The Hill School
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TAKE NOTE

DECEMBER 17, 2015

All School Holiday Program - Friday, December 18
Parents meeting - 9:00 am in the Theatre.

Program begins at 10:30 am in the Athletic Center.
The program features songs performed by all JK-8 students.
Parents, grandparents, and friends are welcome and encouraged to attend.
Students will be dismissed at the conclusion of the program (approximately 11:45).

Ski season is coming!
Parents and students renting equipment need to pick up rental forms at the front desk or download them from The Hill School website. Completed rental forms need to be returned to Hill School TOMORROW, Friday, Dec. 18th.

Please note: If skiing has to be canceled due to lack of snow or any other reason, Ski Fridays become regular school Fridays with a 3:00 dismissal (1-8).

NOTICE ON LUNCHES
We were just informed that Middleburg Deli will be CLOSED on January 13 and 20. If you ordered for those days, please make sure that your child has a lunch and you may apply a $5 credit per day to your February order from Middleburg Deli.

The Fall Book Fair was a tremendous success! Thank you to Carmen Arwine and all the volunteers that made it possible and to the many families who donated books to the library and classrooms! Thank you for inspiring the gift of reading!

Attention Hill Families!
Are you interested in growing your own produce in a community garden with the help and advice of a master gardener? Grow with us in the Gunnell Garden! Each year local Hill School families are invited to enter their names in the Gunnell Community Garden lottery. If your name is drawn you will pay a small maintenance fee of $25 to use a raised bed in the Gunnell Community Garden for one growing season. Please bear in mind gardening requires commitment and regular maintenance! If interested email or call Martha Burke by Jan. 15, 2016 to be entered in the garden drawing. 540-592-3001, or mburke@thehillschool.org.

The National Mythology Exam will be offered to any interested students in grades 6-8 on Wednesday, March 2nd during study hall!
This is a multiple choice exam, testing your knowledge of Greek and Roman mythology in general, and this year’s theme "JASON" in particular.
There is no cost to take the exam, just make sure you are available after school on March 2nd and sign-up with Mrs. Lovelette by MONDAY, JANUARY 11th.

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**Coming up at Hill:**

Fri., Dec. 18  
Parent Meeting in Theatre at 9:00 am. Coffee at 8:30 am.  
Holiday Program at 10:30 am. Students are dismissed for the two week vacation after the program.

Mon., Jan. 4  
School re-opens.

Tues., Jan. 5  
JV Boys Basketball vs. Highland at Hill. Game at 3:00, dismissal at 4:15 pm.  
V Boys Basketball vs. Highland at Hill. Game at 4:00, dismissal at 5:15 pm.  
JV White Girls Basketball vs. Highland at Highland. Game at 3:15, dismissal at 5:00 pm.  
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Thurs., Jan. 7  
6 Boys Basketball vs. LCDS at Hill. Game at 3:00, dismissal at 4:15 pm.  
JV Boys Basketball vs. LCDS at Hill. Game at 4:00, dismissal at 5:15 pm.  
V Boys Basketball vs. LCDS at LCDS. Game at 5:00, dismissal at 6:15 pm.  
6 Girls Basketball vs. LCDS at LCDS. Game at 5:00, dismissal at 6:45 pm.  
JV Green Girls Basketball vs. LCDS at LCDS. Game at 4:00, dismissal at 5:45 pm.  
V Girls Basketball vs. LCDS at LCDS. Game at 5:00, dismissal at 6:45 pm.

Fri., Jan. 8  
Ski Club, **extra early dismissal** at 11:00 am.

Sat., Jan. 9  
SSAT testing at Hill. 7th and 8th grade students signed up arrive at 8:00 am.

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**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:** 5 stall barn and paddock located 1 mile west of Middleburg. Great ride out and super convenient to town. Rent is $900/month. Call Chet for more information (703) 203-5302.

**FOR SALE:** Sound of Music T-shirts. Medium and Large available. $10. Contact eghosig@thehillschool.org.

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Orders received by Friday, December 18th will arrive for the first week of ski season. Make checks payable to Hill School. Please include “Class of 2024” in the Memo.