

Tolland High School Weekly Bulletin

5-28-18

Tolland High School is making a PAWSitive Impact!



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This May, Tolland High School DECA is working to make a PAWSitive impact both in the Tolland community as well as the worldwide community of endangered animals by hosting a WWF fundraiser beginning on May 16. THS students and staff will come together as a community to become global thinkers as they learn about species of vulnerable animals from different countries and have the opportunity to participate in a fundraising event that features ten of these incredible creatures as well as reach out to animal organizations local to Tolland. For two weeks, students will donate money at lunch towards saving one or more of their favorite teacher-sponsored animals. By the end of the fundraising period, if \$100 dollars is raised for an animal, it will be adopted from the WWF, and if \$200 is collected, the animal's teacher-sponsor will show their animal goodwill by dressing up as the animal for our event day. This campaign is designed to bring the THS community together in school and wildlife spirit, between the fun-fact pawprints that will be lining the walls to the guest-star appearances of teacher-sponsors on the daily morning announcement broadcast. THS DECA is also worked with the nonprofit group Heroes With Halos and Horizon Wing Raptors to create an interactive experience as well as raise awareness for some of the local organizations that support and work with animals for Tolland High School Students during the school day on May 22. Tolland High School students were able to see both groups in action as the Horizon Wing Raptor representatives explained how they rescued injured birds from the wild and rehabilitated them while displaying one of their rescued bald eagles,

peregrine falcons, and owls. Heros with Halos brought their furry companions to tell students how their therapy dog program functioned. During some of the lunch waves, some of the students were able to come to a meet-and-greet with eight of the program's therapy dogs! Moving forward, a subgroup of students will also be collaborating with the CAD (Computer-Aided Design) class at the high school to create customizable dog tags for students to purchase during their lunch waves which will either be engraved with the THS logo or their high school graduation year. In addition to the stuffed animal raffle that will be occurring alongside animal donation boxes and the dog tags, these students are hoping to make an elephant-sized impact on the THS community.

This school-wide project is organized and led by student representatives from THS DECA. They are supporting the goals of the World Wildlife Foundation to show that even in a small community, we can work together toward making a lasting impact on the global scale.

Interested parties can donate at the following link:

http://wwf.worldwildlife.org/site/TR?px=13389194&fr_id=1751&pg=personal

Let's make a PAWSitive Impact!

THS STUDENT RESTAURANT - SPRING 2018

There are still seats available for our Culinary II student's restaurant this Spring. Lunch begins at 10:30 a.m. and costs \$7 per person. If you are interesting in making a reservation, please email Sandy Cimino at scimino@tolland.k12.ct.us. Upcoming menus are as follows:

June 1st

Focaccia Bread

Adobo Salad

Garlic Lemon Green Beans

Caribbean Chicken over Basmati Rice

Peach Cobbler w/ Vanilla Ice Cream

June 8th

Focaccia Bread

Caesar Salad

Beef Enchiladas

Mexican Rice & Beans
Mascarpone Cheese and Berries Parfait

IMPORTANT DATES

May 28 - Memorial Day - No School

June 4 - Class Day

June 5 - An Evening of Excellence Awards Program - 6:30 p.m.

June 7 - Music Concert - 7:00 p.m. - Auditorium

June 15 - Senior Class Night - 6:00 p.m.

June 22 - Commencement Ceremony - 6:00 p.m.

THE BANNER PROJECT

The THS Booster Club will once again be celebrating our senior class by participating in the Banner Project fundraiser. Personally designed banners will be displayed along the high school driveway before the commencement ceremony and will be returned to the student at Project Graduation. Information will be given to all seniors on May 14 during advisory. If you are interesting in purchase a banner for a graduating senior, please read the flyer attached [here](#).

To see samples of banner's from previous years, click on the links below:

Banners - [one](#)

Banners - [two](#)

Banners - [three](#)

TOLLAND PROJECT GRADUATION

To learn more about Tolland Project Graduation and how you can help with our fundraising efforts for a safe graduation celebration for our graduates each year:

<https://www.facebook.com/Tolland-Project-Graduation-156774334371925/about>

TOLLAND PROJECT GRADUATION CAN/BOTTLE & CLOTHING DRIVE



SATURDAY, June 2nd
DROP OFF TIMES: 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM
BIRCH GROVE PRIMARY, 247 RHODES ROAD, TOLLAND, CT

(COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS AVAILABLE FOR STUDENTS AND HELP APPRECIATED FROM ADULTS 8:00AM – 3:00 PM – give an hour, two or whatever you can)

COLLECTION OF USED CLOTHING, SHOES, SPORTS APPAREL
(UNIFORMS/CLEATS) & BOOKS



THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF TOLLAND PROJECT GRADUATION!