

# TAKE NOTE

The Hill School (540) 687-5897 www.thehillschool.org

JUNE, 2015

# SPECIAL SUMMER EDITION

# Congratulations to the class of 2015!

We wish everyone in the Hill School Family a happy, healthy summer! The first day of school in the fall will be Thursday, September 10th.



#### **Summer Office Hours:**

Monday - Friday **9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.** 



#### Missing anything?

Maybe a Columbia Jacket, a sleeping bag, some sneakers or a lunch box?

All the found items will be kept at the Front Desk until July 1st, when they will be donated. Please come by and claim your items.



School's OUTside for Summer DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP FOR SUMMER CAMP AT HILL SIX WEEKS OF FUN, LEARNING AND ADVENTURE!

Camp registration forms are attached and available at the Hill School office or at www.thehillschool.org under Summer Camps.

# **Summer Reading**

Enclosed in this mailing you will find the summer reading lists for your child(ren) in grades 4-8. We encourage all students and families to keep reading throughout the summer.



#### 2015-2016 School Calendar

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is attached (page 4)

#### Please save for future reference.

While the dates for vacations will not change,
some other dates (e.g. faculty meetings) may be
adjusted later. The final draft of the calendar will
be published in early fall.

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A parent breakfast meeting will be held on the first day of school Thursday, September 10 from 8:45-10:00am. We hope that all parents will attend.

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**WANTED:** Cottage with pasture for retired horses. Please contact Janet 540-771-4530.

**WANTED:** White shirts (blouses, polo, dress shirts) for Cambodian school children. Short- or long sleeved. Gently used. Contact BJ Baltz for more information. (540) 364-3696. BJ will leave for Cambodia on July 1.

**AVAILABLE:** Are you already making plans for the summer and in need of a Mother's helper or a baby sitter? Charlotte Ruth Zaback (rising Hill 8th grader) is available! Please call Shelly at 703-919-0498 if you are interested.

**AVAILABLE:** Maeve Couzens (Hill '08, Foxcroft '12) is available for babysitting, housesitting, driving, pet-sitting, etc. Please call (540) 272 - 6674.

**AVAILABLE:** Lilly Potter (Hill and Foxcroft Graduate), with four years of experience as a camp counselor, is available for summer work. Can babysit short term, long term, overnight, or accompany on travel through August 17<sup>th</sup>. Can also house sit or pet sit. Please call 540-687-8464, or email fiver148@gmail.com.

**AVAILABLE:** Two-bed, two bath house in quiet location close to town. Three-stall barn with birthing stall and multiple paddocks available for the right situation. Great ride out. Close to Fox Chase Farm and many vineyards. Additional two-bed, two-bath house on property (sleeps 10) may be rented together or separately. Available August 2015. Short-term considered, long-term preferred. 571-274-0839.



# Just a few Hill School Coolers Left! Come by and pick one up. \$20

Questions? Email Monique Lynch at drmlynch@yahoo.com



### Middleburg Festival of Speed To take place June 20, 2015

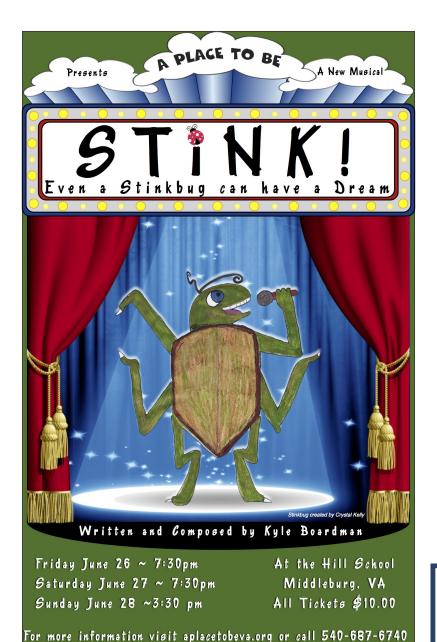
**Middleburg, VA - May 27, 2015** – The Middleburg Festival of Speed will showcase exquisite automobiles for its inaugural event at the breathtaking Hill School in Middleburg, VA on June 20, 2015.

This highly anticipated event expects local and regional collectors of Ferrari, Porsche, Aston Martin, MG, Morgan, Austin Healy and more, as well as vintage motorcycles, to be on-site to display their masterpieces. This world-class car event is unique in that it will host these spectacular vehicles in the center of Virginia horse country as well as a limited entry driving rally event.

"The enthusiasm for this event has been overwhelming. We are working hard to organize our first Middleburg Festival of Speed and look forward to entertaining both families and car aficionados in our area", said Event Chair, Brian Wilson.

Middleburg Festival of Speed is a 501(c)3 organization dedicated to supporting local charitable organizations. 2015 Proceeds will benefit The Hill School. Admission to this inaugural event is FREE to the public. Gates will open from 10 AM to 4 PM, Saturday, June 20, and the Rally will set off at 3 PM.

For more information regarding the event please visit: <a href="www.middleburgfestivalofspeed.com">www.middleburgfestivalofspeed.com</a> Or call: 1.844.336.MFOS (6367).



DINNER AND A DIVE IN MOVIE- JUNE 19TH



Join us for a special night of BBQ dinner and a movie while lounging poolside!

Starting at 6:30pm, there will be free BBQ in the picnic area, along with games and activities.

If you would like to see the movie, FREE limited number of tickets will be given out during the dinner time. Tickets are on a first come, first serve basis as there is limited space in the pool and pool areas!

Pool gates open at 8pm so you can get your spot to watch The SpongeBob Movie: Sponge Out of Water

The Dive In Movie was well received last year—don't miss out on this year's series! Other dates are Friday, July 17th and Friday, August 21st.



Sponsored by Middleburg Community Center—Doc Saffer Summer Series, and County of Loudoun Parks, Recreation, and Community Services.



Sunday afternoons — Special Rate: \$60/person

Located behind Salamader Resort in Middleburg.

Call 540-692-9471 for reservations.

#### MCC POOL INFO

5/30-6/7: Weekends only 11am-6pm 6/13-9/7: Daily from 11am - 6pm.

Under 5 years old: \$2.50, 5 years old and up: \$4 Pool Passes: 6 visits for \$20

Memberships also available!



#### Join us for Great Music, Local Wine & Virginia Craft Beer

#### Virginia Tech Alumni Night

featuring

Piedmont Symphony Orchestra with special guests The West Point Academy Alumni Glee Club, Supported by the Town of Middleburg

Forge Brew Works

Stone Tower Winery

Concerts are FREE and open to the public. The Museum will be open until 8:00 pm

6:00-8:00 pm NSLM Lawn

102 The Plains Road, Middleburg, VA
For more Information or to Volunteer please contact
Alexandra McKay at 540-687-6542 ext. 24 or amckay@nsl.org

# 2015-2016 SCHOOL CALENDAR - DRAFT

Tues. & Wednesday	September 8 & 9	Faculty Meetings
Thursday	September 10	First Day of Classes
Friday	September 11	Noon dismissal for all grades / Faculty Meetings
Thursday	October 15	Parent Conference Day - NO SCHOOL
Friday	October 16	Fall Holiday - NO SCHOOL
Monday	November 16	Professional Development Day - NO SCHOOL
Wednesday	November 25	Thanksgiving Vacation begins at Noon
Monday	November 30	School reopens
Friday	December 11	Noon dismissal for all grades / Faculty Meetings
Monday	December 14	5-8 First Trimester Reports mailed
Friday	December 18	Winter Vacation begins at Noon
Monday	January 4	School reopens
Friday	January 22	Full Day of Skiing - Faculty Retreat - NO SCHOOL
Monday	February 8	1-4 First Semester Reports mailed
		(JK & K parent conferences in February)
Friday	February 12	Mini Olympics - NO SCHOOL
Wednesday-Friday	March 9-11	Culture Study Program
Friday	March 11	Spring Vacation begins at Noon
		5-8 Second Trimester Reports mailed
Monday	March 28	School reopens
Thursday	April 14	Parent Conference Day - NO SCHOOL
Friday	April 15	Spring Holiday - NO SCHOOL
Friday-Saturday	May 6 & 7	Spring Weekend at Hill:
		Friday: Grandparents and Special Friends Day
		Saturday: Auction
Monday	May 30	Memorial Day - NO SCHOOL
Thursday	June 9	Last Day of School for JK-3
Friday	June 10	Last Day of School for 4-8
•	•	Commencement at 5:00 (Grades 4-8 participate)
Monday - Friday	June 13-17	Faculty Meetings
Friday	June 17	JK-8 Final Reports mailed
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Other Key Dates: (Tentative dates, to be confirmed)
Opening Day Breakfast Thursday, September 10
Country Fair & Picnic Saturday, September 26
PTC Back to School Night Thursday, October 8

8th Grade Play Friday (7:00), Saturday (7:00), Sunday (2:00) - November 20 - 22

Book Fair Tuesday - Thursday, December 1-3

JK-8 Holiday Program Friday, December 18

Class Plays: Grade 3: February 26; Grade 4: February 5; Grade 6: May 13