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# Toy News February 2010

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## Thank you Thank you.....

### Congratulations to Sian !

Sian our Secretary has given at least 2 years service with our little group and is now putting us on hold to have a baby! Sian is a real strength to us and we shall miss her. We wish her and her Husband all the very best and send lots of love to them and their New addition!



To all those who are supporting our little library and coming along each session to either lend a hand or just for fun! xxxx

A Huge Thank's to Alicia and Lesley! I think we can safely say, these two are more than helpful and thank them for their support! Xx

Thank you to...

### Sliver Birches Children's Centre

Jennifer and Pippa are our CC ladies that organize our Craft Table and support our group as best they can. They also have sessions of their own at St Catherine's School Park Road.

## Our main Goals this Year.....

We think you can agree that Toy Library has come a very long way this past year and not without it's knocks and bumps, it has become more widely talked about and we are gaining new members each session.

We have more new toys and we are in the process of purchasing new ones!

A large percentage of Toys come from Herts

County Supplies. These are of good quality and are expensive. Please take care of them!

We'd like to see more members join this year and are increasing our stock of toys to a wider age range. Baby toys are in the pipe line too!

We intend to keep the ladies from Sliver Birches CC as their Craft Table is increasingly popular!

A free toy for Birthday Children should be coming soon! We've so much to improve it will take time.

Please do add your ideas into our book (at check out desk) or onto our Facebook page.

*Thank you xx*

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### DATES FOR DIRAY

- ☺ Mon Feb 22nd
- ☺ Mon March 8th
- ☺ Easter Session  
March 22nd
- ☺ Mon April 26th
- ☺ AGM Mon 10th May

EASTER  
We will be  
having an  
Easter Egg hunt  
and other  
Easter  
activities on  
our last session  
Before the  
school break



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## A Warm Welcome to

all our New Members  
We're pleased you are enjoying your time with us on a Monday, if there is anything you're unsure of, please do ask us!

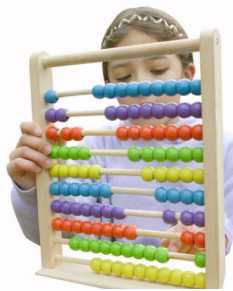
## NOW fortnightly!

From January 2010 our group shall meet every 2 weeks. Please check our dates on the Web, FB, or each time you visit as so not to miss out!

We send emails too please check we have your address *Thanks xx*

## Stock and Toy Sales

After our little Stock Take session last month we have lots of old toys that are now available for sale. These are in the cage next to our booking in desk and all we ask is that a reasonable donation is given in exchange. Smaller items in our Bargain Box are 10p each!



## A Little Reminder.....

Please please bring your toys back on time as it's unfair on the Children to wait for popular items.

**There is a Charge for Overdue toys. Subject to change...**

## **Hertfordshire Toy Library Network Week**

Many other Toy Libraries across Herts will be having little events to promote what we do, from Mon Feb 22 to Fri 26th, our nearest are Hertford and Watton At Stone.

"It was my first session back since Christmas and really enjoyed the company!"

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## GrassRoots Success!

With help from our CVS Faye Muir and Nigel Poulton. WTL have been funded £3000 to spend on New Toys, Stationary, leaflets, display board and a whole load more! Part of this funding is also used to pay for our hall hire. This is a huge Success for WTL and has given us the boost we so really need! And has given us the confidence to apply to other Organizations for more money!

It took time and effort and lots of photocopying but we are sure you'll agree WELL WORTH IT!

## First Table Top sale!

Pauline has been itching to sell a few items from home, at our next session please take a look she may well have something you like!



YOUR SPACE! Advertise your group or something to say here!

Our Toy Catalogue is always being updated and is available to view online and a hard copy is also held at Ash Valley CC.

## **Volunteers**

As Sian has now taken time out. will need your help to be Patient with us at sessions.

*Thank you xx*

Wodson Park have increased our hall hire and we will do our best not to pass this on.

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