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## CLARKDALE TAKES PART IN ARIZONA'S 4th ANNUAL CITIES AND TOWNS WEEK

The Town of Clarkdale joined municipalities across the state of Arizona in recognizing the League of Arizona Cities and Towns' fourth annual *Cities & Towns Week* on October 16-22, 2005. Participating in *Cities & Towns Week* offers our community an important opportunity to join together with cities across the state to highlight local government's essential contribution to our citizen's daily lives.

To celebrate this week, students from the Clarkdale-Jerome School toured town facilities to learn about municipal government. Students met the Mayor, explored the Clark Memorial Library, sprayed fire hoses, and met K-9 Officer Russell and his handler Sergeant Wylie.

The purpose of *Cities & Towns Week* is to encourage communities; elected officials, citizens, youth and city and town service workers to interact and celebrate superior delivery of the services that better their quality of life. This week is set aside each year to provide citizens with important information about the services and programs provided by their city/town, and to introduce the employees that deliver them.

Citizens may get involved by nominating a Town employee that he or she feels delivers exceptional service. If there is a Town employee that has made your day or whose service you really appreciate, its not too late recognize him or her for Cities and Towns Week. Just mail in the form from the September edition of the Talk of the Town, stop by Town Hall or, call Joyce Driscoll, Admin. Services Director/Town Clerk (928) 634-9591 or email (joyced@clarkdale.az.us) with the employee's name and why you want to recognize the employee.