



DVTL News

September 2009

TOY LIBRARY SALE MAKES PROFIT

The Diamond Valley Toy Library held its annual toy sale in early August. The sale is the library's major fundraiser for the year. This year, we made a total profit of \$1,677. This money will be used to buy new toys and replace worn stock.

THANKS FOR YOUR HELP

The sale would not have been possible without many people doing a lot of work behind-the-scenes and on the day. A massive thank you goes to Heidi Richards, the 2009 sale coordinator, for putting in months of work to make it run smoothly on the day.

Thanks also to members Annette and Sue and all committee members and their families who helped to make the sale a success. Thank you to the real estate companies (Barry Plant – Bundoora, Mill Park, South Morang & Diamond Valley Harcourts) who helped promote our event with real estate boards across Nillumbik and Whittlesea. And finally thanks to Woolworths and Bakers Delight for their vouchers.

TOY BONANZA COMING

The Diamond Valley Toy Library committee voted to spend a further \$3,500 to buy new toys, replace worn stock and to update our toy collection. This is in addition to \$1,500 spent on new toys in July. Larger toys are being replaced and new toys include another small slide, a buggy, a rocking horse, a new musical set, puzzles, games and construction toys for kids of all ages. Look out for new toys in the library early in Term 4.

NEW BORROWING CAP OF FOUR TOYS

Our toy library is proving popular and we now have more than 100 members. We want to ensure that there are great toys for

everyone in the current cupboard space at the toy library. Members may now borrow a maximum of four toys.

WOOLWORTHS: WHAT GREAT SPORTS

Woolworths awarded our toy library with \$500 to buy a sports pack. The new pack contains assorted sports games, including Crazy Catch, Bucket Blast and Soccer Target Shot Training Set.

NO FEE FOR PARTY PACK OR SPORTS PACK

The party pack, which includes potato sacks, a tunnel, parachute, egg and spoon race, bean bags, stepping stones and book of party games, can now be hired by members for free. To book the sports or party set, please call Meloney on 9440 1866.

MEET OTHER MEMBERS AT A SOCIAL EVENT

Get to know other toy library members at Kalparrin Gardens, Greensborough, on Monday 12 October, 9.30am – 12noon.

SECOND RUN OF TOY CATALOGUE ORDERS

If you'd like to order quality educational toys take a look at our fundraising catalogues. The toy library receives up to 20 per cent in credit vouchers of the total value of all your orders. We sent off a batch of orders in September and will send a second batch of orders soon. **Please return** your toy catalogue order form and payment to the toy library by **Friday, 30th October**.

DVTL is located at: Yarra Plenty Regional Library, Diamond Valley Branch
Civic Drive, Greensborough
Opening Hours: Tuesday 7.00-8.15 pm,
(School terms only) Friday 10.30-11.45 am
Now open every Saturday in Term 4 10.30-11.45am.
Contact us at: www.diamondvalleytoylibrary.org.au or
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