



Governor
Bobby Jindal

Proclamation

- WHEREAS,** on August 14, 1945, World War II officially ended, marking the start of healing for the United States and the world; and
- WHEREAS,** the men and women of the World War II generation endured the Great Depression, preserved democracy, and rebuilt the postwar world, creating examples of service that inspire and sustain our nation; and
- WHEREAS,** Keep the Spirit of '45 Alive is a non-profit grassroots campaign to encourage Americans to commemorate the 70th Anniversary of the end of World War II by holding events and inspiring youth to gather personal recollections of August 14, 1945; and
- WHEREAS,** this campaign's goal is to establish a permanent National Day of Remembrance to honor the legacy of service of the greatest generation so that their example of commitment to community and country will inspire future generations; and
- WHEREAS,** the Spirit of '45 reminds America how people came together with a shared sense of national unity and purpose during one of the most difficult times in our nation's history; and
- WHEREAS,** the Spirit of '45 encourages youth to learn valuable lessons about overcoming adversity through self-sacrifice, courage, perseverance and service to others by interviewing the Greatest Generation.
- NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Bobby Jindal, Governor of the State of Louisiana, do hereby proclaim August 14, 2015, as

KEEP THE SPIRIT OF '45 ALIVE DAY
in the State of Louisiana.



Attest By
The Governor


Secretary of State

*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set
my hand officially and caused to be affixed the
Great Seal of the State of Louisiana, at the
Capitol, in the City of Baton Rouge, on this
the 14th day of August
A. D., 2015*


Governor of Louisiana