

SRC ODD DAY

Wednesday
7th November
Gold Coin
Donation and
Coin Line

BOUNCE BACK

Unhelpful
thinking
makes you
feel more
upset.

Think again.

ARE YOU LEAVING TOLLAND PUBLIC SCHOOL?

Please let your class-
room teacher know in
writing if you are leaving
the school especially if
you are moving interstate
so that the office can
keep our records up to
date.

Thanks for
your
assistance.



FRUIT & VEGIES WEEK

WEEK 6 - TUESDAY 13TH NOVEMBER 2012

We are selling healthy choices for recess.

A trestle will be set up with food from 40c - \$2.00/plate.

Try a **No Wrapper Day** in your child's lunch box. (No chips, bars etc.)

Encourage your children to try something new, make good choices!



KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION 2013

The children from Bimbi Preschool will be visiting the Kindergarten classrooms beginning on Monday 29th October.

Parent Information sessions are to be held at Bimbi Preschool on:-

Tuesday 13th November at 9.15am

Thursday 15th November at 9.15am



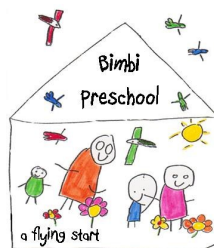
Please bring birth certificate & immunisation records to confirm your enrolment.

Come for morning tea, meet your Kindergarten teachers and be prepared to start school in 2013.

BIMBI PRESCHOOL ORIENTATION FOR 2013

Enrolments are currently being taken for 2013
Places are limited so please ensure you enrol your child as soon as possible.

A Parent Information Session
will be held at Bimbi Preschool on
Wednesday 21st November at 9.30am.



TEDDY BEARS PICNIC

Sunday 18 November 2012

Botanical Gardens Wagga Wagga

10.00am - 3.00pm

Proceeds to Ronald McDonald House
Incorporating 93.1 StarFM Kids Kottage

Bring along your favourite Teddy and have a picnic in the gardens

Free Entry for All Ages

- * Traditional Games & Fun
- * Teddy Bear Parade & Prizes
- * Jumping Castle & Bags
- * Sausage Sizzle & Coffee



Our target this year

Attendance Wk 3 - T4

Attendance this year



90%

87.2%

Term 2 2012 -

88.2%

Term 3 2012 -

87.7%



Principal
Matthew Gray

Assistant Principals
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Term Dates

Term 4, 2012:

Monday 8th October –
Wednesday 19th
December 2012

Tolland Public School

School Newsletter

We acknowledge the Wiradjuri people and recognise the strength, resilience and capacity of Aboriginal people in our community.

Week 4 Term 4

Tuesday 30th October 2012

Principal's Message

Dear parents,

The term continues to gain momentum and the busy period is just about upon us. The NAIDOC Cup has started with two great wins for our teams. Swim School begins next week and students will be involved in a range of assessment activities over the next three weeks as staff begin to collect information for end of semester reports. Please ensure that your child is coming to school regularly so as not to miss any of these important assessment activities.

Swim School

There has been a fantastic response to our Swim School this term. We now have 60 students participating in the two week program which begins next week. It is really pleasing that so many families have taken this opportunity for their children to attend the program and improve their swimming skills.

Instructional Leader Evaluation

Last week we were involved in evaluating our K-2 teaching programs after our Instructional Leader, Mrs Tracey Smith, was appointed to the school. K-2 staff were involved in class observations and interviews by the visiting evaluation team, along with different kinds of data that we collect on students. The process provides us with recommendations around the areas that will continue to improve student learning opportunities. It was a great process and we look forward to receiving the full report.

2014 Selective High School Applications

Selective high schools cater for high achieving, academically gifted students. Year 5 students will be receiving information today. Applications close on 19th November 2012.

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)

On Monday, the staff, students and parents at our morning assembly met our new mascot for the PBL program we are introducing next year. Our friendly bee will be involved in supporting the program and will make many visits to school activities particularly during the introduction phase. Students will be involved in learning around our three core values of respect, responsibility and care and co-operation. The PBL committee have been working tirelessly over the year to have the school ready to launch the program.

Have a great week

Matthew Gray

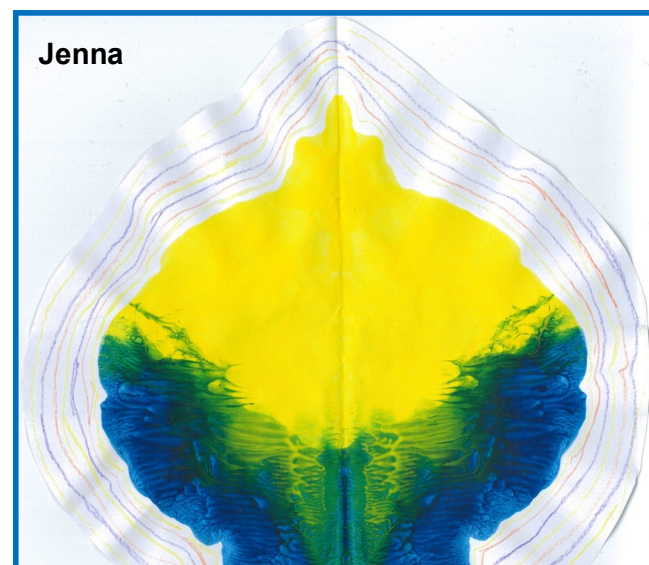
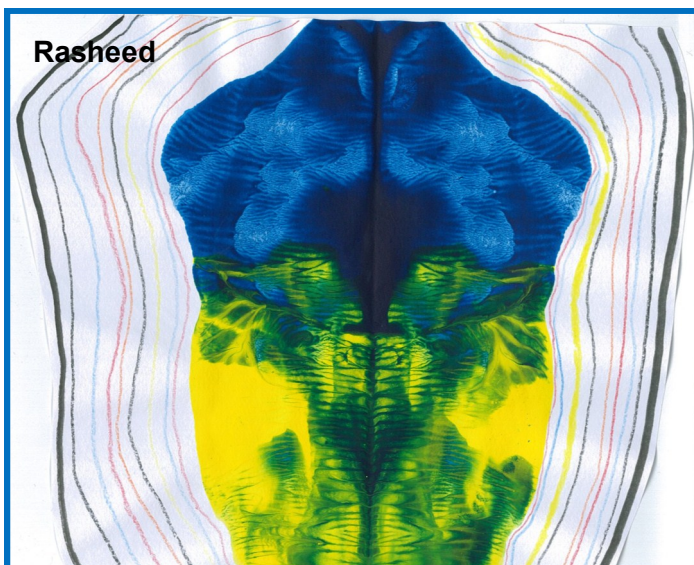
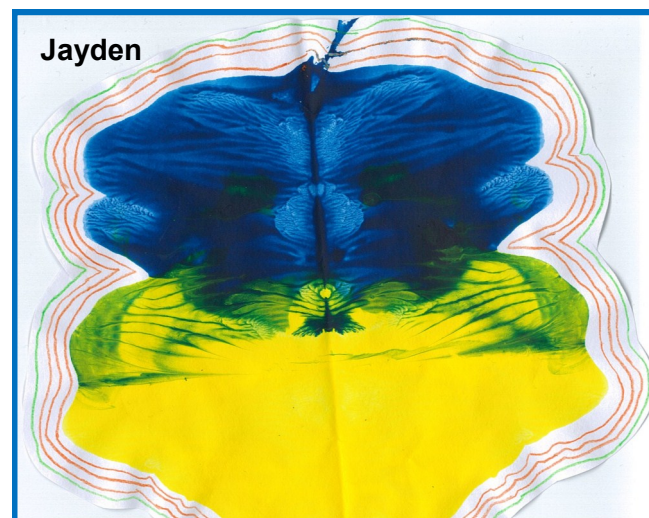
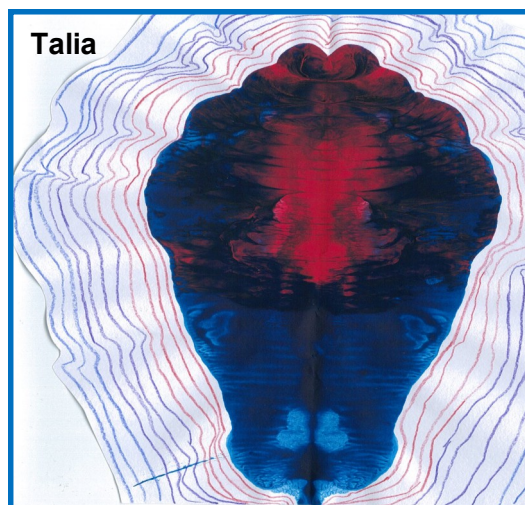


Dates to Remember

Mon 5th Nov - 16th Nov

Yrs 2-6 School Swim Scheme

3-6P Art Work



YEAR 7 SELECTIVE PLACEMENT IN 2014

Application Information Booklets are now available in the front office for Year 5 students wishing to apply for Selective Placement.

Parents will be able to apply online between 16th October and 19th November 2012.

Merit Awards

Kelissa K	Alicia M	Martisha H	Cooper H
Laura H	Kyana P	Clayton D	Suhraya T
Kylie R	Kirsty C	Tamika P	Chevy H
Tilly K	Kaedyn Q	Talia N	Tre W
Terrel M	Chloe R	Preston F	Catherine C
Nathaniel G	Milika T	Peter B	Chloe R
Jesse D	Jerridine K	Wajih I	Mikayla K
Joshua G	Ebonie C		

Weekly Social Skills

Leslie C	Luke C	Mason T	Harley B
Justen M	Alexcia G	Luke S	Nathan K
Chloe M	Tye F	Olivia C	Mark W
Karl N	Riley H		



Home Reading Awards

Club 25

Charlie A

Club 75

Mikayla K

Club 150

Molly C

Club 175

Lochlan M
Paul P



Bimbi Preschool Update

Bimbi vegetable garden...

We were recently successful in obtaining a 'little greenie grant' from the Wagga Wagga City Council for \$500. The grant is for an environmental project involving sustainability. We have established a garden bed and have planted lots of yummy vegetables. We also purchased some more herbs and some colourful flowers. Mr Bush donated a worm farm so we will be able to recycle our food scraps as food for the worms, creating wonderful soil for our garden. The children love to spend time gardening and it is exciting to harvest our own food. Our strawberry plants are growing nicely and a few children have been able to taste one of their very own strawberries, while the rest of us wait patiently for ours to bear fruit.

