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## Another Step in the Right Direction

Join us on our sponsored walk on Sunday 17 May 2020. Children and dogs welcome

### When/where/how long?

Date: Sunday 17th May 2020

Start and finish: Wilcot Village Hall, Wilcot, Near Pewsey, Wiltshire, SN9 5NN

Start time: arrive to sign in at 10.00 for a 10.30 start.

Walk distance: approximately 12K [7.5 miles approx]

Approximate time to complete the walk: 3 - 3.5 hours at talking pace.

### What do I need to do to register?

Please register with us beforehand if at all possible. There is no registration fee. **However, you are expected to raise sponsorship or make a personal donation in lieu of sponsorship. Suggested amount £10.00 or £5.00 under 17s or £2.00 under 12s [under 6s free].**

Please donate via [Virgin Money Giving](#)

### What else do I need to know?

- This is a multi-terrain walk. Mostly footpaths and farm tracks but some road walking on lanes in Wilcot/West Stowell/Huish area.
- Some uphill walking [medium/hard difficulty] to the Pewsey Downs.
- Alternative route for anyone who can't cope with steep hill. Please ask!
- Children under 16 **MUST** be accompanied by an adult who will be responsible for their safety [no more than 4 children per adult].
- Dog on leads are welcome as long as they are kept **strictly** under control especially on roads and fields where there is livestock. **Carry a poo bag!!!**
- You will be supplied with a map of the route [although the route will be clearly signposted] and emergency phone numbers when you arrive.

### Why are we organising this walk?

One of the reasons that we decided to build a nursery school in New Yundum, The Gambia, is that the village children, some as young as 3 years, walked a total of nearly 10K [6 miles] each day for school - including crossing a busy 4 lane highway.. We came up with the idea of replicating this walk in the beautiful Pewsey Vale. So successful have been our previous 3 walks that this is the fourth year the walk is taking place.