



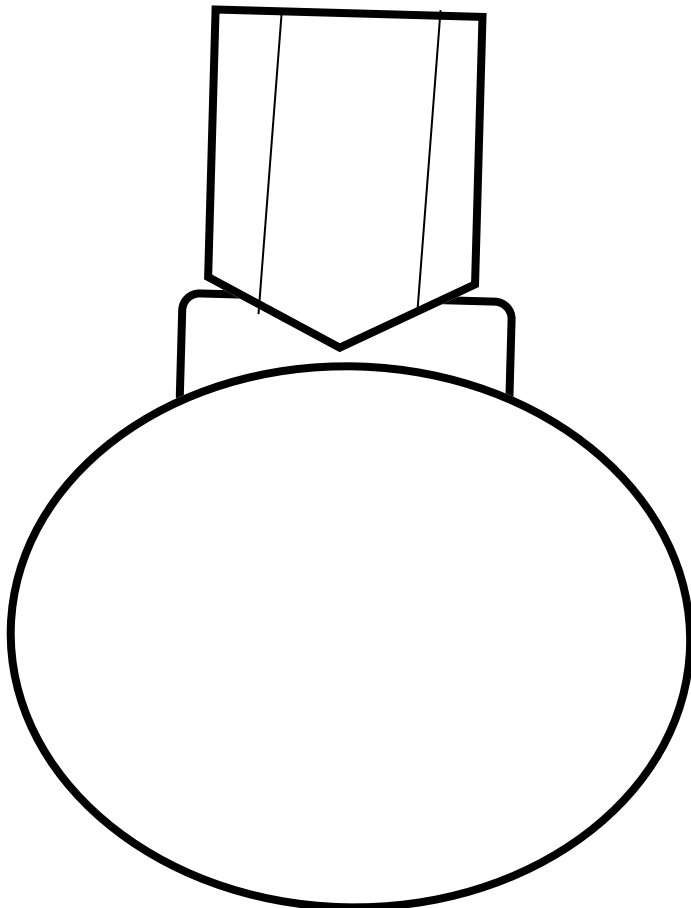
Welcome to Spike Dino's daily post for children learning from home.

**As it's VE Day we thought we'd revisit this activity celebrating Heroes .**

### **HEROES; Bob the Dog—first dog given the Dickin Medal.**

Our first object is our model of Bob the dog. He was the first dog to receive the Dickin medal – the animal's Victoria Cross, for his service to the 6<sup>th</sup> Battalion, Queens Own Royal West Kent, in Africa. It was awarded on 24<sup>th</sup> March 1944. On the front of the medal it says 'For Gallantry' and 'We also serve' as well as PDSA. On the back it has his name 'Bob the Dog'.

Heroes come in all shapes and sizes. Who is your hero?  
Make or draw a medal for them today.



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# Spike's Daily Activity



Here's a larger version you could put in your window to celebrate our Heroes.

