

Reading moms



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A story-reading workshop for mothers and their children was held under the trees at Greyton Library recently where the importance of reading to one's children was explained:

- ☺ the development of language skills
- ☺ stimulates concentration
- ☺ strengthens communication between parent and child
- ☺ it develops the imagination
- ☺ and, of course it is fun.

A story was read to the children, after which each mother and child chose a story-book from library stock to read to her child. It was great to see the animation and enthusiasm with which some of the mothers read to their little ones.

Tea and cake, provided by the Friends of the Library Book Club, was served and four mothers won 'lucky dip' books donated by the Western Cape Provincial Library Service.

Lastly each mother and child received a packet of children's books donated by Biblionef. Biblionef packs, together with Biblionef's excellent guidelines to create a love of reading, have been distributed to five pre-primary schools and crèches in Greyton. Thank you Biblionef and Western Cape Public Library Service for this wonderful outreach activity in our area!