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MAY 2, 2024

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PLEASE VOTE DAILY TO HELP HILL BE
RECOGNIZED AS THE BEST PRIVATE SCHOOL
AND BEST CAMP/SUMMER PROGRAM.

**Vote Here for Hill Schools the Best
Private School**

**Vote Here for Hill School
as Best Summer Camp**

COMING UP AT HILL

- Fri., May 3** **6th Grade Play** - 7:00pm in the Sheila C. Johnson Performing Arts Center.
- Fri., May 10** **Grandparents and Special Friends Day.**
No late gates, Noon dismissal for all grades.
Alumni reception 6:00pm - 8:00pm in the Sheila C. Johnson Performing Arts Center.
- Sat., May 11** **47th Annual Hill School Auction**
A Casino Night & Gala - 6:30pm - 10:30pm.
- Mon. May 26** **NO SCHOOL**

Please Join Us
for
The Alumni Reception
Friday, May 10th
6-8 PM
The Hill School
130 South Madison Street
Middleburg, Virginia

Cocktails and light fare
Sheila C. Johnson Performing Arts Center

All alumni and their families are welcome

[Click here to RSVP](#)

CLASSIFIEDS

AVAILABLE: Mallory Furgal (Hill'19, Highland'23) is available for pet sitting and house sitting this summer. Please text (571) 439-4971 for more information. References available upon request.

AVAILABLE: The Killinger kids are coming home and ready to babysit! Keagan (571) 359-1233, available now, CPR certified; Ellie Rose (571) 364-4422, available after May 11; Chloe (571) 359-5105, available after May 10; Lilly (571) 247-7549, available after June 1. References available upon request!

AVAILABLE: Can you use a good exercise bike? Got a slightly used one for you. Came in very handy after both knee replacements, but now sits idle. Text or call Reddy Manierre 540-687-4124.

SEEKING: Part Time (11am- 6pm Monday, Thursday, Fridays) nanny needed for local family starting as soon as possible for one 9 week old boy. Care would be at home in The Plains. Gentle dog at home as well! Please reach out to Louise Chapman Cook by email (louisechapman.mh@gmail.com) or text (540.687.1020). Thank you!

AVAILABLE: 2 adorable miniature donkeys and a darling miniature paint pony. Searching for their forever good loving home- all are middle aged- donkeys were bottle fed and think they are lap dogs, mini pony is an AMAZING leadline pony, bomb proof for kid parties and loves to be painted, played with, and groomed by small children!!! Sadly, our son has outgrown them and we feel like they would be happier with a young family with many young children that will play with them daily. They are all easy keepers and basically the only requirement is to limit full grass turnout. All 3 must stay together, text or call for more info (703) 622-5003.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Nat'l African American Museum Visit	4/29
Meeting with DEI Consultant	5/7
Mixer @Bluewater Cocina	5/14
Learning Diff. Support Group	5/16
Last Meeting - Book Read	6/4

Click for details and plan to join us anytime!

JOIN US FOR A HILL SCHOOL

TACO MIXER

Powered by Better Together

Bluewater
COCINA
garden sourced. latin inspired.



Tuesday 5.14.24 | 3:15-6 PM

12 S. Pendleton St.

Better Together at Hill invites you to our first school mixer. Park at Hill and walk across the bridge to Bluewater or feel free to find street parking on Pendleton or E Washington.

* Each family is responsible for the purchase of their own food and beverage. This event is exclusive to Hill families and faculty.



Online Catalog

A CASINO NIGHT & GALA



MAY
11
2024

The Hill
School

6:30-1
0:30
PM

Still need tickets?

Please reach out to Kim Medica at kmedica@thehillschool.org to inquire about availability.

We'll do our best to accommodate you!

HILL SCHOOL



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CAMP

2024

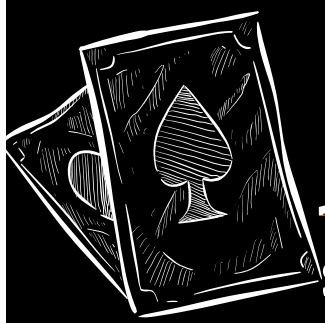
FOR THE FULL SCHEDULE AND
DESCRIPTION OF HILL'S 2024
SUMMER CAMPS
[CLICK HERE!](#)



June



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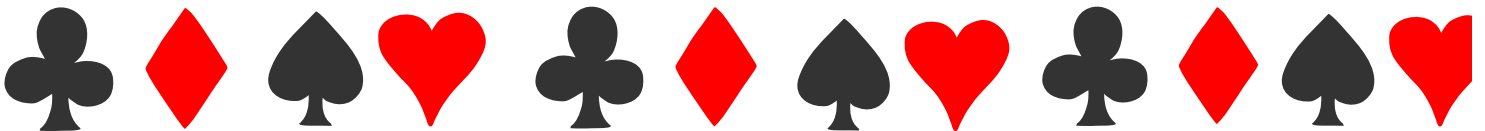
The Hill School

A CASINO NIGHT & GALA

Saturday, May 11th 6:30 - 10:30 pm

Our Auction Catalog is online at

<http://bidpal.net/hillschoolcasinonight>



What Should I Wear?

Feel free to dress to impress with tuxedos and elegant gowns, or opt for a slightly more relaxed vibe with cocktail attire.

Where Should I Park?

Valet Service will be at the Art Circle.

When Can I Start Bidding on Auction Items ?

Online Bidding will begin Friday, May 10th at 9:00 am and continue through Sunday, May 12th at 1:00 pm.

Can I Bid even if I am not Attending the Gala?

YES! Anyone can bid! Share it with friends too! Go to:

<http://bidpal.net/hillschoolcasinonight>

When Can I Pick up My Auction Items?

Items will be available for pick up on Monday, May 12th in the gym



GET YOUR "LUCKY 7" CHANCES

For \$200, you can take a chance to win \$10,000 in cash, a \$10,000 Tuition Credit or \$10,000 in Auction Bucks. Auction bucks must be spent at the 2024 "A Casino Night & Gala" Auction.

Only 150 "Lucky 7's" chances will be sold. The lucky winner will be drawn and notified on Saturday, May 11th, at the conclusion of the Gala. You need not be present to win.

Grandparents & Special Friends Day

Friday, May 10, 2024

9:00 - 9:45 Optional Campus Walking Tour

9:45 Coffee and Refreshments

10:00 Welcome by Treavor Lord - Head of School

10:15-11:45 Classroom Activities & JK- 5 Spring Concert

11:45 Maypole

12:00 Dismissal

**Campus Walking Tour Departure &
Registration, Coffee, and Refreshments**

The Peard Music and Lunchroom Building

**The Hill School
130 South Madison Street
Middleburg, Virginia**

rsvp@thehillschool.org

JK-K

10:15-10:30 Spring Sing Performance

**10:30-11:45 Classroom Activities, Art Show Visit,
Auction Preview**

Grades 1-2

10:15-10:45 Spring Sing Performance

**10:45-11:45 Classroom Activities, Art Show Visit,
Auction Preview**

Grade 3

10:15-11:00 Spring Sing Performance

**11:00-11:45 Classroom Activities, Art Show Visit,
Auction Preview**

Grades 4-5

**10:15-11:00 Classroom Activities, Art Show Visit,
Auction Preview**

11:00-11:25 Spring Sing Performance

**11:25-11:45 Classroom Activities, Art Show Visit,
Auction Preview**

Grades 6-7-8

**10:15-10:45 Student-led tours of the school, Art
Show Visit, Auction Preview**

10:45-11:45 Classroom Activities



Get ready for... **Spring Book Fair!**

Monday, May 20, through Thursday, May 23
8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily (Noon on Thursday)

All proceeds will go to the Teacher Book Fund.

Questions? Email bookfair1@thehillschool.org.

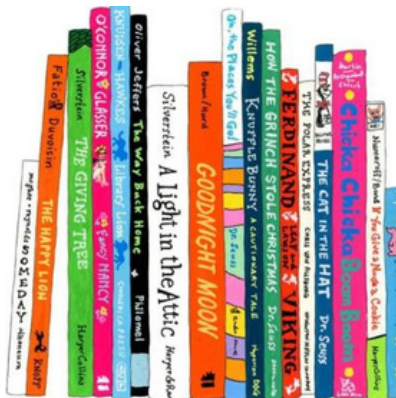
The Book Fair will accept payments in cash, check, school charge to BigSIS (see below), or credit card (if a parent is present).

Give your child permission to charge Book Fair purchases to your BigSIS account!

1. Login to your BigSIS portal: <https://thehillschool.bigsis.com/portal>.
2. Go to Parents Tab at the top, then click the Forms Tab where you will find a Book Fair Permission Slip for each child.
3. Permission slips are due by Friday, May 17.

ANY CHARGES MADE TO BIGSIS (NOT TO EXCEED THE AUTHORIZED AMOUNT) WILL APPEAR ON YOUR NEXT SCHEDULED PAYMENT. IF YOU HAVE ANY BIGSIS QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT SARAH SCHRODER AT [SSCHRODER@THEHILLSCHOOL.ORG](mailto:sschroder@thehillschool.org).

If a child does not have a permission slip on file (indicating that they MAY/MAY NOT use school charge), they will be allowed to charge ONE book up to \$20 to your account.



Volunteers needed!

May 17 & 20-23

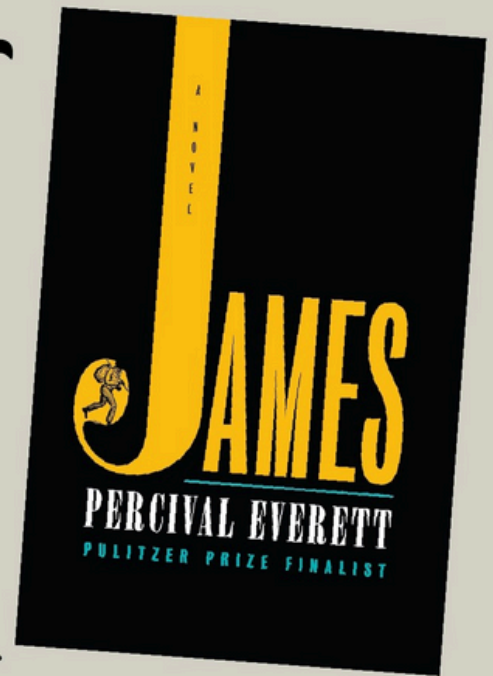
Hill's annual book fair is back and several parent volunteers are needed to ensure this event is a success.

Volunteers are needed over the course of a week to help with everything from unpacking and organizing, to running check-out and shuffling kids through the fair, to tearing-down and packing up.

Come volunteer with us and help host an awesome book fair! Please check out our [Sign-Up Genius](#) to volunteer. Email bookfair1@thehillschool.org with any questions.

Book Club

Join fellow Hill adults for a new monthly book club. In May we will discuss James by Percival Everett. This novel is a reimagining of the classic Adventures of Huckleberry Finn through the eyes of Jim, the enslaved man who ran with Huck Finn.



Where: Angela Killinger's house

When: Wednesday, May 8, at 8:30 a.m.

MUSIC & THEATER EVENTS SCHEDULE

MAY 3

6th Grade Play, 7:00pm

MAY 10

Spring Sing, JK - 5th Grade

MAY 31

Coffee House Concert 7:00pm
Grades 6th - 8th



BOOTS, BRIDLES & BLING

Barn Dance
May 18, 2024
5:00 pm



Benefitting Loudoun Therapeutic Riding

Live Music (Similar Creatures), Silent & Live Auction, Mission BBQ,
Denim & Diamonds

Table of 8/\$1,000, Tickets \$150

Sponsorships available
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There's an estimated \$10 billion in loose change sitting idle in American households –an average of \$90 per household

Another \$62 million in spare change is thrown away annually

100% of your change goes directly to programs with established partners who are doing life-changing work in the areas of housing, food security, education, financial literacy, health, and animals. Private donors, foundations, and sponsors cover our operating costs so 100% of your change can make a change.

Hill School Change Collected



Hill School Non-Profit Partners

- **Education:** All Ages Read Together
- **Adult Health:** Boulder Crest
- **Food:** City of Frederick Food Bank (in memory of Mr. Enrico Conti)
- **Animals:** Guiding Eyes for the Blind
- **Housing:** Winchester Rescue Mission
- **Children Health:** The Truth 365



Next Steps



- **Coin Pouches:** one for every student, faculty, and staff.
- **Student Coin Pouches:** two quarters for giving to one of the six non-profits.
- **Change Jars:** will be located in each of the homerooms. Faculty/staff – visit a homeroom to drop off your change.
- **Three Weeks:** for the next three weeks fill your coin pouches and bring the donations into your classroom. Talk with your families about the initiatives and the groups we are supporting.
- **World of Change Ambassadors:** Faculty – let an Ambassador or Mrs. Johnson know if you need a coin jar emptied.
- **Change Counting:** the Change Truck will visit Hill on Wednesday, May 22nd.





The Middleburg Farmers Market
 will kick off on
Saturday, May 4th
from 9:00 am - 12:00 pm
 at Town Hall - 10 W.
 Marshall St. !



The Farmers Market will occur on Saturday mornings between May 4th to October 26th, 2024 from 9:00 am-12:00 noon.

This year we're excited to welcome food trucks, live entertainment, weekly contests and more!

The Children's Entrepreneur Market will be back again this season on the following dates:
 May 11th • June 8th • September 21st • October 26th

The Middleburg Farmers Market is sponsored by the Town of Middleburg to provide local agriculturalists with a retail outlet for their products. The market provides the citizens of the area with an opportunity to purchase fresh quality products from the people who produce them.

Here are some vendors you can expect!

- Dark Hollow Farms
- The Preppy Pretzel
- Hidden Creek
- Double Creek Ranch
- Willoughby Farms & Flowers
- Hess Orchards
- JNRG Healing Co.
- Cobbler View Farm
- Tummy Yummy Candy Apples
- MM Coffee Farm
- Middleburg Crafts
- ...and more!!



Photo Credit: The Preppy Pretzel

