

# SURBITON NEIGHBOURHOOD LIBRARIES

## Newsletter Spring 2010

After a long winter we are finally seeing a little spring sunshine and we are pleased with a great programme of events for our members at both Tolworth and Surbiton Libraries. Hopefully you will have had a chance to see and enjoy the new look in the main part of Surbiton and have got to grips with the self-service.

### Children's NEWS

#### Surbiton

The **Under-fives Storytime** is held on **Mondays, 2.15 – 2.45pm.**

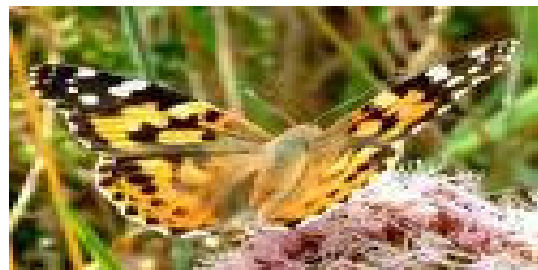
The **0-3 year olds Rhymetime** is held on **Tuesdays, 10.15 – 11.15am. Term-time only**

<p><b>Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> April</b> 10:30 – 12:00 pm.</p>	<p><b>Down on the Farm.</b> Hats, masks and models of your favourite farmyard animals. All ages. Tickets £1.</p>
<p><b>Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April</b> 10:30 -12:00 pm.</p>	<p><b>Out in the Garden</b> Make a giant caterpillar! All ages. Tickets £1. Library Annex Large Hall.</p>

#### Tolworth

Tolworth **Under-fives Story and Rhyme time** session, including simple craft activities, continue on a **Wednesday 10.30-11.15am.**

<p><b>Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> April</b> 10-5pm</p>	<p><b>Spring Watch</b> British Wildlife inspired craft Pre-book 1 hour sessions £1. Ages 5-12</p>
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## Youth NEWS

### Surbiton

**Homework Club**, aimed at **8-14 year olds**. Free and exclusive use of the IT room for homework. A limited amount of free printing is available. **Tuesdays 4.00 until 5.15pm. Term time only.**

**Book Chat** for 11 – 16 year olds. **Second Saturday** of each month from **10.30-11.30**. Please contact **Kate Priestley**, Youth Librarian [kate.priestley@rbk.kingston.gov.uk](mailto:kate.priestley@rbk.kingston.gov.uk)

### Tolworth

**Homework club**, exclusive IT room access, as at Surbiton, runs term time on Wednesdays **4.00 until 5.15pm**.

**Book Chat** for 13 - 18 year olds Please contact **Vanessa Howe**, Tolworth Youth Librarian, if you are interested. [vanessa.howe@rbk.kingston.gov.uk](mailto:vanessa.howe@rbk.kingston.gov.uk)

## Adult NEWS

### Tolworth

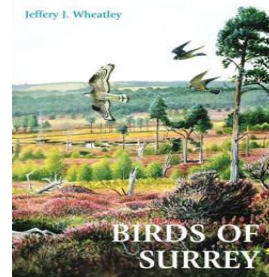


**'Tracing your Heroes and Black Sheep'** is a four-week beginner's course into tracing your family history by

**Caroline Lang** at **Tolworth Library**. The sessions will cover birth, marriage and death indexes and census records including using the **'Ancestry'** website which is available free through **Kingston Libraries Online Reference** room. The sessions will also include some information about parish and military records and details of other family history websites available.

Pre booking is essential and you must have basic computer skills. Course cost £20.

<b>Friday 30<sup>th</sup> April</b>	2.30 – 4.30pm
<b>Friday 7<sup>th</sup> May</b>	2.30 – 4.30pm
<b>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> May</b>	2.30 – 4.30pm
<b>Friday 21<sup>st</sup> May</b>	2.30 – 4.30pm

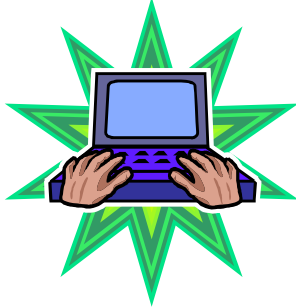


### 'Birds of Surrey Presentation'

We are delighted to hosts an evening with the author **Jeffery Wheatley**. On **Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> April** from **7pm** at **Tolworth Library**. Jeffery will be giving a presentation and leading a discussion on the 'Birds of Surrey', followed by an opportunity to purchase a signed copy of the book. Tickets cost £2 including a welcome drink, pre-booked at the library.

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## Learning in Libraries



Please book all IT courses in advance, as spaces are limited. If you have any queries regarding these sessions please ask a member of Library staff or contact

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Tolworth	Surbiton
<b>Creating a simple presentation in powerpoint. (£3)</b> Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> April 9.45 - 11.45	<b>It's Never too Late to Learn Course</b> Weeks 1 - 4 (£24) <b>Week 1</b> Wed 21 <sup>st</sup> Apr 9.45-11.45am <b>Week 2</b> Wed 28 <sup>th</sup> Apr 9.45-11.45am <b>Week 3</b> Wed 5 <sup>th</sup> May 9.45-11.45am <b>Week 4</b> Wed 12 <sup>th</sup> May 9.45-11.45am
<b>Introduction to database (£3)</b> Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 9.45-11.45	
<b>Online Shopping (£3)</b> Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> April 9.45-11.45	
<b>Managing Files and Folders (£1.50)</b> Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> May 9.45-11.45	
<b>Introduction to Excel (£3)</b> Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> May 9.45- 11.45	<b>Back to Work and ECDL</b> Free drop-in sessions Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April 10 – 11.30am Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> May 10 – 11.30am Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> May 10 – 11.30am Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> June 10 – 11.30am Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> June 10 – 11.30am
<b>Intro Powerpoint (£3)</b> Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> May 9.45- 11.45	
<b>Back to Work</b> Free drop-in sessions Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> and 18 <sup>th</sup> March 2.15-3.45pm Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> and 15 <sup>th</sup> April 2.15-3.45pm Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> and 20 <sup>th</sup> May 2.15-3.45pm	

*\*Students should be able to use a mouse.*

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 020 8547 6470