



DVTL News

July 2010

SAUSAGE SALE A SUCCESS

Snag-eating DIYers helped us raise \$1250 for the toy library. The toy library held a sausage sizzle at Eltham Bunnings on Sunday 18 April. The money raised will buy new toys for the library.

Thank you to all those who helped on the day. And thanks especially to Nicole L who organised the event.

CAN YOU COOK A SNAG FOR US?

Due to the success of the sausage sizzle at Eltham Bunnings, we have booked in another two sausage sizzles at Bunnings Thomastown. These will be our main fundraisers this year. They will replace the Toy and Baby Goods Sale as our main fundraiser.

We need your help to help us raise money by flipping a snag or two. Our next two fundraisers will be held on:

- Saturday 25 September
- Sunday 21 November

Please call us on 0439 036 144 to help out.

NEED A HAND FOR A PARTY?

The toy library has party packs available for kids' parties. There is no fee to hire the pack, which includes potato sacks, a tunnel, parachute, egg and spoon race, bean bags, stepping stones and book of party games. Call Mel on 9440 1866 to book the pack.

SPORTS PACK AVAILABLE TOO

Last year, we won a Woolworths Grant to create a sports pack. The games include Crazy Catch, Bucket Blast, and Soccer Target Shot Training Set. The pack is worth \$500 and there is no fee to hire it. Call Mel on 9440 1866 to book.

RIDE THE BIG SLIDE

A reminder that you can borrow a big slide. It is too big to store at the library. Book it by calling Jessy on 9434 3701.

OPEN EVERY SATURDAY

We will be open every Saturday of school terms from 10.30am to 11.45am for the rest of 2010 following a successful trial.

NEAR MISS

Last term, a heavy box filled with construction toys fell from the top of the cupboard. Fortunately, nobody was injured.

As a result of this near-miss, the construction and costumes cupboard has been reorganised. The heavy construction toys are now stored at the bottom of the cupboard and the costumes have been moved off the hanging rail to the top of the cupboard.

Please take care when moving toys. Remember that heavy items should be stored at the bottom of shelves and make sure toys are not going to fall on children or adults if you move them about.

SWAPPING A DUTY IS EASY

The DVTL is a volunteer organisation and runs on time donated by members. If you can't make a duty, you will need to arrange with another member to swap duties. Once you have done this, let the Responsible Person on Duty know. The library only works if every helps out and does their bit.

DVTL is located at: Yarra Plenty Regional Library, Diamond Valley Branch, Civic Drive, Greensborough.

Opening Hours: School terms only: Tuesday 7.00-8.15 pm, Friday 10.30-11.45 am, Saturday 10.30-11.45am.

Contact us at: www.diamondvalleytoylibrary.org.au or 0439 036 144

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