

The Mordiford Mail



In the glorious sunshine yesterday afternoon we held our own stay at home street party to celebrate the 75th Anniversary of VE day. The children made homemade lemonade, scones and enjoyed some yummy union jack cake (thank you very much Mrs Driver!!)

The children enjoyed looking at some photographs of the celebrations on 8th May 1945 and very thoughtfully answered questions before coming up with some of their own really interesting questions.

It was lovely this week to join in with Teme and Monnow Class Zoom chats, it was very uplifting to see how happy and relaxed you all were.

I hope that you enjoy any celebrations that you have planned to mark the VE Day anniversary and relish, what promises to be another sunny lockdown Bank Holiday.

Stay safe and well.

Best wishes, Miss Finney



Prayer Corner

O Lord our God,

as we remember, teach us the ways of peace.

As we treasure memories, teach us to hope.

As we give thanks for the sacrifices of the past,

help us to make your future in this world,

until your kingdom come.

Amen



Don't Forget our Rainbow Children Competition.

Thank you for the wonderful entries already received.

For full details of the competition see previous editions of the Mail.

Closing date is next Friday the 15th May.

Free School Meals

We are aware that the lockdown may be causing increased financial pressures for some families. For some this has meant a significant change in circumstances and could mean that they may qualify for the governments free school meal programme.

If this applies to you, we would encourage you to apply through the Herefordshire Council website as this will not only help now but also in the future. All those families who have at any point been in receipt of FSM qualify for financial support through Pupil Premium funding for 6 years. This can help with school trips and other opportunities.



From all of us this week to ...

Yasmin, Blayze, Bela, Harriet, Elias

Thought of the day

When addressing the public on VE Day, King George VI called upon people to remember those who died and to:

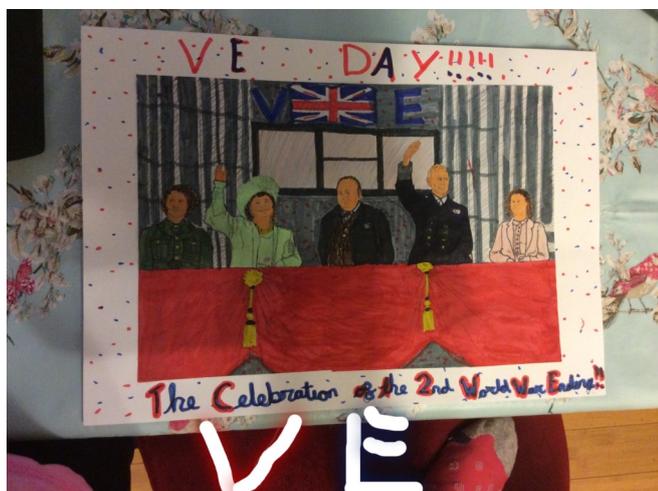
“...make the world such a world as they would have desired for their children and for ours.”

What might you do to celebrate, give thanks, and remember?

Here are some of the amazing pictures of the VE Day work you have been doing at home. Well done, you have made the school very proud.



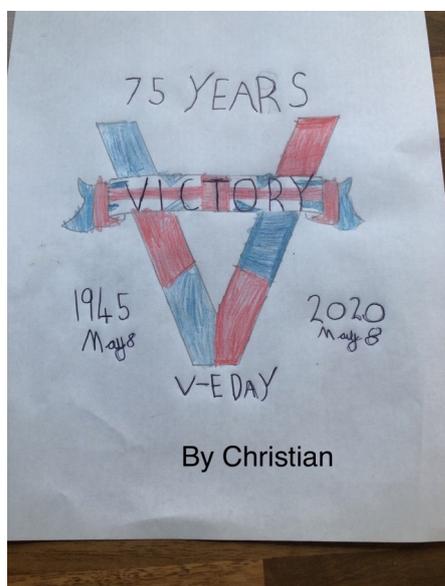
Theo and Ethan made anniversary plaques.



Colourful celebration poster by Enya



Kaleb's bunting



Thomas made 1940s style pancakes



