

**VE Day celebrations- “We’ll meet again”**

Last Friday we celebrated VE day, also known as Victory in Europe Day. This day marks the end of World War Two, when fighting against Nazi Germany came to an end in Europe. Across the school, pupil's families and staff celebrated by baking cakes, creating bunting and holding socially distanced street parties. Others held garden parties and even ordered afternoon tea from local cafes consisting of sandwiches, sausage rolls and scones. Thank you for sharing your celebrations through Tapestry. It was lovely to see pupils completing the activities set by teaching staff and the fantastic festivities enjoyed by all. Pictured below are Charlie, Thomas and Freddie celebrating VE Day at home with their families.



**Yellow Class – Create their own diorama**

Rachel Reid – Yellow Class Teacher set her class with the creative task of making their very own diorama. Diorama is a model representing a scene with three dimensional figures. Yellow Class pupil Eva is pictured with her impressive In the Night Garden Scene.

**Thank you**

Thank you to everyone for your continued support of the Willoughby Community at this very challenging time.

**Purple Class – Activity Update**

Purple Class have been reading Dear Zoo and learning about animals this term. Pupil Noah had great fun making a spotty giraffe and Joseph used a plastic milk bottle to make an elephant. Lots of the class have been out and about with their families spotting real animals too. Teddie found a nest of snails, tucked inside a tree and Madison said hello to friendly donkeys. The pigeons liked Riley (or his food) one landed on his foot and one on his lap to take a closer look! Photo are on the next page of the newsletter.





### Home Learning and Tapestry

Whilst some pupils of Key Workers remain in school, for the majority of our pupils learning is a bit different now. Lessons are taking place in homes and gardens, instead of classrooms. In place of teaching staff, members of the family or carers are supporting the learning. Our pupils have access to several new activities posted each day on our learning platform Tapestry. Activities range from scavenger hunts, cookery challenges, bitesize lessons, interactive games, wonderful arts and crafts activities and much more.

What's great about Tapestry is that parents/ carers can post pictures of the learning activities and staff are able to communicate on these posts. It has been incredible to see pupils enjoying their learning at home, requesting more tasks and sharing their own ideas for fun activities. If you haven't logged into Tapestry yet, please do so, there are lots of fantastic challenges, links to useful websites and competitions with prizes too. If you have any problems accessing Tapestry please contact your class teacher.

