



# Barnes Farm Infant School

## Newsletter



Friday 1st May 2020

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### Message from the Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that you are all well and managing to keep safe during this time. We have been making sure that we contact every family – either through emails or phone calls and it has been lovely to keep in contact with you all. This week's 'Keeping in Regular Contact' letter asked you to send an email to your class email account to let us know how you and your family are. There was an additional option to send us a 'Hello' or 'Hi' photograph to go in a whole class collage to be sent to the class next week. We thought this would be a bit of fun for the children. If you would like your child to take part in this and give your consent for the photograph to be used in this way, please send the photo to your child's class email account. Here's my 'Hello' example!



### VE Day Celebrations

Both Barnes Farm Schools had plans for a joint celebration of VE Day next week, including a street party on the playground! We are disappointed that none of this will now happen, but we have thought about ideas for a 'stay at home' celebration that we would encourage you to do:



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## VE DAY 75<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2020

### STAY AT HOME CELEBRATION

Commemorate the end of WW2  
by celebrating with your family!

#### Celebrate VE Day by...

- Dressing up in red, white and blue
- Decorate your house in red, white and blue
- Colour and display your VE Day poster in your window
- Listen to and learn a VE day 1940's song.
- Learn about VE Day at <https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/48201749>
- Have a VE Day celebration picnic in your garden or inside with your family
- Don't forget to take photos of your celebrations and send to us so we can share in our newsletters.



The Royal British Legion has also come up with suggestions for marking this special day and this has been sent out with the Newsletter. We have also attached a VE Day themed colouring in sheet from Barnes Farm Schools. Your child may wish to colour this and add to a window.

If you have any questions/worries/problems, please contact us on the well-being phone number between 7am and 5pm - Monday to Friday:

07850 903896.

Keep safe and please follow the latest guidance by the Government to ensure you and your family keep safe and healthy. I will send a Newsletter next week and if there are any communications between now and then, this will also be emailed to you.

Take care,  
Mrs Farmer



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