

Week 2 Term 2

Thursday 8th May 2014

Weekly Merit Awards			
Kaleel G	Maya M	Tara K	Shayne S
Ella D	Zahra A	Jed K	Jahkobi H
Zjarlie L	Shayne P	Jarna S	Charlize K
Amber B	Breanna S	Talia N	Lydia F
Luke S	Tyron M	Tyson N	
Uniform Award	K/1B	Behaviour Award	5/6C
Weekly PBL Awards			
Kaelani G	Amellia H	Toby B	Molly-Lee H
Jaycee G	Blake O	Asher L	Andrew H
Ethan H	Nathaniel G	Chelsea C	Tallum H
Charlotte G	Isaac L	Ellena L	Sarah I
Corey G	Edward F		
Reading Awards			
Club 25	Club 50	Club 75	
Omid R	Charlotte G	Mereoni T	Stephanie H
Ebony G	Isaac L	Souljah G	
Blaze	Charlize K	Tamika P	
Kai W	Danica H	Olivia C	
Zjarlie L	Kuliah	Ashton C	
	Molly C	Keyarna M	
	Laura H	Toby B	
	Lei-Lei G	Tallum H	

Canteen

Yummy Breakfast!

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next week the canteen will be serving a yummy breakfast to students in Years 3 and 5.  
The canteen will start serving breakfast from 8.45am onwards.



Our target this year

92%

Attendance last week

91%

Attendance this year

(Term 1 2014 - 91%)

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Tolland Public School

School Newsletter

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



Dear parents,

Our school has many visitors on a daily basis who come to Tolland to attend a range of learning activities. One thing they all have in common is that they comment how wonderful the school grounds look. We are extremely fortunate to have a fantastic General Assistant, Mr Harriott, who works tirelessly around the school to make it so appealing for staff and students.

School Uniform

It has been a very cool start to the term 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 uniform still fits. 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! If you are purchasing a jacket, please ensure it is in the school colours.

NAPLAN

Students in Years 3 and 5 will be sitting NAPLAN next week. Students will be assessed in Mathematics, English and Writing over three days. I know that everyone will do their best and the school and their families will be very proud of their efforts and resilience in completing these assessments. NAPLAN results are one aspect used as part of our whole school evaluation program and help inform our planning for student learning success. They do not measure everything that the school does and do not test every aspect of the English and Mathematics Curricula. Parents please keep that in mind as you support your children in their endeavours. Good luck to Year 3 and Year 5. Please ensure that child is at school on the Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week so they can complete all the assessments. 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.

Intention To Apply: Year 5 entry to an Opportunity Class in 2015

Government schools use a range of strategies to meet the educational needs of gifted and talented students. One strategy is opportunity class placement which provides intellectual stimulation and an educationally enriched environment for gifted and talented students. Today every Year 4 student received an Expression of Interest letter explaining the procedure for interested parents or carers to follow when applying for an opportunity class placement. Detailed instructions on how to apply online will be available from Monday 28 April 2014 until Friday 16 May 2014 at: [www.schools.nsw.edu.au/ocplacement](http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/ocplacement)

Matthew Gray

Principal

Congratulations to Tabua and Ayden who have been selected in Riverina Sporting teams (see reports inside)



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Dates to Remember

Friday 9th May	Reward / Fun Day Stewart House Day
Tuesday 13th May—Thursday 15th May	NAPLAN Years 3 & 5 Students
Wednesday 14th May	P&C Pie Drive Orders Due



### BIMBI PRESCHOOL

This week we have received a new addition to our outdoor learning environment. The TAFE have generously donated a cubby house to the preschool. The cubby was designed and constructed as part of the Riverina Institutes' Indigenous Employment Program (IEP). The cubby looks fantastic and it is obvious a lot of time and love has gone into them. We have all been waiting excitedly for the arrival of the cubby and again thank Mr Harriott for his hard work, in creating a base for our new cubby. It is wonderful to be part of such an important community project. Thanks again to the team from the TAFE for this generous piece of equipment which will provide many hours of fun and enjoyment.

### Netball



### Sports Report



On Monday I went to Lauren Jackson Stadium, Albury to trial for the Eastern Riverina Netball team. I was in a team of ten and we played seven games. Throughout these games the selectors came to watch. I played GD, GK, WD. When we finished playing the selectors called out the possibles and probables. The possible and probable teams played each other. When it was finished they decided on a team of 15 players from all the zones including Albury, Cootamundra, The Highlands and Tumut. I got selected as well as two other Wagga girls. We will compete against other Riverina teams to create a final Riverina team. The next trials will be held at Bolton Park Stadium.

Tabua T

### Rugby League

On Friday I played rugby league in Leeton with my Wagga side with Mr Fealy. We played against some very good teams. We lost two games and won two games. The teams were Griffith, Leeton, Young, Cootamundra and Narrendera. I played lock, it was a good position for me. I was selected to go to Cronulla to represent Riverina in Week 6 for 4 days.

Ayden C

## Reward Day

Our playground reward system has been so successful that we have reached the next red line on our Reward Box. This Friday 9th May, the children will take part in a fun sports session as a reward for demonstrating our values in the playground. The children will take part in novelty races and events during the middle session. This will be followed by a special lunch.

### Gold Medal Meal

Bag Hot Chips, Quench Drink and Bag of Lollies \$5.00

### Silver Medal

Bag Hot Chips, Fruit Box and Bag of Lollies

\$3.50

### Bronze Medal Meal

Bag of Hot Chips

\$2.00



Orders for this special lunch need to be into canteen in a sealed envelope with name, lunch order and money by Friday morning 9th May 2014.

## Reminder

There will be a P&C Meeting on  
Thursday 15th of May  
The meeting will be held after the  
assembly.

## Stewart House

Please support Stewart House by purchasing  
High Bounce Handball  
on sale at school on  
Friday 9th May  
\$3.00



## P&C Fundraising Event—Pie Drive

Pies, Sausage Rolls & Cakes etc available to order

Please return order form with correct money to the office by **Wednesday 14/5/2014**.

All orders will be available to **PICK UP** from the canteen @ **3pm Wednesday 21/5/2014**