

# Coming Soon - Dates and Events To Remember

## S.U.R.G Elections

It's that exciting time again ... S.U.R.G elections ... I can not believe where the last two years have gone? Anyway, the S.U.R.G facilitators want to say a huge thank you to all the members who have served on the group for the last two years. They have shown such commitment, dedication, enthusiasm and professionalism ... the list is endless ... so thank you.

In this Newsletter, there is a voting pack to decide who will be the successful candidates for 2008-2010 S.U.R.G subgroups. The pack will tell you who has been nominated and what you need to do. This is an opportunity for you to decide who represents you on the S.U.R.G subgroups. All completed voting forms need to be sent to SoLO no later than the 29<sup>th</sup> October 2008.

We will announce who the successful candidates are at the Annual Revue on the 18<sup>th</sup> November 2008, at the Solihull Arts Complex.

We would like to say thank you to everyone who has taken part in this year's elections and wish all the nominees the best of luck.

SURG Elections  
Vote for your SURG  
representatives by  
29 October



## Wills and Trusts

Advice Workshop for Carers (run by Mencap)

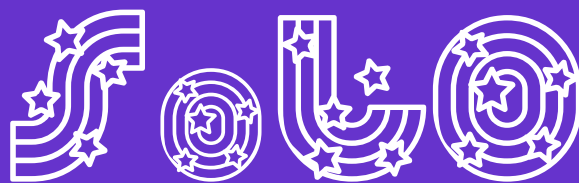
**Date:** Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

**Time:** 12.30 – 2.30 pm

**Place:** Solihull Arts Complex

For more information call 020 7696 6925

## Team Day For Staff – 1<sup>st</sup> November



# 18<sup>th</sup> December

## Shirley Community Centre

### 7.30 to 11.00pm

## A Year In The Life Of SoLO

Our Annual Revue

**Date:** Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November

**Time:** 6.00 – 9.00 pm (including buffet supper)

**Place:** The Studio, Solihull Arts Complex

SoLO can never be accused of being boring! Last year we had "Sofa Time" and this year we are taking a "seasoned" approach to celebrating SoLO's events and activities over the past year.

In the spotlight will be SURG happenings, the Summer Play schemes, Arts Projects, Person Centred Approaches, Training, Fundraising - and much more!

There is a letter of invitation and reply slip enclosed with this newsletter. Do let us know if you can come so that we can sort out the catering! Looking forward to seeing you!

SoLO have their Annual Revue meeting  
18th November at the Arts Complex

## Another Successful Ball

180 people gathered at the St John's Hotel and raised over **£9,000** at a glamorous fundraising ball. Guests were entertained by opera singer Michael Pardoe, Vivo - our wonderful band who support us each year, Tabari and Sophie ballroom dancing, Dave our auctioneer, the Oya batucada Samba band and Jan, Pete & Val providing Jazz delights at the drinks reception. Thanks to all who contributed to a wonderful evening.

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