





TAKE NOTE

The Hill School
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NOVEMBER 12, 2015

Monday, November 16th - No School

 The Book Fair 4-8 grade permission slips are on Page 2.

 Ski Season is around the corner! Forms will be attached to next week's Take Note. Please note that there will be **no** Take Note the week of Thanksgiving.

Thanksgiving Baskets for Families in Need
Sponsored by the Student Council

The collection for our traditional Thanksgiving food baskets is underway. Each grade has been assigned a non-perishable item to be collected in the homeroom.

JK-K	2 bags or boxes of stuffing
1st	2 cans of peas
2nd	2 cans of green beans
3rd	1 box dried potatoes and 1 jar of gravy
4th	2 cans of fruit
5th	2 cans applesauce
6th	1 can of sweet potatoes
7th	1 container of cookies or canned nuts
8th	2 cans of cranberry sauce


Faculty- Pumpkin Pie ingredients

If anyone wishes to contribute to a turkey donation, you may purchase \$10.00 gift certificates at the Middleburg Safeway and add them to your class's collection basket. Seven Loaves will redeem them to purchase perishable items for distribution.

Donations for Seven Loaves should be turned in **TOMORROW - Nov. 13, 2015.**

Thank you for your help!
The Hill School Student Council



 December lunch forms are attached. Orders are due before Thanksgiving.



PRESENTED BY THE HILL SCHOOL 8TH GRADE

Three Shows! Admission is Free!

Friday, November 20th at 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, November 21st at 7:00 p.m.
Sunday, November 22nd at 2:00 p.m.

The Sheila C. Johnson Performing Arts Center
At The Hill School
Middleburg, Virginia

Book by Howard Lindsay & Russel Crouse | Music by Richard Rodgers | Lyrics by Oscar Hammerstein II
Suggested by the "The Trapp Family Singers" by Maria von Trapp



Book Fair!

The Hill School Book Fair will be held
Monday, November 30th through Thursday, December 3rd
In the Performing Arts Center

Permission Slip Information

LOWER SCHOOL: PARENTS OF JK-3, PLEASE DO NOT FILL OUT THIS FORM!!! JK-3 grade students will bring home a "Wish List" after their first visit . Parents may approve all or parts of this list, which will serve as a permission slip for the JK-3 grade child to purchase the books the next day.

Please email Carmen Arwine (longacre618@aol.com) with any questions.

Grades 4 - 8 Book Fair Permission Slip Please Return by Wed., November 25th.

_____ in _____ has my permission to charge up to \$ _____ to
Student's Name Grade

my Hill School account at the 2015 Hill School Book Fair.

If a child does not have a permission slip, we will allow him or her to charge ONE book up to 15.00 to your account unless you check the space below.

_____ My child may NOT charge any books to my account.



Parents' Signature _____



Christmas In Middleburg Is Coming!

Save the date, because Christmas in Middleburg is coming! All JK-3 children are invited to ride along with the Hill School Lion on our float in the annual Christmas in Middleburg Parade on Saturday, December 5th. More information on drop-off and pick-up will be in a future Take Note.

More information about Christmas in Middleburg and all the fun weekend events is available at:

<http://www.christmasinmiddleburg.org/>



Coming up at Hill:

Mon., Nov. 16	No School - Teacher Professional Development Day
Fri. and Sat., Nov. 20-21	8th Grade Play, <i>The Sound of Music</i> , 7:00 pm in the Performing Arts Center.
Sun., Nov. 22	8th Grade Play, <i>The Sound of Music</i> , 2:00 pm in the Performing Arts Center.
Tue. Nov. 24	8th Grade vs. Alumni Games. Green & White field hockey/soccer games. Game time: 3:00, dismissal for 8th Graders at 4:30pm
Wed., Nov 25	Alumni Pancake Breakfast, 9:45-10:45 am. Thanksgiving Assembly (Grades 1-8) at the Middleburg Methodist Church. Dismissal from Hill at NOON. Thanksgiving Vacation begin at NOON.
Mon., Nov. 30	School re-opens
Tue.-Thurs., Dec. 1- 3	Book Fair, for additional information, please see page 2.
Wed.-Fri., Dec. 2-4	Grade 7 to Williamsburg. Return at 3:00 on Friday.
Sat., Dec. 5	Christmas in Middleburg Parade

SEEKING: Live-In housekeeper "only". Experience as a "live-in" housekeeper. References required. Driving a plus. Competitive salary. No care giving or health experience needed. Duties include: ironing, laundry, prep in kitchen. 703-980-8109. Middleburg area.

SEEKING: Looking to hire someone with "secretarial skills" on a part time basis. Flexible hours. Familiar with Excel program, Microsoft & data entry, etc. 703-980-8109 Middleburg area.

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom, 1 bath cottage (full kitchen, living room, dining room, garage) for rent. 10 minutes to village of Middleburg. Please contact janet@cowgillco.com.

FOR RENT: Lovely three bedroom, two bath stone house with almost an acre fenced in back yard, minutes from Middleburg. Hard wood floors and gorgeous views. \$2200 / mo includes landscaping and mowing. Email gshannonoc@hotmail.com for more information.

AVAILABLE: Licensed VA Teacher available for tutoring for all grade levels in the following subjects: Science, Math, Reading, English, Social Studies. No Foreign Languages. Please contact at rigglem@comcast.net or (540) 533-4030.

FOR RENT: Aylor House: Lovely white brick rambler on 5 wooded acres off Zulla Road. All new carpet, new appliances and freshly painted. 3+ bedrooms and 3 full baths on main level. Formal dining room, formal living room with built-ins and fireplace, and separate Family Room. One bedroom and full bath in basement with separate walkout entrance and small kitchen. Two car attached garage, a large deck for entertaining, and the back lawn area is fenced for pets. In pristine condition. References, security deposit & credit check required. Pets on a case-by-case basis. Available immediately for \$ 2,750. For more details call Cricket Bedford at (540) 229-3201.

FOR RENT: Carr Lane: Upperville - Sun-filled chalet-style home in a spectacular hilltop setting with gorgeous views. Located off a quaint dirt road on a large cattle farm just south of the village of Upperville. This 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home features hardwood floors, country kitchen, separate dining area, and a two-story Living Room with a wood burning fireplace, skylights and lots of windows. The Master Bedroom suite is located on the first floor. Wrap-around porches provide ideal spaces for entertaining. Also includes a full walk-out basement with laundry area and an attached two car garage. Ideal commuter location for both I-66 and Route 50. Tenant responsible for all utilities. References, credit check & security deposit required. Pets on a case-by-case basis. Available 12/01/15 for \$ 1,950. For more details call Cricket Bedford at (540) 229-3201.

FOR SALE: Wrought Iron Canopy Queen Size bed. Beautifully handcrafted and in excellent condition. \$800 OBO. Photos available upon request. Please contact, Text preferred, Barbara @ 540-687-1183.

FOR SALE: For Sale Boys 2013 Burton Custom Snowboard (154cm) with Burton Custom EST bindings. Board is in very good condition. All mountain board, great for cruising, carving and the park. Perfect for a 6th-8th grader - \$200. The word from Burton "The Burton Custom is the yardstick that all other models are measured by. Team riders and testers are backing the Squeezebox core design, which transitions from thinner and more maneuverable underfoot to thicker and more powerful between and outside the feet—delivering added pop, snap, and handling." Please see or call Kelly Johnson – kjohnson@thehillsschool.org or 540-687-5897.



The 8th Grade musical *The Sound of Music* is coming quick! We still need of a few items for our props and costumes. Please contact Enza Giannone-Hosig ASAP if you can donate or let us borrow the following items. eghosig@thehillsschool.org; 540-687-5897.

Props:

- Vintage guitar case
- Vintage microphone stand

THE HILL SCHOOL 2015 GREENS ORDER FORM

All greens are provided by local greenhouse, Abernethy and Spencer, and are excellent quality.

LIMITED QUANTITIES. ORDER EARLY TO GUARANTEE !!!

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

WREATHS/GREENS

Size based on outside diameter, mixed greens and custom made.

20"-24" Mixed Green Wreath	_____	x\$30.00 = _____
42" Mixed Green Wreath	_____	x\$80.00 = _____
75 feet White Pine Roping	_____	x\$32.00 = _____

POINTSETTIAS

4" pot (2-3 blooms)	Red	_____	x\$7.00 = _____
	Pink	_____	x\$7.00 = _____
	White	_____	x\$7.00 = _____

7" pot (8-12 blooms)	Red	_____	x\$16.00 = _____
	Pink	_____	x\$16.00 = _____
	White	_____	x\$16.00 = _____
	Marble	_____	x\$16.00 = _____
	Jingle	_____	x\$16.00 = _____

10" pot (20 plus blooms)	Red	_____	x\$40.00 = _____
	Pink	_____	x\$40.00 = _____
	White	_____	x\$40.00 = _____

POTTED PLANTS/BULBS

Paper Whites (6" terra cotta pot)	White	_____	x\$14.00 = _____
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Amaryllis (7" terra cotta pot)	Red	_____	x\$20.00 = _____
	Pink	_____	x\$20.00 = _____
	White	_____	x\$20.00 = _____

Cyclamen (4" terra cotta pot)	Red	_____	x\$8.00 = _____
	Pink	_____	x\$8.00 = _____
	White	_____	x\$8.00 = _____

Cyclamen (7" terra cotta pot)	Red	_____	x\$15.00 = _____
	Pink	_____	x\$15.00 = _____
	White	_____	x\$15.00 = _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Please indicate your pickup preference below:

_____ pick up at Hill School Dec. 3 or 4

_____ pick up at Hill School Dec. 10 or 11

Please make checks payable to: The Hill School, memo: Class of 2022
The Greens Sale benefits our current Second Grade class. Thank you sincerely for your support.

Questions? Please contact Sheila Harrell at sheilalucy2001@yahoo.com



Ki Aikido classes for beginners age 10 to 100. Adults encouraged to train with their children.

Ki Aikido is a Japanese discipline that encompasses mind-body development through the non-violent, effective martial art of Aikido. Practices are performed in a non-competitive

fashion, by means of harmonizing with your partner's intention with no conflict. The aim is not to injure your opponent but neutralize the aggression using a relaxed internal power.

Class is held every Saturday 12:30 to 1:30 at Blue Ridge Tae Kwon Do, 9151 John S Mosby Hwy, Upperville, VA 20184, taught by Tony Barham and son Ted Barham.

For more information call Tony at 540-687-5947.

To learn more, visit <http://www.easternkifederation.com/>



Have Leftover Candy? We Can Help!

Hill School would love to have any leftover candy (or candy you choose to donate) to pass out during the Christmas in Middleburg Parade. Please drop off your donations to the front desk. Thank you!



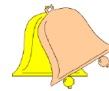
COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Please Join Us

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25 AT 7:30 PM

Upperville Baptist Church
9070 John S. Mosby Highway, Upperville

Enjoy a Great Evening with your Neighbors



Trinity Bell-Ringers, Mt. Pisgah Choir & More Local Talent

Everyone is Welcome!

The Offering Benefits:
The Churches of Upperville Outreach Program
Providing food during this holiday season and throughout the year to those families who need help in our community!



Hill School Running Club, coached by Chris Northrup, meets on Mondays all year long from 4:00 to 5:00 and is open to 4th - 8th graders. This is a drop-in club. There is no sign-up or registration required. Please come as many or as few times as you want. There is no cost. Meet in the gym at 4:00. Pick up at the front circle at 5:00.

Any questions, email cnorthrup@thehillsschool.org

Mark your
calendars!

NOVEMBER WINE TASTINGS @ Market Salamander

Saturday November 14
Noon-3:00pm

G.B. IMPORTERS Bulgariana
BULGARIAN WINES
FEATURED BY GRAPES
& BARLEY IMPORTERS

Friday November 20
Noon-3:00pm



OLD HILL CIDER
FROM
TIMBERVILLE, VA

*No reservation necessary, just stop in and enjoy!

Want to have a stress free holiday?
Then let us take care of the cooking!

MARKET SALAMANDER THANKSGIVING TO GO MENU

Order form is available online at www.marketsalamander.com
OR

contact: Amy Monteleone-Catering Manager
571.465.6505 | amonteleone@market-salamander.com

Instructions: Lunch Order Forms

- ◆ Please circle the dates and lunch choices, and return that portion of the menu with the payment in an envelope. Mark the name of the restaurant on the envelope.
- ◆ Checks should be made out to the establishment from which you are ordering lunch(es), cash should be the correct amount. We do not process orders at school and will forward all the envelopes directly to the restaurants on the day named as the return date.
- ◆ Please keep a record of your order; we do not keep a list here at school. Lunches will be delivered to the kitchen by the beginning of the first lunch shift (12:00).

Please note: If you have ordered lunch, and your child is absent (due to illness or a field trip), let us know if you would like us to pass his/her lunch on to another child or if you would like the lunch to be saved overnight in the school refrigerator for your child's lunch the next day.

Lunch Order Forms – December, 2015

Return to the Office **before Thanksgiving.**

MONDAYS – TEDDY'S PIZZA – 687-8880

\$5.00 per order

One form per student, please.

Name _____ Grade _____

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|---------------------------------|------|-------|
| 1. 2 slices of CHEESE Pizza. | 12/7 | 12/14 |
| 2. 2 slices of PEPPERONI Pizza. | 12/7 | 12/14 |

Circle the desired lunch(es) and date(s) and return this portion with payment in an envelope marked with TEDDY'S. Return this form (for the whole month) **before Thanksgiving.**

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TUESDAYS – MARKET SALAMANDER – 687-8011

\$5.00 per order

One form per student, please.

Name _____ Grade _____

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| 1. Market Mac 'n Cheese (8 oz), side of vegetable, and a cookie | 12/1 | 12/8 | 12/15 |
| 2. Three Chicken Tenders with honey mustard sauce, side of vegetable, and a cookie. | 12/1 | 12/8 | 12/15 |

Circle the desired lunch(es) and date(s) and return this portion with payment in an envelope marked with Market Salamander. Return this form (for the whole month) **before Thanksgiving.**

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WEDNESDAYS – MIDDLEBURG DELI – 687-3456

\$5.00 per order

One form per student, please

Name _____ Grade _____

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| 1. Sliced Turkey Breast on a Soft Roll with Lettuce & Tomato | 12/2 | 12/9 | 12/16 |
| 2. Sliced Roast Beef on a Soft Roll with Lettuce & Tomato | 12/2 | 12/9 | 12/16 |
| 3. Sliced Ham & Cheese on a Soft Roll with Lettuce & Tomato | 12/2 | 12/9 | 12/16 |
| 4. ½ Little Italy Sub
(Provolone, Mortadella, Pepperoni, Genoa Salami, Lettuce, Tomato, Sweet Peppers, Oil and Vinegar) | 12/2 | 12/9 | 12/16 |
| 5. Grand Slam (Turkey, Ham, Swiss, Lettuce, Tomato on a Sub Roll) | 12/2 | 12/9 | 12/16 |

A supreme chocolate chip cookie will be served with all selections.

Circle desired lunch(es) and date(s) and return this portion with payment in an envelope marked with MIDDLEBURG DELI. Return this form (for the whole month) **before Thanksgiving.**



The Christmas Boutique is Open!

Start your online bidding now!

<http://bidpal.net/thehillsschoolboutique2015>

Join us for tea, cookies and popcorn

Tuesday, Nov. 17 ~ Monday, Nov. 23

Holiday Decor



Alumni Room

Raffle Tickets
for



Marchesa "Lilly Stone Clutch"
(\$3,000 value)
only 150 tickets will be sold

Stocking Stuffers,
Hostess Gifts & More!

No shipping charges - no lines - free wrapping!

Shop early - Shop often!

Bid remotely or Buy It Now!

Jewelry



BOOKWORM CENTRAL

Growing Fine Minds

2015 - 2016 BOOK FAIRS



Day the Crayons Came Home
Drew Daywalt \$ 18.99
Duncan's crayons sure are a colorful bunch of characters! Having soothed the hurt feelings of one group who threatened to quit, Duncan now faces a whole new group of crayons asking to be rescued. **Ages 4 - 8**



**Tupelo Landing #1:
Three Times Lucky** \$ 7.99
**Tupelo Landing #3:
Odds of Getting Even** \$ 16.99
Sheila Turnage
Rising sixth grader Miss Moses LoBeau lives in the small town of Tupelo Landing, NC, where everyone's business is fair game and no secret is sacred. **Ages 10+**

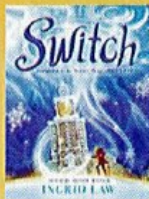
Circus Mirandus

Cassie Beasley \$ 17.99
The Lightbender, the greatest magician in Circus Mirandus, owes Grandpa Ephraim a miracle. With his friend Jenny in tow, Micah sets out to find the Circus and the man he believes will save his grandfather. **Ages 10+**



Absolutely Almost

Lisa Graff \$ 7.99
Albie has a long list of the things he's not very good at doing. But when Albie gets a new babysitter, Calista, she helps him figure out all of the things he does well at and how he can take pride in himself. **Ages 8 - 12**



Switch

Ingrid Law \$ 16.99
Gypsy Beaumont has always been a whirlwind free spirit, so as her thirteenth birthday approaches, she hopes to get a magical ability that will let her fly, or dance up to the stars. Instead, she wakes up on her birthday with blurry vision . . . and starts seeing flashes of the future and past. **Ages 10+**



I Survived #11: \$ 4.99

I Survived the Great Chicago Fire, 1871

I Survived #12: \$ 4.99

I Survived the Joplin Tornado, 2011

Lauren Tarshis

Each book in the series tells a terrifying and thrilling story from history, through the eyes of a boy who lived to tell the tale. **Ages 8 - 12**

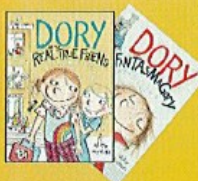
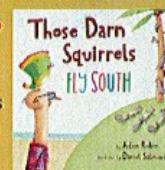
Story of Diva and Flea

Mo Willems \$ 14.99
Diva, a small yet brave dog, and Flea, a curious streetwise cat, develop an unexpected friendship in this unforgettable tale of discovery. **Ages 4 - 8**



Those Darn Squirrels Fly South

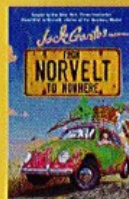
Adam Rubin \$ 6.99
As Old Man Fookwire's birds prepare to migrate south for the winter, the squirrels decide to follow. The birds and squirrels' sunny, beachy destination is a paradise, so warm and beautiful that it might even entice the grumpiest old man in existence to pay a visit as well. **Ages 4 - 7**



Dory Fantasmagory

Dory and the Real True Friend

Abby Hanlon \$ 14.99
As the youngest in her family, Dory really wants attention, and more than anything she wants her brother and sister to play with her. But she's too much of a baby for them, so she's left to her own devices—including her wild imagination and untiring energy. **Ages 6 - 9**



From Norvelt to Nowhere

Jack Gantos \$ 7.99
After an explosion, a new crime by an old murderer, and the sad passing of the founder of Norvelt, Pennsylvania, twelve-year-old Jack accompanies his slightly mental elderly mentor, Miss Volker, on a cross-country run as she pursues the oddest of outlaws. **Ages 10 - 14**



Big Dog and Little Dog \$ 3.99
Big Dog and Little Dog
Going for a Walk \$ 3.99
Dav Pilkey

Big Dog and Little Dog are canine companions who stick together through thick and thin. Ages 4 - 7



Moon Base Alpha #1: Space Case
Stuart Gibbs \$ 7.99

It's a murder mystery on the moon in this humorous and suspenseful space adventure. Ages 8 - 12

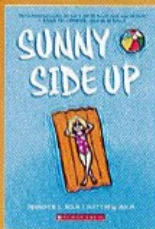
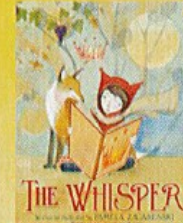
Fly Guy #15: Prince Fly Guy
Tedd Arnold \$ 6.99

Once upon a time, Buzz writes a fairy tale for a class assignment and Fly Guy becomes a handsome prince! Ages 4 - 8



Whisper
Pamela Zagarenski \$ 17.99

Step inside the pages of a little girl's magical book as she discovers the profound and inspiring notion that we each bring something different to the same story. Ages 4 - 8



Sunny Side Up
Jennifer L. Holm \$ 12.99

Following the lives of kids whose older brother's delinquent behavior has thrown their family into chaos, *Sunny Side Up* is at once a compelling "problem" story and a love letter to the comic books that help the protagonist make sense of her world. Ages 8 - 12

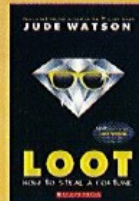


Poached \$ 7.99
Big Game \$ 16.99
Stuart Gibbs

Teddy Fitzroy is back to solve the zoo mysteries of the "Koala Caper" and the "At Risk Rhinoceros". Ages 8 - 12

Loot
Jude Watson \$ 6.99

On a foggy night in Amsterdam, a man falls from a rooftop to the wet pavement below. It's Alfie McQuinn, the notorious cat burglar, and he's dying. As sirens wail in the distance, Alfie manages to get out two last words to his young son, March: "Find jewels." Ages 9 - 12



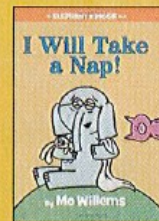
Iron Trial \$ 7.99
Copper Gauntlet \$ 17.99

Holly Black and Cassandra Clare
 From *New York Times* best-selling authors Holly Black and Cassandra Clare comes a riveting new series that defies what you think you know about the world of magic. Ages 10+



Magnus Chase and the Gods of Asgard, Book 1: The Sword of Summer
Rick Riordan \$ 19.99

Magnus Chase has always been a troubled kid. Since his mother's mysterious death, he's lived alone on the streets of Boston, surviving by his wits. One day, he's tracked down by an uncle he's never met - a man his mother claimed was dangerous. His uncle tells him an impossible secret: Magnus is the son of a Norse god. Ages 10 - 14



Elephant & Piggie: I Will Take a Nap!
Mo Willems \$ 9.99

Gerald is tired and cranky. Will Piggie be in his dreams? Or will she keep Gerald from dreaming at all? Ages 4 - 8

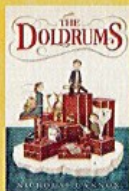
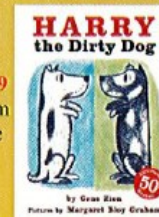
Nightmares! \$ 7.99
Nightmares! The Sleepwalker Tonic \$ 16.99
Jason Segel

The hilariously frightening first two books in the *Nightmares!* trilogy are about a boy named Charlie and a group of kids who must face their fears to save their town. Ages 8 - 12



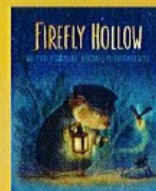
Harry the Dirty Dog
Gene Zion \$ 6.99

When a white dog with black spots runs away from home, he gets so dirty his family doesn't recognize him as a black dog with white spots. Ages 4 - 8



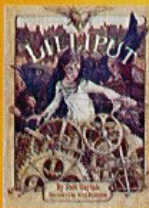
Doldrums
Nicholas Gannon \$ 17.99

Have you ever wanted to hold a little piece of the impossible? *The Doldrums* is an extraordinary debut about friendship, imagination, and the yearning for adventure. Ages 9 - 12



Firefly Hollow
Alison McGhee \$ 16.99

Firefly. Cricket. Vole. Peter. Can four creatures from four very different nations help one another find their ways in the world that can feel oh-so-big? Ages 8 - 11



Lilliput
Sam Gayton \$ 16.95
 Inspired by *Gulliver's Travels*, *Lilliput* is an exhilarating adventure filled with cunning escape plans, evil clockmakers and very talkative parrots. Join Lily as she travels over rooftops, down chimneys and into chocolate shops on a journey to find the one place in the world where she belongs . . . home.
 Ages 8 - 12



Nooks & Crannies
Jessica Lawson \$ 16.99
 Eleven-year-old Tabitha Crum, whose parents were just about to abandon her, is invited to the country estate of a wealthy countess along with five other children and told that one of them will become her heir. Ages 8 - 12

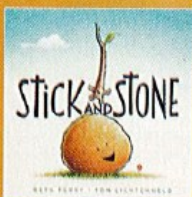
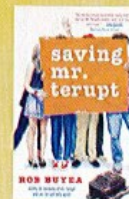
Saving Lucas Biggs \$ 6.99
Marisa de los Santos and David Teague

This charming time-travel story follows one girl's race to change the past in order to save her father's future. Ages 10+

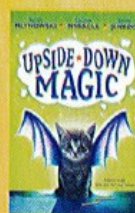


Saving Mr. Terupt \$ 16.99
Robert W. Buyea

The kids and their favorite teacher from *Because of Mr. Terupt* and *Mr. Terupt Falls Again* return for a third book in the funny, warmhearted series for fans of *Wonder*. Ages 9 - 12



Stick and Stone
Beth Ferry \$ 16.99
 Stick and Stone are both lonely until Pinecone's teasing causes one to stick up for the other, and a solid friendship is formed. Ages 4 - 7



Upside-Down Magic \$ 14.99
Sarah Mlynowski

From *New York Times* best-selling authors Sarah Mlynowski, Lauren Myracle, and Emily Jenkins comes a new, offbeat series about a group of misfits who set out to prove that life on the other side of ordinary has its charms. Ages 8 - 12

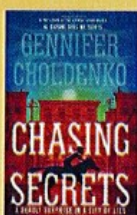
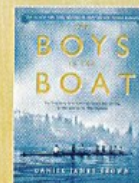
West of the Moon \$ 7.95
Margi Preus

Together with the "Spinning Girl," Astri runs away to her aunt and uncle's farm where they fetch Greta and set off on an adventure to America, which will take them east of the sun and west of the moon. Ages 8 - 12



Boys in the Boat (Student Edition) \$ 17.99
Daniel James Brown

In the midst of the Great Depression, nine rowers showed the world what true grit really meant. They were Western, working-class boys who never expected to beat the elite teams of the East Coast and Great Britain. Shaming Hitler in the 1936 Olympics would mean so much more than bringing home the gold. Ages 10+



Chasing Secrets \$ 16.99
Gennifer Choldenko
 Thirteen-year-old Lizzie and her secret friend Noah, who is hiding in her house, plan to rescue Noah's father from the quarantined Chinatown, and save everyone they love from contracting the plague that is spreading in 1900 San Francisco. Ages 10+



Crossover \$ 16.99
Kwame Alexander

Josh and Jordan must come to grips with growing up on and off the court to realize breaking the rules comes at a terrible price, as their story's heart-stopping climax proves a game-changer for the entire family. The 2015 Newbery Medal Winner. Ages 10+

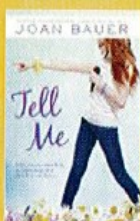
Lost in the Sun \$ 16.99
Lisa Graff

If only Trent could make that fresh start happen. It isn't until Trent gets caught up in the whirlwind that is Fallon Little—the girl with the mysterious scar across her face—that things begin to change. And he discovers fresh starts aren't always easy. Ages 10+



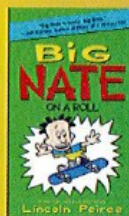
Night Gardener \$ 8.95
Jonathan Auxier

This much-anticipated follow-up to Jonathan Auxier's debut, *Peter Nimble and His Fantastic Eyes*, is a Victorian ghost story with shades of Washington Irving and Henry James. More than just a spooky tale, it's also a moral fable about human greed and the power of storytelling. Ages 10+



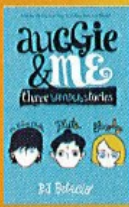
Tell Me \$ 7.99
Joan Bauer

The unofficial town motto is "Nothing bad ever happens in Rosemont" where twelve-year-old Anna has come to stay with her grandmother, Mim. But before long, Anna finds herself involved in a very big problem. When she observes a girl her own age who seems to be being held against her will, Anna can't forget the girl's frightened eyes and she is determined to investigate. Ages 10+

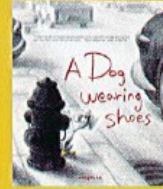


Big Nate on a Roll \$ 6.99
Lincoln Peirec

Nate's a big deal in his scout troop . . . until Artur—aka Mr. Perfect—joins up. Now Nate's stuck in second place. And Artur means business. Ages 8 - 11



Auggie & Me: Three Wonder Stories
R.J. Palacio \$ 16.99
 Over 2 million people have read the #1 *New York Times* bestseller *Wonder* and have fallen in love with Auggie Pullman, an ordinary boy with an extraordinary face. In this book, readers are treated to three stories offering a special look at Auggie's world through new points of view. **Ages 10+**

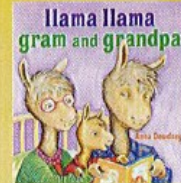


Dog Wearing Shoes
Sangmi Ko \$ 16.99
 This sweet and hilarious doggy adoption tale features a pooch wearing—wait for it—bright yellow shoes. **Ages 4 - 8**

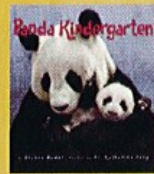
Half a World Away
Cynthia Kadohata \$ 7.99
 Twelve-year-old Jaden, an emotionally damaged adopted boy fascinated by electricity, feels a connection to a small, weak toddler with special needs in Kazakhstan, where Jaden's family is trying to adopt a "normal" baby. **Ages 10 - 14**



Llama Llama Gram and Grandpa
Anna Dewdney \$ 17.99
 It's an exciting day for Llama Llama; he's going to visit Gram and Grandpa Llama and spend the night! He makes sure to pack everything he needs. But it's not until he gets ready for bed that he realizes that he's forgotten something important—Fuzzy Llama! **Ages 3 - 6**

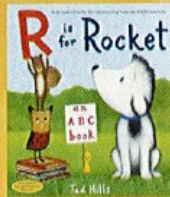


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Brian Selznick \$ 32.99
 Billy Marvel's story begins in 1766 and is told entirely in dramatic illustrations. You'll need to figure out how it intersects with the prose story of Joseph, who, in 1990, seeks refuge at the home of his estranged uncle. **Ages 8 - 12**

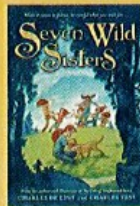


Panda Kindergarten
Joanne Ryder \$ 6.99
 Follow a day in the life of the panda cubs at China Conservation and Research Center for the Giant Panda at the Wolong Nature Preserve, the largest research facility for giant pandas in China. **Ages 4 - 8**

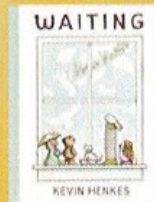
R is for Rocket
Tad Hills \$ 17.99
 From finding acorns, to balancing on a ball, to offering a cookie and a crayon to a crow, readers will love exploring the wonderful world of Rocket and his friends. **Ages 3 - 7**



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Shirin Yim Bridges \$ 7.99
 Ruby is unlike most little girls in old China. Instead of aspiring to get married, Ruby is determined to attend university when she grows up, just like the boys in her family. **Ages 5 - 8**

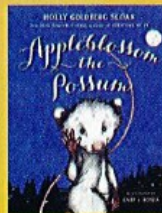


Seven Wild Sisters: A Modern Fairy Tale
Charles de Lint \$ 8.00
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Holly Sloan \$ 16.99
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Francine Poulet Meets the Ghost Raccoon \$ 12.99
Leroy Ninker Saddles Up \$ 5.99
Kate DiCamillo
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