

Friday 14th February 2025

**Dear Parents and Carers** 

Year 6 World War 2 (WW2) day - Friday 4th April 2025

As a celebration our WW2 Topic, we will be holding a **WW2 themed day**. This will consist of displaying their WW2 dance, sharing the recipes they have made as a part of their home learning (which will come out in due course), an exhibition of their rationing home learning and watching 'Goodnight, Mr. Tom'. This exciting day will have no cost implications for parents and carers.

We would like the children to feel completely immersed in the day so would like to invite them to dress up in some form of simple WW2 costume. This might be evacuees, land girls, air raid wardens etc.

If your child's food allergy/intolerance records have changed since you notified the school last, please update them by emailing the school office <a href="mailto:solentjunior@thesolentschools.org">solentjunior@thesolentschools.org</a> no later than 9am on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March.

We would also love to invite parents / carers into school in the afternoon (Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April), so that we can share our learning with you. Each class will set up and be ready to showcase their learning for parents/carers to arrive at 2:15pm. Parents / carers will need to leave at 2:45pm to allow time for each class to tidy up ready for the end of the school day. Pupils will be assisting in tidying the classroom and can then take home the work they've been showing off (e.g. slippers, rationing home learning and possibly even some WW2 style food). They will then be ready to leave school at the normal time of 3pm.

In order to immerse the children in WW2 day, we will be setting pupils a creative learning assignment. So that you have as much notice as possible of this task, here is an excerpt from the assignment sheet which will be added to TEAMS nearer the time:

We would like you to research and present what you can discover about **RATIONING** in World War 2 and present it in your own way. This could be written tasks/photos/food etc. We would also like you to find a rationing recipe that you can prepare and make for our WW2 day on 4<sup>th</sup> April.

We are very much looking forward to the day and hope that you and your children are too.

Kind regards, Miss Smith, Miss Palmer and Mr Washer

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