

Reception Class Newsletter

On Monday, the children had a visit from our community police officers. They came in to talk to the children about the job they do and how they help in our local community. The children were very impressed with the police car and loved hearing the siren (which unfortunately got stuck on when it was sounded and lasted for half an hour!)

In literacy, the children recalled from the police visit and recorded a response in their writing book. Some of the children heard and recorded sounds in words and other children simply made marks using emergent writing.

During topic work, the children have been learning about 'Poppy day' and why everyone wears poppies. The children shared their happy and sad memories during circle time. These memories were put in a special poppy box and have been shared, with permission, with the rest of the class.

In maths, we have been estimating quantities. We talked about making an 'educated guess' and not just plucking a number from the air. The children were very close when they estimated how many.

Dates for your diary



Thursday 16th November – Christmas Tree Decoration Workshop. The children will be creating decorations to hang on our tree at Wesley Place. The midday assistants have been invited to come along and help us.



Friday 17th November 2017 – Remember to "Wear it Spotty" to support Children in Need. (See separate letter)



Monday 27th November 2017 – The children will be walking to Wesley Place to watch a 'Nativity' puppet show. They will also have the chance to look at our Christmas tree wearing their decorations.

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Children sometimes say things that make us smile, they do clever things that they haven't done before, they may help in some way or achieve something new outside of school. 'Wow' moments are a little note used to record those impressive moments. We are inviting parents and carers to record 'Wow' moments and send them into school to share with the class.

We will send a sheet of blank 'Wow' notes to help you get started. Remember to send one in every now and then for your child.

Holiday Homework

We have been very impressed with all of the 'People Who Help Us' homework sent in for 'Show and Tell' this week. The children were excited to show and talk about their individual projects. The homework looks wonderful on display around the classroom. Thank you so much for your support.



Next week the children are welcome to bring in something of their own choice for 'Show and Tell' (See Show and Tell Rota for more details)

Super store

Winter Woollies

We are starting to have some chilly days lately. Please make sure your child has a hat, gloves and scarf to wear during our outdoor activities. Let's keep those coughs and colds at bay! *Please ensure all garments are clearly labelled.*



Enjoy the weekend and we will see you all on Monday,

Mrs Rogers, Mrs Cheadle, Mrs Thompson and Miss Lewington ☺