Ubley C of E Primary School

Newsletter 25th September 2026

Diary Dates

1st October individual school photos (pre-school siblings can come at 8.45am)

21st October – Harvest service 9.15am at the church

Donations for the food back would be gratefully received.

22nd October – Fox Class to Wells Literature Festival

23rd October last day of term

2nd November Otter class swimming for the next 6 Mondays

5th November – Fox Class to Life Skills

1st December flu immunisations

8th December - Reception and KS1 Nativity 10am and 6pm at the church

Mobile Library

September 23rd

October 7th and 21st

Open Days

Tuesday 29th September 9.15am – 10.15am

Tuesday 10th November 9.15am – 10.15am

Thursday 26th November 1.15pm – 2.15pm

Thursday 6th January 1.15pm – 2.15pm

Our new School Council

This week classes have been holding their council elections and our 2026/2027 councillors are –

Year 6 - Connie
Year 5 - Bea
Year 4 - Rupert
Year 3 – Rosa and Levison
(Equal number of votes)
Year 2 - Freddie
Year 1- Kit
Reception - Douglas



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It would be great if you could please share these dates with anybody you know whose children will start school next year.

Eco Council

Meet our Eco Council, who have already been busy planting bulbs and decorating the water butts. They have decided they would like to buy a night vision camera to see what animals visit our garden.

Sports Council

This year's sports council are Penny, Ivor, Finnley, Pru, Wren and Daisy

They have planned the lunch time activities and set up games and help keep the PE shed tidy!







Celebration Assembly

These children received generosity awards this week:

Fox Class – Penny for always helping with jobs.

Otter Class – Ruby for always giving her time and her kind words.

Squirrel Class – Freya for always being ready to help.

Hedgehog Class – Douglas for always going above and beyond with tidying and being helpful.



Caring, Capable and Confident

Fox Class – Finnley for stepping up and showing us all how capable he is.

Otter Class – Oaky for his brilliant football skills in PE this week.

Squirrel Class – Isla for showing how capable she is in all her learning.

Hedgehog Class – Nellie for super effort and hard work in phonics.



Doodle Maths

1st place – Fox Class with 585 stars

2nd place – Otter Class with 336 stars

3rd place – Squirrel Class with 298 stars

Elsie accepted the class award as she had the most stars with 84. Well done.





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House points this week

1st place goes to Yeo with 186 points

2nd place goes to Mendip with 181 points

3rd place to Chew with 164

Harvest Service

The harvest service will be on the 21st of October, 9.30am, at the church.
We will be collecting donations for the food bank; please see below for the items they need most. Any donations would be gratefully received.

Tinned goods: Tinned meat, fish, beans, spaghetti, tomatoes, vegetables, and fruit
Carbohydrates: Pasta, rice, and pasta sauces
Breakfast & Drinks: Breakfast cereals, tea, and coffee
Pantry extras: Soup and biscuits



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PTA updates

The PTA now have a Facebook and Instagram page. For those of you who use social media, please give us a follow. Search for 'Ubley Primary PTA'.
Please share with friends and family who may also be interested in keeping up to date with all the latest PTA news and upcoming events.

Thank you 😊

Second hand uniform

If you have any second uniform to donate, then please drop this into school and the PTA will collect. Keep an eye out for uniform sale dates coming soon.

Tea Towels

The PTA are once again having tea towels made with the children's self portrait drawings. Please see the attached letter and place your orders.

Secret present room

We are going to run our secret present room again in December, we would be grateful for donations for new gifts, they can be unwanted and regifted as long as they are in a new condition.





Mobile library

Just a reminder that the library bus visits every other Wednesday, children come on and browse or borrow books, if they have a library card then please send that it with your child, or if they do not have one, they can borrow one on the school account.

Here is the link if you wish to apply for one
https://www.bathnes.gov.uk/join-library-network





Inset days for 2026/2027

Friday 20th November 2026

Friday 15th January 2027

Monday 22nd February 2027 (Trust training day)

Monday 7th June 2027

Requests for leave of absence during term time

A reminder that the LSP Attendance Policy states that absences should only be granted in exceptional circumstances and a family holiday does not constitute such an exception.

The Lighthouse Schools Partnership policy is in line with the May 2022 statutory guidance to schools. In almost all cases a request for a holiday in term time will have to be refused and if the unauthorised holiday is for 5 or more full days it will incur a Penalty Notice. Please follow this link for the attendance policy.

https://www.eastharptreeandubley.org.uk/page/?title=Policies&pid=109

Term Dates 2026/2027

1	Thursday 3rd September 2026	Friday 23rd October 2026
2	Monday 2nd November 2026	Friday 18th December 2026
3	Monday 4th January 2027	Friday 12th February 2027
4	Monday 22nd February 2027	Thursday 25th March 2027
5	Monday 12th April 2027	Friday 28th May 2027
6	Monday 7th June 2027	Friday 23nd July 2027