

Message from Mrs Millsop:

Reception children enjoyed a visit from our PCSO, Emma Harriman and her colleague this week. They learnt about how the Police service helps us and the children loved looking at the Police car which she brought into school. This topic is also supporting the children's understanding of the concept of Service which we are exploring in our collective worship.

Year 1 & 2 children were visited by children's author, Tee Dobinson. Tee has written 'The Tower Bridge Cat' which the children have been reading in class. Through this visit, children learned about the many jobs involved in publishing a book. Children were shown how a book is edited and evolves from initial ideas to final proof and were interested to learn about an author's life too.

W/C 1st May	W/C 8th May	W/C 15th May
M Bank Holiday	M Bank Holiday	M Year 6 Residential to
Т	T Year 5 Residential to	Pencelli
W	Youlbury Year 6 SATs	Т
T Nursery Closed	W	W Yr R open to Parents
F Coronation Encounter	Т	Т
Day	F	F

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Volunteers: A huge thank you to Mrs Kimber and her team of volunteers from Nationwide. The group worked tirelessly to carry out some jobs outside, including refreshing the painting and areas outside Reception and Year 1 and dismantling much of the 'fort' which will help us get it ready for playtime use in the coming months. As ever, these hours of help are invaluable.

Reception: Parents are welcome to come into your child's class at 9am on Wednesday 17th. The Early Years Team will then talk to parents afterwards about learning in Reception.

Values: SERVICE

This week we have been thinking about giving service in our community. We have talked about the charity Julia's House who run a children's hospice in Devizes. We have held a non-uniform day to raise money for the hospice and will also be taking part in The Big Dog Art Trail. St Francis will have it's very own decorated pup that will be part of this trail. Details of the trail and where you will find the finished St Francis pup will follow shortly! Thank you for all your support for this fantastic charity.