



Ulcombe Church of England Primary School


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Weekly Newsletter

Term 5, Week 2

Diary Week Beginning **Monday 4th May 2026**

Day	Date	Event
Monday	4 th	Bank Holiday (School Closed) 
Tuesday	5 th	Owlets to wear active uniform 3:15-4:00pm – Debating Club
Wednesday	6 th	Barn Owls to wear active uniform
Thursday	7 th	Owlets to wear active uniform Tawny Owls to wear active uniform Swimming – please remember costume, towel & £3.00 swim money 3:15-4:00pm – Drawing Along Club & Crochet
Friday	8 th	2:45-3:15pm – Celebration worship, everyone welcome

Message from Mrs Parsons

This week at Ulcombe School has been a wonderfully busy and productive one. Across the school, there has been a real focus on phonics and reading, with children showing great determination and enthusiasm in their learning. It has been fantastic to see and hear the progress being made, with pupils working incredibly hard to develop their skills and confidence.

Barn Owls and Tawny Owls were also lucky enough to have an author visit their classrooms yesterday. David Fuller was so inspiring telling the children of his journey from school life to becoming an author and following his dreams. The children were completely engaged, listening carefully and asking really sensible questions. I hope the children came away inspired about writing!

Looking ahead, on the last day of term 5 - Friday 22nd May, we are looking forward to a Krispy Kreme doughnuts sale held by FUS! You can pre-order trays of 12 original glaze doughnuts for £12 per tray (£1 per doughnut!) by using the link to the form below (deadline - Friday 15th May). On the day, there will also be individual Original Glazed doughnuts available to purchase after school for £1.50 each - half the price than in the shops!



[Click here for the Krispy Kreme Order Form](#)

This week's worship focused on the story of David and Goliath, encouraging the children to reflect on courage. We explored how David trusted in God when facing Goliath, drawing on his past experiences as a shepherd to find strength and confidence.

Children were invited to think about how courage is shown in everyday life and to recognise the bravery of ordinary people around them. They also considered how they can encourage and support others.

The worship included the song *This Little Light of Mine* and concluded with a prayer asking for strength to act boldly in difficult moments and to be thankful for those who inspire us through their courage.

TRUST RESPECT HOPE ENDURANCE



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Weekly Awards

	Owlets	Barn Owls	Tawny Owls
Star of the week (nominated by staff)	Annalise	Johnny	Joseph W
Christian Value (nominated by pupils)	Trust award to Luke. Nominated by Vienna G.	Endurance award to Joseph S. Nominated by Angelina.	Trust award to Paul. Nominated by George H.

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: Luke 3, Vienna 4, Noah 4, Shay 3

Respect: Vienna C 3, Annalise 2, Joey 3, Peggy 3, Rihanna 2, Jorgie 3, Jimmy 2, Italia 3, Luke 4, Vienna G 5, Noah 3, Nancy 3

Trust: Joey 3, Peggy 5, Italia 3, Nancy 4, Vienna G 3, Noah 4

Hope: Beverley, Vienna C, Annalise, Joey, Peggy, Rihanna, Jorgie, Jimmy W, Italia, Luke, Vienna, Noah 3, Nancy, Jimmy N, Shay

Barn Owls

Endurance: John 4, Derick, Arthur 9, Frank 16, Presley 4, Ruby 14, Ernie 5, Teddy 17, Joseph 6, Harry 6, Johnny 5, George 8, Eileen 9, Angelina 2, Thomas 8, Cara 10, Tommy 11, Rosie 6, Aaron 3, Robyn 2, Erica 7

Respect: John 2, Derick 2, Arthur 5, Frank 2, Presley 7, Ruby 2, Ernie 7, Teddy 7, Joseph 10, Harry 6, Johnny 7, George 6, Eileen 2, Angelina 9, Thomas 3, Cara 11, Tommy 4, Rosie 5, Aaron 9, Robyn 2, Erica 7

Trust: John, Derick 4, Arthur 11, Frank 8, Presley 8, Ruby 3, Ernie 7, Teddy 3, Joseph 7, Harry 6, Johnny 6, George 3, Eileen 3, Angelina 5, Thomas 5, Cara 13, Tommy 3, Rosie 5, Aaron 8, Robyn 5, Erica 6

Hope: John 3, Derick 5, Arthur 6, Frank 4, Presley 9, Ruby 4, Ernie 4, Teddy 4, Joseph 6, Harry 6, Johnny 8, George 2, Eileen 6, Angelina 4, Thomas 6, Cara 9, Tommy 6, Rosie 5, Aaron 7, Robyn 4, Erica 7

Tawny Owls

Endurance: Paddy 2, Freddie 2, Scarlett 2, April 3, Joseph 3, Albert 4, George 3, Rebecca 2, Casey 2, Olivia 2, Honey 5, Phoebe 3, Paul 2, Margaret 3, Ruby 2, Hugh 3

Respect: Paddy 4, Freddie 3, Scarlett, April 3, Joseph 9, Albert 5, George 3, Rebecca 6, Casey 4, Olivia 4, Honey 6, Phoebe 4, Paul 3, Margaret 3, Ruby 3, Hugh 3

Trust: Paddy 2, Freddie, Scarlett 3, April 3, Joseph 4, Albert 4, George 2, Rebecca 3, Casey 2, Olivia, Honey 2, Phoebe, Paul 2, Margaret 2, Ruby 2, Hugh

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Bronze Award

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

Hope: Jimmy W



Silver Award

Well done to the following children for receiving their **Silver** Christian Value certificate after reaching 50 raffle tickets for:

Respect: George A, Rihanna



Gold Award

Well done to the following children for receiving their **Gold** Christian Value certificate after reaching 75 raffle tickets for:

Endurance: Eileen



Platinum Award

Well done to the following children for receiving their **Platinum** Christian Value certificate after reaching 150 raffle tickets for:

Endurance: Frank, Harry, Robyn



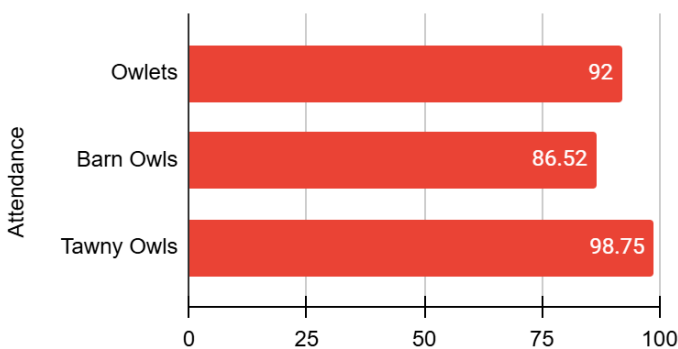
House Points

Doves	Eagles	Ravens
137	220	183
Term 5 Totals		
299	420	415

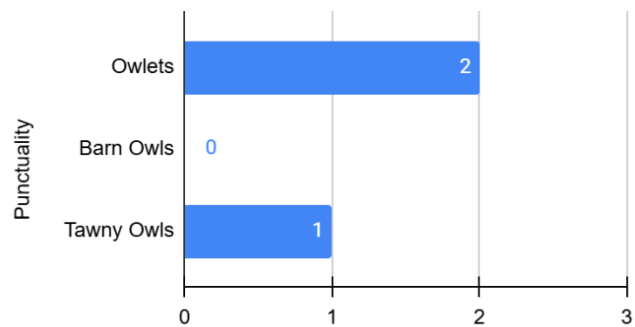
Attendance and Punctuality

Congratulations to this week's attendance and punctuality winners!

Attendance



Punctuality



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This gave us a whole school attendance for this week of **91.67%**.

Sporting Achievements

If your child takes part in any sports clubs out of school we would love to hear about any of their achievements.

They may have won 'Player of the Match' or been part of a successful boxing match. If so, we'd like to share their success with the whole school. Please email the school office (office@ulcombekentsch.co.uk) a photo and short description of what they have achieved. Thank you.

Dates for your Diary

Monday 4th May – Bank Holiday (school closed)

Monday 11th May–Thursday 14th May – KS2 SATS

Friday 15th May – Whole School Scavenger Hunt

Monday 18th May – Barn Owls Finish This Celebration Trip

Thursday 21st May – Census Day Treat Day Lunch Menu

Friday 22nd May – FUS Krispy Kreme Doughnut Sale (Pre-order deadline Friday 15th May)

Friday 22nd May – Last Day of Term

Monday 1st June – Start of Term 6

Wednesday 3rd June – Class Photos

Friday 19th June – Sports Day

Friday 26th June – INSET Day