

SCHOOL JACKET



Fully lined Spray Jacket
Price: \$49.95

Sample on display at the Front Office

AVAILABLE AT LOWES

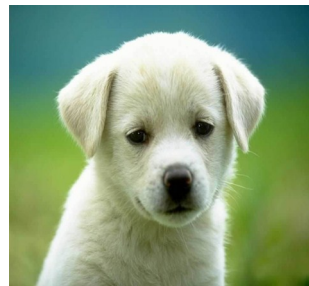
LOST PROPERTY BOX

If you have any missing items please come and check the blue Lost Property Boxes which are kept in the front foyer.



Pet Care

Carmen and her dog "Zita" will be visiting Tolland Public School on Thursday 16th May, to talk to K-2 students about Pet Care. Please let your classroom teacher know if your child is scared of dogs or has any allergies.



SCABIES

WHAT TO LOOK FOR:

- Small red threads, or "tracks," under the skin in soft areas, such as the armpit, elbow, finger webbing, abdomen or genital area
- Redness, swelling and blisters which cause severe itching, especially at night

WHAT TO DO:

- Contact your doctor or pediatrician immediately for a diagnosis
- Soak in no-soap, lukewarm baths to soothe the itch
- Trim fingernails and/or cover hands with socks or gloves to prevent scratching
- Use antihistamines to relieve the itch
- Wash bed and bath linens in hot soapy water or have dry cleaned. Begin 48 hours before treatment is started.
- Pregnant women and infants should consult a doctor if exposed
- If symptoms become severe, contact your doctor for medication

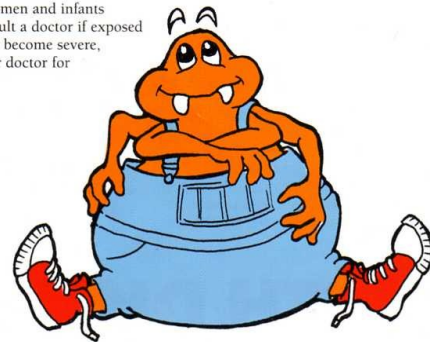
Scabies are tiny mites that burrow under the skin and lay eggs. Mites are passed to other children through direct physical contact. Scabies "tracks" appear 2-6 weeks after exposure. Symptoms can last up to 20 days after initial infestation.

WHEN TO GO BACK TO SCHOOL:

Children may return to school after treatment has begun

MEDICATION REMINDER:

Always send medication to school nurse in its original container with a note from a parent or guardian.



Head lice has reared its itchy & ugly head once more. This is a problem for many students in all schools.

Please check your child's hair regularly and treat if required.



Dates to Remember

Tuesday 14th May - Thursday 16th May	Years 3 & 5 NAPLAN
Tuesday 21st May	MAHS Taster Day
Wednesday 22nd May	Athletics Carnival
Thursday 23rd May	Mortimer Shield



Beanies - \$4.00
Available from the Front Office



Our target this year

Attendance last week

Attendance this year



90%

89.5%

(Term 1 2013- 90.52%)



Tolland Public School

School Newsletter

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

Week 3 Term 2

Tuesday 14th May 2013

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Matthew Gray

Assistant Principals

Kathryn Harriott
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Term Dates
Term 2 2013:
Wednesday 1st May 2013 —
Friday 28th June 2013

Principal's Message



Dear parents,

It has been pleasing that so many parents have taken the opportunity to come and meet with staff and their children as part of our interview program. These opportunities allow for positive discussion around what the students have achieved to date. I have heard many positive comments from both parents and staff about the interviews and we will be scheduling these again in late Term 3.

School Uniform

It has been a very wet start to the week and a good reminder that the cold weather is just around the corner. Now is a great time to make sure that last year's winter clothes still fit. If you have any clothes that no longer fit, please consider donating these to our clothing pool. Don't forget school beanies are also available from the school office for only \$4!

NAPLAN

As you are aware, all students in Years 3 and 5 will be sitting the National Assessment Program in Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) this week from Tuesday to Thursday. The assessments will occur in the morning and the schedule includes:
Tuesday – *Language Conventions and Writing (Persuasive Writing Text)*
Wednesday – *Reading*
Thursday – *Numeracy*

There will be some changes in class routines during these sessions so that spaces can be provided for the assessments. Please remind your child we will be providing a breakfast for all Year 3 and 5 students (available from the canteen), to ensure that the students are well prepared.

Stationery Check

Have you checked your child's pencil case lately? If not, it would be a good idea to make sure they have all the items needed such as pencils, glue sticks, sharpeners etc. By Term 2, many of these items may have either been used or misplaced. It is important that students come equipped and ready to learn each day. If you are unsure about the items your child needs, ask your child's teacher.

Visitor And Volunteer Reminder To Sign In

We love our helpers being valued members of our school. It is a Work, Health and Safety requirement for everyone to sign in and out each day so that we know who and how many people are on the school site. Many thanks for your assistance with this.

Have a great week.

Matthew Gray

5-6P News



Students from 5/6P have been doing many experiments in Science learning about light and its uses.

Mr Craig Pitchford



Stewart House Day

A great big thank you to everyone who supported Stewart House Day on Friday. Support was by way of purchasing balls, adding to a coin line or donating via the envelope. Let's hope someone from Tolland wins the holiday this year. Amount raised will be published in next weeks newsletter.



Merit Awards

Kayden Ht	Abbigail S	Jessica K	Ashton C
Terrel M	Kelissa K	Alexcia G	Tye B
Jayden M	Tatum W	Jerridine K	Kirsty C
Caleb H	Lili G	Jackson D	Ethan M
Peter B	Maleek T	Shayne S	

Weekly Social Awards

Tyla M	Kyleatia S	Charlotte S	Ethan H
Malaki H	Makenzie-Lee M	Ebony G	Toby B
Charlotte G	Omid R	Amber L	Kuliah P
Rhys K	Meah C	Corey M	Talia N
Cody M	Noah E		



Home Reading Awards

Club 25	Tara K	Caleb H	Tallum H
Nathaniel G	Nick W	Toby B	Caleb H
Club 50	Charlize K	Nathaniel G	Rhys K
Ella-Rose K	Tyra-Lee M	Club 75	Sarah B
Talia N	Abbigail S	Corey M	Lochlan M
Isaac C	Abby K	Islah K	Mikayla K



Athletics Carnival

The Tolland Public School Athletics Carnival is on Wednesday 22nd May. If there are any family members that would like to volunteer some time to assist with the field events please contact Mr Craig Pitchford.



Any assistance would be greatly appreciated.

Don't forget to pre-order your sausage sizzle lunch.

