

# LODERS CE VC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents

We have been so busy in school to notice that February has now flashed by us! We have excelled in netball, given our all in football and ran our best in the cross country! Woodpeckers enjoyed their trip to Dorchester to see the Egyptian exhibition and Jackdaws had a wonderful learning experience last week when Bruce Upton from Bridport Museum transported the children back in time to a Victorian school! Please have a look at the news pages on the school website where you will be able to see photos and video clips.

Good luck to the children taking part in the quiz in Sherborne this Thursday and also to Woodpeckers who are strutting their moves at the Dance Festival on Friday!

We are supporting the 'Grow Your Own Garden' competition organised by Groves Garden Centre to help raise money for the Children's Charity 'Greenfingers'. This charity supports gardens for children's hospices in the UK. Our garden along with all the others, will be on display at the garden centre between the 10<sup>th</sup> and 18 March.

Once again, we are taking part in the Sport Relief Mile on Wednesday 28 March by running (those less energetic – walking) around Boarsbarrow Hill; your child has been given a sponsor form to enable us to raise as much money as we can.

Parent Drop In Sessions 13 March (21 March Robins) – Thank you for returning your slips. There is a list of timeslots on each classroom door – next time you are in school, please fill in if you would like to see the class teacher at a specific time. Alternatively you can email the office address with your preferred time if you are unable to come into school.

## Dates to Remember

Parent consultations	Tuesday 13 March (Wednesday 21 March - Robins only)
Last BLC visit for Wrens	Tuesday 27 March
Up the Beanstalk at the village hall	Thursday 29 March 2pm and 6 pm
Last day of term	Friday 30 March
Summer Term begins	Monday 16 April (children in school)
Bridport Schools Music Concert	Friday 20 April (details to follow)
YR5/6 Leeson House Trip	Monday 23 – 25 April
KS2 SATs Week	14-18 May
YR4 Weymouth Outdoor Centre Trip	Provisional date-Thursday 24 May
May Fair	Saturday 26 May
Y6 Sail for a Fiver	Tuesday 29 May

A regularly updated school diary is available for your information on the school calendar link on the school website homepage.

Yours sincerely

*Mike Kite* and *Shirley Gibbs*