



T.I.S. Digital Backpack



April 9, 2018

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE

Tolland Public Schools Volunteer Procedures

The Tolland Public Schools recognize the importance of school volunteers at all levels of schooling. Volunteers can enhance collaboration between the school and community, broaden the school's educational environment and ultimately enrich students' school experience. The TPS further acknowledges that it may, from time to time, be asked to provide learning experiences for student interns within the school environments. In recognition of the benefit of having volunteers, interns and other such non-employees providing services within the schools, the TPS supports the involvement of these individuals in accordance with suitable regulations and safeguards.

Volunteers, interns and other such non-employees working within the schools ("volunteers") must work under the supervision of Tolland Public Schools staff. Volunteers are held to the same standards of conduct as school staff and must observe all Board of Education policies, including applicable policies on the confidentiality of student information.

Volunteers are required to submit to state and federal criminal record check and a record check. No person who is required to register as a sex offender under state or federal law, or whose name is currently listed on the DCF registry, may volunteer in the Tolland Public Schools.

Volunteers for field trips agree to work as chaperones on school organized field trips to various locations. These can include day trips, and/or overnight trips. All field trip volunteers must complete a volunteer application. The Volunteer Form may be found on Superintendent Willett's page on the district website. Below is a direct link to Superintendent Willett's Volunteer Form page.

http://www.tolland.k12.ct.us/DistrictOffices/superintendent/superintendent_willett_s_page/volunteer_form/

SBAC Testing

SBAC testing is off and running at TIS. Testing began on April 2 and all classes will take two math tests and one LA test between April 2 and May 4. In addition to the math and ELA tests, fifth graders will also take an SBAC science field test.

Clean Sweep Award Winners

Congratulations to the latest winners of the Clean Sweep Award. The Clean Sweep Award is a school community award given out by the T.I.S. custodial staff. Our custodians present golden brooms to those classes that have done their part to keep their rooms neat and organized. The winners of this month's award are: Mrs. Williams's Class, Mrs. Hurley's Class and Mrs. Catlin's class.

Third Grade Music Concert

Congratulations to our third grade students for putting on a wonderful performance in the T.I.S. gymnasium. The students and their teachers, Mrs. Baker and student teacher Miss Roque, wowed the crowd as they sang and danced to a variety of songs. In addition to singing, the third graders impressed the crowd by playing two songs on their recorders.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT TIS

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



APRIL

- 10 ~~Grade 5 Chorus Spring Concert @ TIS~~ moved to 4/27 (see flyer)
- 13 EARLY RELEASE, 12:45
- 13 GRADE COLOR DAY: 3rd=Green, 4th=Red, 5th=Blue
- 16-20 April Break
- 25 Coffee with the Principal, 9:30
- 25 Grade 4 to the Science Center, 9:00-1:30
- 27 Grade 5 Chorus Spring Concert @ TIS (see flyer)
- 30 Biddle, Jensen, Murphy to Boston

MAY

- 1 McCarthy, Catlin, Ramans to Boston
- 2 Storozuk and Zangerl to Boston
- 3 Yaglowski, Racco, Cofield to Boston
- 4 Boston trips rainedate
- 7 PTO @ TIS
- 7-10 Grade 4 to Statehouse (classes TBD)
- 10 Tolland Around the Green Day (rainedate 5/31)
- 11 EARLY RELEASE, 12:45

(to be continued)

**EXCITING NEWS!!
SAVE THE DATE!!**



**GRADE 5
PROMOTION CEREMONY!!**

**JUNE 22, 2018
(in the morning)
More Details to Follow!**

BIG Y EDUCATION EXPRESS POINTS

Tolland Intermediate School
School ID: 7768

Your points have been deposited in the Big Y Education Express program.

As of 3/31/2018 your school has:

- Earned a total of 27600 Education Express points
- 27600 Education Express points are currently available
- 56 shopper(s) have designated your school to receive their points

**Thank you for your support of Education Express
and Tolland Intermediate School!**



COFFEE WITH THE PRINCIPAL

2017-2018

Please join us at 9:15 at Tolland Intermediate School for coffee and conversation on the dates listed below. Everyone welcome!

Wednesday, September 20, 2017

Wednesday, January 17, 2018

Wednesday, October 18, 2017

Wednesday, March 21, 2018

Wednesday, November 15, 2017

Wednesday, April 25, 2018

Wednesday, December 20, 2017

Wednesday, May 16, 2018



SAVE THE DATE!

5.19.18

SPRING FLING

- *cotton candy
- *Kona Truck (shaved ice)
- *bounce houses
- *dunk tank
- *book nook
- *games & crafts
- *raffle baskets
- *Little Y Kids Club

Mark your calendars for one of the most fun events of the school year!

10am - 2pm
TIS

RAIN OR SHINE

More details to follow.

Hosted by TEPTO

Please "like us" on Facebook for upcoming news and event details!

SPRING FLING

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Saturday May 19th 10 am- 2 pm
Tolland Intermediate School

One of our biggest and beloved fundraisers is approaching and we need YOUR help! TEPTO Spring Fling is a full day of fun for students, staff, volunteers and families. Volunteers are needed in shifts to help with games, activities, raffle tickets and food sales. Do you have a group of friends or family that would like to volunteer with you? If so, we would love to have you on our team!!

If you are available to help at Spring Fling, please check the shift you are interested in, complete the contact information below and return this form to school, attention: TEPTO Membership/Diana Gascon. If you have any questions please contact Diana Gascon at tollandctelementarypto@gmail.com.

Date: Saturday May 19th

Shifts available:

() 9:45 am – 12pm

() 11:45 am – 2 pm

() 9:45 am – 2 pm (*volunteers receive a complimentary lunch if they work the entire event!*)

Contact information:

Please fill out one form for each volunteer:

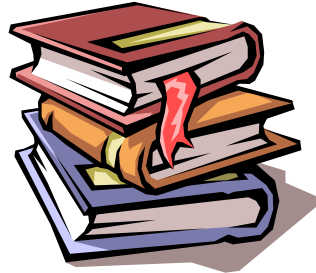
Name

Email address

Home phone #

Cell phone#

BOOKS WANTED!!



It's that time of year again! Spring Fling is just around the corner. As you start your spring cleaning, please consider donating your used books to [The Book Nook](#). Collection boxes will be located at Birch Grove and TIS starting the week of April 9th. Mom & Dad books are also welcome!

If you have any questions please contact Nicole Cadman (nicolecadman@yahoo.com).

Thank you for your donations!

Important Date Change



Spring Concert 2018

Grade 5 Chorus

Friday, April 27 at 7:00 pm

Tolland Intermediate School All Purpose room

You are invited to the grade five-chorus concert on

Friday, April 27 at 7:00 in the Tolland Intermediate School All Purpose room.

Students should arrive by 6:40 and report directly to Ms. Baker's music room.

Students are to dress their best. Please no jeans, sweat pants, athletic outfits or T-shirts.

The refreshment donations for the reception are to be placed in the APR on the table in the back of the room. There will be refreshments immediately following the concert.

I am looking forward to seeing you all there for an evening of music and entertainment.

Thank you

Ms. Judith Baker & Miss Roque

New Date

Friday, April 27, 2018

Grade Five Spring Chorus Concert

7:00pm

Tolland Intermediate School Cafeteria

The students and I would like to have a small reception in the back of the APR following the concert. All finger foods, snacks, and bottled water donations are greatly appreciated. Please sign and return by March 30 with your contributions.

Reception contribution _____,

Signature: _____.

We would also like a couple parent volunteers for set up and clean up for the reception. Please contact me at jbaker@tolland.k12.ct.us or by phone 860-870-6885 if you can help. I will be looking forward to seeing you at the concert.

Thank you, Ms. Baker

TEPTO FAMILY



Walk, run, wheel, skip or hop...
thru an (untimed) 1.5 mile course.

Start wearing white, finish with color !

Along the route, participants pass through vibrant color zones, making it a “colorful experience.” Each pre-registered participant is provided with a single powder color packet that will be thrown in the air for a final color celebration at the finish line.

Where: Birch Grove Field

When: June 9, 2018 at 10:30 am

Why: **Fun!** (All proceeds go to TEPTO for BGP and TIS)



The goal is to get outside and have fun!

TEPTO Color Fun Run

Registration DUE by May 1, 2018

Complete the following information and return to school with payment.

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST PRE-REGISTER!

Please be sure to include an email address so that you can receive any necessary details prior to the event.

Date of Event: June 9, 2018

Check in Time: 9:30 am - 10:30 am

Start Time: 10:30 am

Registration fee: \$15 per participant.

Includes a tshirt and individual color packet.

Name: _____

T-shirt Size: **SELECT ONE** -

YOUTH - Small Medium Large or **ADULT** - Small Medium Large XL 2XL

Name: _____

T-shirt Size: **SELECT ONE**

YOUTH - Small Medium Large or **ADULT** - Small Medium Large XL 2XL

Name: _____

T-shirt Size: **SELECT ONE**

YOUTH - Small Medium Large or **ADULT** - Small Medium Large XL 2XL

Name: _____

T-shirt Size: **SELECT ONE**

YOUTH - Small Medium Large or **ADULT** - Small Medium Large XL 2XL

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Optional: Extra Color Packet: _____ x **\$3** (payment due with registration / offer ends 05/01/18)

Signature: _____

Payment may be in the form of cash or check; payable to TEPTO

Contact Bethany Lescoe with any questions: bethanylescoe@gmail.com or 860-836-6890

2018 Cider Mill Road Race T-shirt design Contest

CONTEST RULES

GOAL: To have a Tolland school child design the T-shirt for our 18th race!

ELIGIBILITY: Any K-8th grade student may submit a design for a chance to have art work chosen and display on the t-shirt.

I. Design Requirements

A. Design must:

1. Be **8 1/2 x 11** Vertical on white copier paper, equivalents can be used.
2. **Drawings must be in black outline. There can be an additional 2 colors used,** materials in color or black (felt tip markers, pen and ink) No more than 3 colors including black. (no shading/no pencil)
3. Include a **space for our Cider Mill Road Race logo. Approximately 4"x 4"**
4. Do not use replicas of copyrighted or registered characters or logos.
5. Be reproducible.

B. Each design submitted must show legibly on the back:

1. Student's name
2. School name
3. Student phone number
4. Teacher's name & grade

II. Contest Procedures

- A. Each student is allowed to submit one (1) design.
- B. One (1) BGP design/student, one (1) TIS design/student and one (1) TMS design/student semi-finalist winners of Contests will be entered in as finalists. One (1) student will have their art work chosen as the t-shirt design and the other runner ups will be given a free entry to the race of their choice (5k, 1 mile or fun run).

III. Dates and Deadlines

- A. Deadline to submit t-shirt design to school art teachers is 4/30/18.
- B. The winner will be announced by 5/30/18.

IV. Rights and Awards

- A. All entries become the property of the Cider Mill Road Race Committee and will not be returned.
- B. The decision of all judges will be final. The contest will be judged by the Cider Mill Road Race Committee.
- C. If you have any questions please ask your art teachers (they may be available to help you after school on this contest) or call the Director at (860)-872-6787 Kelly Pabilonia
Or email me at kellypabilonia@yahoo.com

Sincerely,
Kelly Pabilonia (Director)



2018
SPRING SEASON
(April - June)

REGISTER NOW

GIRLS & BOYS
- Grades K-8 -

- NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED -

To register please go to <http://tollandlacrosse.org> and click "Registration Online" on the left side navigation panel. There are detailed instructions on how to register on the registration page.

Any questions regarding registration please contact Erin Perryman @ erinperrygirl@yahoo.com

For additional information about Tolland Lacrosse please visit our site or contact the following:

- Boys program contact Damien Berthiaume @ ddberth@gmail.com
- Girls program contact Lance Doyle @ ldtollandlax@gmail.com

<http://www.tollandlacrosse.org>



NCA TRYOUTS

**Northeast Connecticut Aquatics is hosting tryouts for our
Spring/Summer season
MARCH 26-28 6:00P-7:00P
Season starts APRIL 2**

**Northeast Connecticut Aquatics (NCA) is a full service
aquatic team, offering both non-competitive and competitive
swimming for all age from 6 years of age to collegiate
athletes. We are located at Star Hill Family Athletic Center
in Tolland, CT**

Visit www.swimnca.com for more information





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