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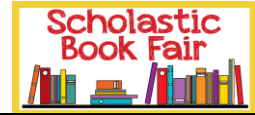


Weekly Newsletter

Term 1, Week 3

Diary Week Beginning **Monday 22nd September 2025**

Day	Date	Event
Monday	22 nd	Owlets to wear active uniform 3:15pm – Scholastic Book Fair
Tuesday	23 rd	Tawny Owls to wear active uniform 3:15pm – Scholastic Book Fair
Wednesday	24 th	Owlets to wear active uniform Barn Owls to wear active uniform
Thursday	25 th	Tawny Owls to wear active uniform Year 6 Swimming – please remember costume, towel & £3.00 swim money (NO Young Voices Club)
Friday	26 th	SENCO Coffee & Cake Afternoon with Mrs Coleman 2:15pm in the school hall Barn Owls to wear active uniform 2:45-3:15pm – Celebration worship, everyone welcome



Message from Mrs Parsons

Another busy week at Ulcombe. I started the week hosting a reward time for the 'always' children - children who are always doing the right thing and showing our Ulcombe values throughout the week. We enjoyed biscuits and squash and playing some outdoor games together. I'm already looking forward to next week. I also had the pleasure of teaching Barn Owls on Wednesday and it was a joy. The children created some fantastic character descriptions, thinking carefully about exciting adjectives and conjunctions. We also had great fun in an active maths lesson, matching words and numbers. Year 6 started their swimming lessons this week and had a fantastic time. They were respectful throughout - well done. I have also started to receive a number of applications for our school councils which will be holding their first meetings next week. I look forward to working with the children to listen to their ideas about making the school even better!

"Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the LORD your God will be with you wherever you go." (Joshua 1:9)

This week in worship, we looked at trust. We thought carefully about what trust means and who we trust in our life. It was lovely to hear the children's responses, reflecting carefully on how trust can help us to work together and how trusting God can help us to feel safe.

TRUST RESPECT HOPE ENDURANCE

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Weekly Awards

	Owlets	Barn Owls	Tawny Owls
Star of the week (nominated by staff)	Beverley	Angelina	Albert
Christian Value (nominated by pupils)	Endurance award to Annalise. Nominated by Miss Brooks.	Respect award to Frank. Nominated by Erica.	Respect award to Hugh. Nominated by John.

Christian Values Awards

Children are awarded raffle tickets when they show signs of our Christian values. Please talk to your child to find out how they earned their tickets.

All of the tickets are added together at the end of the week and converted into house points.

Owlets

Endurance: Beverley 2, Vienna C 2, Annalise, Joey, Peggy, Rihanna 2, Jorgie, Jimmy W, Luke 5, Vienna G 5, Noah 5, Nancy 5, Jimmy N 4, Shay 4

Respect: Beverley, Annalise, Joey 4, Luke 4, Vienna G 3, Noah 2 Nancy 7, Jimmy N 2, Shay 2

Trust: Vienna C, Joey, Rihanna, Jorgie, Luke, Vienna G 2, Noah 2, Nancy 3, Shay

Hope: Shay

Barn Owls

Endurance: George 2, Derick 4, Alfie 4, Annabella 2, Angelina 3, Frank, Presley, Cara 5, Joseph 2, Thomas 4, Robyn 2, Erica, Harry 2, Johnny 2

Respect: Eileen 2, Derick, Alfie 4, Annabella 3, Angelina 2, Cara, Teddy, Aaron, Thomas, Robyn

Trust: George, John 3, Eileen 4, Derick, Alfie 7, Annabella 7, Angelina 9, Frank 2, Presley 3, Ruby, Tommy 2, Cara 3, Joseph, Aaron 5, Thomas 3, Robyn 6, Erica 6, Harry, John

Hope: George 2, John, Eileen 2, Derick, Alfie 3, Annabella 2, Angelina 3, Tommy 2

Tawny Owls

Endurance: Paddy 8, Freddie-Joe, Scarlett H 3, April 2, Bonnie 8, Joseph 2, Annie 2, George 4, Rebecca 2, Casey, Honey, Olivia, Phoebe 2, Paul 2, Summer, Margaret 5, Ruby, Hugh, Scarlett D

Respect: Paddy 9, Freddie-Joe, Scarlett H 6, April 3, Bonnie 5, Joseph, Annie 4, Albert 2, George 2, Rebecca 2, Casey 2, Olivia 2, Honey 3, Phoebe 3, Paul 3, Summer 2, Margaret, Ruby 3, Hugh 2, Scarlett D 4

Trust: Paddy 6, Scarlett H, April 3, Bonnie 2, Joseph 3, Annie 6, Albert 2, George 4, Rebecca 4, Casey 4, Olivia 2, Honey 2, Phoebe 3, Summer 2, Ruby, Hugh 4, Scarlett D 4

Hope: Paddy 3, April, Bonnie 2, Joseph, Annie, Albert, Rebecca, Casey, Olivia, Summer, Margaret 2

Bronze Award

Well done to the following children for receiving their **Bronze** Christian Value certificate after reaching 25 raffle tickets for:

Respect: Paddy



House Points

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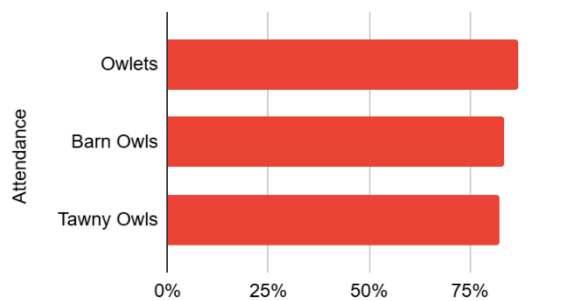
Doves	Eagles	Ravens
116	135	139
Term 1 Totals		
319	443	480

Attendance and Punctuality

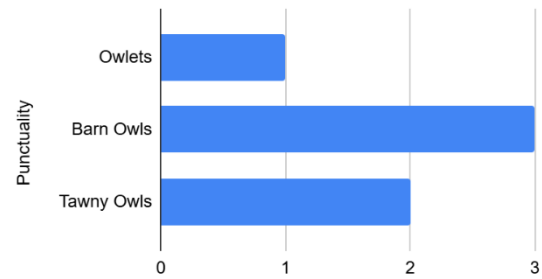
Our attendance winners this week are Owlets with 86.97% - Well Done! Barn Owls came second with 83.67% and Tawny Owls had 82.43% attendance. This gave us a whole school attendance of 83.95%.

The best punctuality goes to Owlets with only 1 late arrival! Tawny Owls came second with 2 late arrivals and Barn Owls had 3 late arrivals. Remember, please keep us informed if your child is off school or the absence will be unauthorised.

Attendance



Punctuality



Wet Weather – Coats & Wellies

As we are now in autumn and the weather has started to turn, please could you send your child into school with a coat and a pair of wellies each day.

The wellies can be left in school on the welly racks outside the classroom (on the playground). Please could these be clearly labelled with your child's name. Many thanks.



SENCO Coffee & Cake Afternoon with Mrs Coleman – Friday 19th September at 2:15pm

On Friday afternoon at 2:15pm Mrs Coleman (SENCO) will be hosting another Coffee and Cake afternoon. This is a chance for an informal chat about your child's progress and/or any concerns you might have.



At 2:30pm a member of the NHS Emotional Wellbeing Team will be joining Mrs Coleman should you wish to discuss your child's wellbeing.

Dates for your Diary

- Thursday 18th-Tuesday 23rd September – Book Fair
- Friday 26th September – SENCO Coffee & Cake Afternoon with Mrs Coleman at 2:15pm
- Tuesday 30th September – School Photos (Individual & Siblings)
- Thursday 2nd October – Census Day Festival Lunch Menu
- Friday 3rd October – Harvest Festival at Ulcombe Church (1:30pm)
- Friday 10th October – Barn Owls UK Day
- Thursday 16th October – Parents Evening
- Friday 17th October – Last day of term
- Monday 27th October – Start of Term 2

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