

UPDATE FOR 12/21/2015

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SUPERINTENDENT NOTES FOR THE WEEK

As we enter the New Year, please note the upcoming dates for the Breakfast with the Superintendent for your calendar: January 4, February 1, March 7, April 4, May 2, and June 6 from 10AM to 11AM @ 51 Tolland Green (the Central Office). Come and bring your questions, comments, and conversation. Breakfast items are provided, childcare is provided with advanced notice. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Parents – a note from our Math Department: Check out this resource for Math in Focus: <u>Math In</u> <u>Focus Letter</u>

I'd like to take this opportunity to bring a <u>community meeting on the Parker School / TIS -</u> <u>Senior Housing Project</u> to your attention. Come and meet the engineers, and see the plans for the project. This evening will include a presentation, and a break out session where participants can interact directly with the engineers and project managers to ask questions, get answers, and learn all they can about this important project for the Tolland community. **This will occur at 7 PM**, @ the Tolland High School Library on January 14th.

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Athletic Openings



We are seeking a Head Football Coach for the Tolland Public Schools Athletic Program The position requires Connecticut State Coaching Certification Current CPR and First Aid Courses For more information and to apply visit our website at <u>www.tolland.k12.ct.us</u>

Please note that a **District PJ Day for staff and students was held on December 11, 2015. Donations of \$1.00** were made to wear appropriate pajamas to school. All funds raised benefited the **Cancer Care Center** at Connecticut Children's Medical Center. Over **\$3,875.20** was raised!

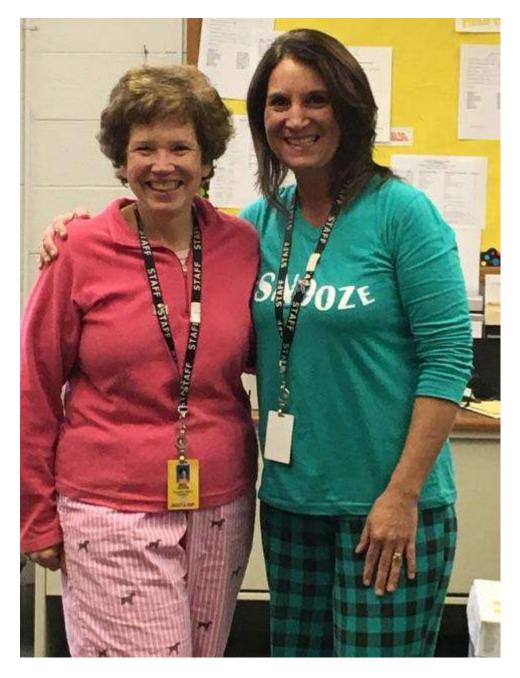
Tolland High School Musicians Participate in Eastern Region Music Festival

Thirty-one members of the Tolland High School Music Department will perform at the CMEA Eastern Region High School Music Festival at Jorgensen Auditorium at the University of Connecticut on January 8 and 9. Students were selected through an audition process which took place on November 14 at Killingly High School. Representing Tolland High School in the concert will be Camryn Florence, Ben Free, Jim Gifford, Mallory Goldsmith, and Sean Mathieu (band); Alicia Chiang (orchestra); Eric Gottier and Jack Murphy (jazz band); Emily Collins, Olivia Cusson, Sarah Gannon, Shannon Gorsky, Andrew Harger, Natalie Hurlbut, Parker Johns, Thomas Landolina, Jenny Lindquist, Nicholas Machuga, Charles Perosino, Felicity Roche, Greta Schmitz, Travis Tran, Chelsea Weaver, and Aaron Wilson (mixed chorus); and Sarah Alexander, Megan Benoit, Annabella DeFaria, Katherine Dos Santos, Kara Singleton, Amanda Steinhilber, and Natalie Wyse (treble chorus). Great work to all!

Author Steven Swinburne <u>http://www.steveswinburne.com</u> came to TMS on December 3 to present to the sixth graders. He is the author of **Once a Wolf**, a core text in the current 6th grade reading and writing unit of study.



PICTS from PAJAMA DAY!







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