

## February Staff Picks

### Pretty Plush and Fun Activities Will Keep Kids Entertained

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You'll soon be making your own picks from the hundreds of new products debuting at the American International Toy Fair and other trade shows early this year. In the meantime, we've put together a brief list of specialty options for you to browse — new games, baby toys, precious plush and more that have caught our collective eye over the past couple of months:

*(No manufacturer paid to be included in this article. All products listed were chosen by editorial staff without regard to the company's relationship with ToyDirectory.com/TDmonthly Magazine.)*

#### **Teen Talk** by **AROUND THE TABLE®**



Created by teens, for teens, this set of 50 diverse questions is sure to spark some colorful conversations. The cool carabiner clip attaches to backpacks, sports bags and overnight bags. Launch date: February 15, 2009. 1/9/2009 (Price: \$7.99; Age: 13 to 17)