

Saffron and Juniper shine a light for their Great Grandpa



"We didn't know our Great Grandpa, Ken, as he died long before we were born, but Nana tells us that we have a lot to thank soldiers like him for their bravery and courage. He never spoke about his time in the Army, but we know he drove a tank in the Second World War and he came ashore in Normandy in August 1944, near Mulberry Harbour and took part in the encirclement of the German army in Normandy. Afterwards Nana says he commanded one of the leading tanks in the Reconnaissance D Squadron through France, Belgium, Holland and then into Germany. We are very proud of him and the men and women like him who made our country safe. To us 80 years

seems a long time ago, but it's important that we children learn of this time in our history. The Lamp Light of Peace represents the light of peace that emerged from the darkness of War. We will light the lamp with our family at 9.15pm on 6th June and hope and encourage other children and their families around the world to take part in lighting a Lamp Light of Peace in tribute to their past family members involved in D-Day or/and WWII as a whole".

Please see the Lamp Light of Peace page on the D-Day 80 website www.d-day80beacons.co.uk

Saffron, aged 11 and six year old Juniper, from Aberdeen, in Scotland.



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