



Invites you to a VE Day special, so you can celebrate VE Day from the comfort of your home.

First, listen to Ms M Woodham's childhood memory of celebrating VE Day:

"I remember I was 10 years old and we were living in Pershore in Worcestershire. I went with my 8-year-old sister to a celebration which was held in a barn, organised by the local farmer at the end of our lane. The barn was done up with flags and we had to dress up - the lady next door dressed me as a nurse and my sister was a fairy. We danced in the lane and the food was lovely, including things I had never seen or eaten before such as jellies. There was sandwiches and fruit. I tried something I had never eaten before, and it tasted horrible. I tried describing it to my mother when I got home, but she didn't know what I was talking about. I found out afterwards that it was a banana - but I had tried eating it with the skin on!"

Then we'll have some Lord Woolton Pie

This pie was widely served in the Second World War when rationing and shortages made other dishes hard to prepare. This dish enabled a nutritious diet to be maintained. The dish was named after Frederick Marquis, who was the 1st Earl of Woolton. It was named after him because he popularised the recipe after he was appointed Minister of Food in April 1940.



Lord Woolton Pie is made of cauliflower, parsnips, carrots, potatoes, spring onions, marmite (yeast extract or a stock cube), rolled oats, salt and pepper, and parsley (fresh or dried). Then the pastry consisted of wholemeal or whole-wheat flour, mashed potato, margarine or lard, baking powder, salt, and, water. These were all rations during World War II.

Followed by a sing song...

There'll Always Be an England while there's a country lane, whenever there's a cottage small beside a field of grain. There'll always be an England, while there's a busy street, whenever there's a turning wheel, a million marching feet.

We'll meet again, don't know where, don't know when but I know we'll meet again some sunny day. Keep smiling through, just like you always do 'til the blue skies drive the dark clouds far away.

Kiss me goodnight Sergeant-Major, tuck me in my little wooden bed. We all love you Sergeant-major when we hear you bawling show a leg!



Time to pick 5 names out of a hat to find out some of the best things you've ever made...

1. **Mrs P** made her own wedding dress, 2 of her daughter's wedding dresses and some bridesmaid dresses. The bridesmaid dresses were photographed by the editor of a bridal magazine.
2. **Mrs J Patterson** made Dundee cake and was famous for it. She used to make it for Christmas presents and wrap it in a white box with tissue paper.
3. **Sheila G** made her children and loves them all very much. She has two birth children Sonia and Lynne, an adopted daughter Susanna, and a stepdaughter Joanne. Who all turned out be kind and beautiful ladies.
4. **Mr L Coleman** made a large chain link at the blacksmiths when he was an engineer working on heavy earth moving machinery. He carried it in his toolbox for years and used it many times in his job.
5. **Dr Patricia W** was a Psychoanalysis for 20 years and helped make a lot of people better suffering from mental health.

Try your luck at our VE Day Quiz...

1. What other year was the bank holiday of May 1st moved to the 8th of May?
2. Why do Russia Celebrate VE Day on the 9th of May?
3. Who was leading Germany when the treaty was signed?
4. Where was the treaty first signed at 2:41 am on the 7th of May?
5. Where were princess Margaret and Elizabeth when the Britons celebrated?

Can you guess what games we're going to play from the 4 clues below?



Last Week's Quiz Answers:

1. 20
2. Norwich City
3. Warwickshire
4. New York
5. Nile

Last Week's Crossword Answers:

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| 1. St Davids | 6. Belfast |
| 2. Blackpool | 7. Stonehenge |
| 3. Loch Ness | 8. Dover |
| 4. Lands' End | 9. Newquay |
| 5. Stand | 10. Ben Nevis |