The term so far has been crammed with learning. We are so very proud of all of our children – they have shown such determination and enthusiasm for their learning – and they certainly deserve a lovely holiday now. Thank you for all the support you continue to give them and us. Working in partnership is such a powerful thing and has a great impact on every aspect of school life.

## Sport

Last Friday, our netball team went to Penair for a tournament and some of our Key Stage One children visited Penryn College for a multi-skills event. This week has seen our footballers compete at Archbishop Benson too, and we've heard that 11 of our children have qualified for the next round of cross-country. Great stuff!

## Celebrations

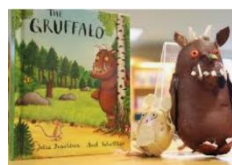
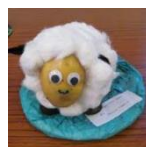
Today saw a lovely end to the half term – our Superstar Assembly. The parents of the children named below have already had a letter, telling them that their child has been noticed for going above and beyond in all that they do and they are now able to choose a book with their parents, which we will buy for them.

This is to say a huge THANK YOU and WELL DONE for all that our Superstars do, from everyone at school.

Class	Superstar
Mousehole	Philly
Godrevy	Archer
Longships	Joshua
Pendeen	Amara
Carne	Maisie
Gwithian	Penny
Lamorna	Rosie
Allen	Delilah
Kenwyn	Lacey
Truro	Elian

## World Book Day

World Book Day is celebrated on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March this year. Every day is a book day at MHA as we share our love of reading, but to mark the day we have decided to go with the same theme as last year. We would love the children to turn a potato into a book character and bring it into school on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March to share with everyone else.



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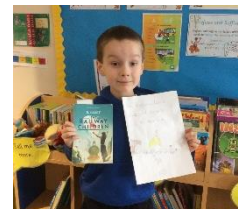
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## Reading

Our reading recommendation for this week...

The Railway Children - Why I love this book by Oliver ~ Carne Class

The Railway Children is about three children who go to live by a railway. When their dad goes away they have lots of fun and adventures, saving a baby and a dog from a burning boat and stopping a train crash. They meet lots of people on the way, Perks and the old gentleman. I love this book because they have so many adventures and they are brave, and they love their mummy. There are lots of other reasons why this is my favourite book, but I can't fit it all into this review. It was a happy ending because their dad came home.



## Defibrillator

We are on a mission to extend our first aid kit and purchase a life-saving device – a defibrillator – and training package to ensure that, should anyone experience a cardiac arrest, we have the equipment and skills to help save a life. There is one in the village, but we feel that having one in school too is very important.



Anyone can suffer Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) which is why taking the necessary precautions against this is vital, especially in school, a place where we all think of as safe for our children.

We can purchase one via the Department for Education and this will cost just over £500. We have opened a donation link on ParentPay if you would like to make a donation to this very worthwhile cause. If you would like any more information, please do get in touch. Thank you for your support so far.

## Communications

Remember to use the email [hello@mounthawke.org](mailto:hello@mounthawke.org) or phone 01209 890230 if you need to speak to one of us, let us know about something or share something with us. Miss Biddick is usually on the gate every morning and afternoon too.

All of us here at school would like to wish you a very happy, safe and enjoyable half-term and we all look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February.



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