



## DIARY DATES ~

7<sup>th</sup> May – Bank Holiday Monday

8<sup>th</sup> May – School photographs

8<sup>th</sup> May – Platinum/Gold group riding

**10<sup>th</sup> May – 9:30am FOMCU AGM**

19<sup>th</sup> May – 10:30am Saturday Club

25<sup>th</sup> May – Alfie-James Birthday party

**Sponsored Walk – Please spread the word!** ~ Robert Fussell (Mrs Fussell's Husband) is undertaking a **sponsored walk to raise money for FOMCU**. Robert said, "This walk is 100km from Poole to Bridport it will be tough but worth it knowing I have helped these children with new play and sensory equipment."

Please share with friends, colleagues and family and let's try and beat the target of £500.

The direct link to his page is <https://mydonate.bt.com/fundraisers/robertfussell1>

**School Council** ~ We are very pleased to introduce our four MCC school councillors – Joshua, Gabriel, Finnley and Alfie-James. They will meet on a Thursday during playtime after lunch. We have had two meetings and this week met with Mr Stone. They have been given a budget of £100 and will be consulting with the other children as to what they would like to spend the money on!

**FOMCU** ~ The **FOMCU AGM is on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> May** this is an opportunity to hear about what the money you donate and raise goes to and also plan for the coming year. We rely on parents' involvement and the more that get involved the more we can do. Please do make every effort to attend.

**Reading at home** ~ Many thanks for your support with their learning as together we can achieve the very best for them! For interactive online books, have a look at the Oxford Reading tree website <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/> login details are Goldclass123 password:Learn@home

**Parent Support** ~ Bridget Crawford, our wonderful TA in Gold class, has offered to be a port of call to all parents/families to help with giving information on access to benefits, support and discounts that are available to families of children with autism. Bridget herself is a parent of a former pupil and understands the difficulties that families can go through. She is a wealth of information and is always happy to chat either at drop off or pick up or at Saturday club.

Have a lovely Bank Holiday weekend, Thank you, Michael Bogg, Centre Manager

*Be Kind. Try hard. Do your best.*



**Silver Class** – We had a fantastic trip to Greyfield woods; we followed the map to find the waterfall, and enjoyed splashing around in the stream! We also made some under the sea themed cupcakes, which were green inside! We then decorated them with different animals. We've been doing lots of counting in Maths, looking at teen numbers, and have been comparing different weights and lengths.

**Gold Class** – Gold class have been preparing for their trip to Greyfield woods. We made lists of what we should pack and how we were going to get there. After voting for our favourite treat we decided to make chocolate chip cookies to bake and take with us. Learning how to use co-ordinates on a map, we used this skill to find the waterfall. Riley the dog had a fabulous time too.

**Platinum Class** – Platinum class have been continuing their Oceans topic with a wonderful collage as well as painting a fish using watercolours. They have also been experimenting with how effective water is a solvent at different temperatures.

