October 27, 2016

All School Halloween Party Friday, October 28th

11:30 – 12:00 A Hot Dog Lunch will be provided by the PTC/Room parents. Menu to include hallo’weenies, potato chips, apple slices, and cider. Black bean burgers, a vegetarian alternative, will be available. Children who prefer not to eat hot dogs or black bean burgers are invited to bring lunch.

12:40 All School Costume Parade in the Amphitheater

1:10-1:55 Halloween Parties ☀ JK and K in their classrooms ☀ Grade 1 and 7 mentors in the lunch room ☀ Grade 2 in the theatre courtyard ☀ Grade 3 and 7 mentors in the art building courtyard ☀ Grades 4 through 6 and 8 on the recess field

1:55-2:00 Clean-up
2:00-2:20 Extra clean-up by the 7th and 8th grades

Parents are welcome to come at 12:30 p.m. and help dress their child(ren) for the costume parade.

Dismissal Reminder - NO LATE GATES
JK – Grade 6 2:00 p.m.
Grades 7 & 8 – 2:20 pm (after clean-up)

PARENTING HAPPY HOUR
with Hill School’s counselor, Kasia Daum
Tuesdays, 3pm
Alumni Room
Starting November 1st

Come, grab a cup of coffee, and ask a parenting question. This is an informal drop-in time for parents. Kasia will be happy to answer your questions, make suggestions, or share a parenting book recommendation. See you there!

PARENTING HAPPY HOUR

If you would like your child’s picture re-taken, please remove the class photo from the envelope and send all other pictures back to school. A new portrait will be taken on the make-up day (Tuesday, November 8). If you have any questions, please contact Bonnie at Splendid Portraits (800) 230-4602, ext. 2114 or (703) 237-8067, ext. 114.
Coming up at Hill:

Fri., Oct. 28  Halloween Party - 2:00 pm dismissal for JK - 6, 2:20 pm dismissal for 7&8. NO LATE GATES.
Sat., Oct. 29  Big Hit Field Hockey Tournament at Hill. Starts at 10:30, ends at 2:45.
Tues., Nov. 1  4 - 8 Boys and Girls X-Country Meet. at Hill. Races begin at 1:45, dismissal 4:00. See below for schedule.
Thurs., Nov. 3  V Boys Soccer Tournament at Highland. Games begin at 3:00, dismissal 5:15. Schedule on Page 3.
              V Girls Field Hockey Tournament at Hill. Games begin at 3:00, dismissal 4:45. Schedule on Page 3.
              JV Boys Soccer vs. Powhatan at Hill. Game at 3:30, dismissal at 4:45.
              JV Girls Field Hockey vs. Powhatan at Powhatan. Game at 3:30, dismissal at 5:15.
Fri., Nov. 4  Grade 6 hike. Depart at 8:30, dismissal at 4:00.
Tues., Nov. 8  Ride Your Pony To School - See below for more information.
              Picture Make-Up Day - 10:00 am to 11:00 am.
              Michael Thompson Presentation, Best Friends, Worst Enemies. 7 pm in the Performing Arts Center.
Wed., Nov. 9  Michael Thompson - JK, K and 1 Parent Presentation at 8:30 in the Alumni Room.
Fri., Nov. 11 Regular Day of School
              Grade 4 to American History Museum. Depart 9:00, regular dismissal.

2016 Fall Cross Country Meet at Hill School
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

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PARKING: All parking for the meet will be by the Science Barn – 1755 Halfway Road, Middleburg, VA. Entrance is just south of Hill’s The Plains Road entrance.
No parking on the side of the The Plains Road.
No parking in the art circle (school buses from visiting schools only)
ARRIVAL TIME:
It is a ten minute walk from the parking field to the start and finish line.
Please plan to arrive at least 10 minutes before your child’s race.
DISMISSAL:
The Plains Road gate will open for dismissal at 3:45.
**HELP WANTED:** Farm/ Stable Hand for an organic farm in The Plains, Virginia. We are looking for a self-motivated person with experience in horse-care, barn and pasture maintenance, operating tractors and making hay. Will include some weekends. Valid drivers license and own transportation necessary. Full time: Competitive hourly wages. Please send resume to Blue2PW@aol.com and cc assistant@roland-farm.com or call 703-754-8713.

**HELP WANTED:** Assistant Farm Manager for a 2,000 Acre Estate and Organic Farming Operation in The Plains. Experience farming, operating and maintaining equipment and record keeping needed. Must be a team player. Valid drivers license necessary. Competitive salary, housing and benefits. Please send resume to Blue2PW@aol.com and cc assistant@roland-farm.com or call 703-754-8713.

**FOR RENT:** Large detached garage apartment. Located between Middleburg and Purcellville. One bedroom, one bathroom, 2 wood burning fireplaces, air-conditioning, house vacuum, garage for car. Utilities are not included. Weekly trash and monthly pest control provided. Rent $900-$1,200/month—negotiable. Contact Sandra Shutler (540) 687-5163.

**AVAILABLE:** Shane Blewitt, a recent Mercersburg Academy graduate and Hill School alumnus (2012) is available through December for childcare, after-school transport, pet sitting and general errand running. Has his own car, is a safe driver, former lifeguard, CPR certified, and has years of experience working with children of all ages — including running a children’s camp this past summer. References are available upon request. Please email shane12.sb@gmail.com or call/text at 571-263-0946.

**SEEKING:** Art gallery sitter, second floor gallery Red Fox Inn and Tavern. Duties include greeting visitors, providing pre-written inventory descriptions and prices of art work on display & logging names and contact information of interested clients. Duties will not include clerical work or telephone answering. Flexible hours mon-fri 10-4, Saturday's optional. Contact Turner Reuter at tr@redfoxinart.com

**SEEKING:** Does anyone have a housekeeper who could use a couple of extra hours at the end of the day? Seeking help every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 5:00-7:00 or 5:30-7:30 in the evening in Middleburg near Foxcroft School. Please contact melissa.lamb@hotmail.com or 917.678.4998.

**SEEKING:** 7 week old calico kitten. Super sweet! Please contact Susan Long—(954) 292-5410.

**AVAILABLE:** Housekeeper with great references looking for a full day on Thursday. Please contact: Ester. 540-359-0552.

**FOR RENT:** Available for adoption:

- 7 week old calico kitten. Super sweet! Please contact Susan Long—(954) 292-5410.

**WANTED:** Old, no longer being used sheepskin saddle pads to be given new life as very comfy seat covers. Call or text Reddy Manierre at 540-687-4124.

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**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 by **Friday, Nov. 18, 2016**.

Thank you for your help!

The Hill School Student Council

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**BEST FRIENDS, WORST ENEMIES**

Understanding the Social Lives of Children

An Evening with Bestselling Author and Child Psychologist

**Michael G. Thompson, Ph.D.**

Tuesday, Nov. 8
7 p.m.

The Hill School
Sheila C. Johnson
Performing Arts Center
130 S. Madison Street
Middleburg, Virginia

Open to the Public

Specializing in schools, families, and childhood development, Dr. Thompson has appeared on *The Today Show, 20/20, The Oprah Winfrey Show,* 60 Minutes, and NPR’s *The Diane Rehm Show.*
### Varsity Tournament
**Thursday, November 3**

**Varsity Girls Field Hockey at Hill**

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### Break Out of Your Shell!

Please join us for the 3rd Annual Oyster Roast!

**Saturday, November 5th • 4-7 PM**

The Hill School • Dornin Science Barn • Middleburg, VA

- Oysters from the Northern Neck
- Hammerdown BBQ • Wine & Beer • Live Music

**Tickets:**
- $35 in advance • $45 Week of the event • Kids under 12: $5

Contact for tickets:
- [pccc@piedmontchildcare.org](mailto:pccc@piedmontchildcare.org)
- [540-592-3708](tel:540-592-3708)

**Sponsored by:**
- **Valley Drilling**

All proceeds go to the John P. Lewis Scholarship Fund, a 501C3 Organization

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### 10th Annual Chinn Lane Yard Sale

**Saturday, October 29**

- **8 AM - 1 PM**
- Multi families • something for all ages

**Be there or be square**
Volunteer tutors are needed for the Windy Hill Study Buddy project, held Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 3 to 4 pm at Banneker School. Volunteers can sign up for either or both days and will assist children in grades 1-5 with reading and math support. No special training needed, just a thoughtful listening adult. Please call Ann Northrup at 540-687-5902 if you are available and interested. Many thanks!

2nd Annual

The Art of The Scarf

October 19 - 30

New Ways to Tie & Wear Scarves

Thursday October 27, 6:30PM

RSVP appreciated 540-253-9797

Silk dyed, pieced, beaded, felted, woven, knitted

Live An Artful Life® Gallery
6474 Main St. The Plains, VA 20198 ● LiveAnArtfulLife.com

15 exceptional artisans

Trick or Treat Murder Mystery at Salamander Resort

October 30th

This is a Murder Mystery Show with a delicious 3-course meal! Price is $85 pp. Menu and timeline of the event can be found on the link above. All reservations should be purchased through Event Brite.

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/trick-or-treat-murder-mystery-at-salamander-resort-tickets-27146506933

Any Hill School families & friends wishing to go can use the code STAGECOACH for 25% off.

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CLAYS FOR Hope
Sport Shooting Event to Benefit the
National Center for Missing & Exploited Children
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2016
Bear’s Den Farm
2846 Rokeby Rd
Delaplane, VA 20144

10:00 A.M. Sign In
11:30 A.M. Competition Begins
Prizes, Lunch & More to Follow

Questions & Registration
missingkids.org/events
Matt Foosaner 703.926.2710
See Reverse for Sponsorship Info

GOLD
$5,000 ($4,000 tax deductible)
Prominent Logo Placement on All Event Materials
Prominent Logo Placement on Website and Social Media
Prominent Placement of Two Years of Five People

SILVER
$2,500 ($2,000 tax deductible)
Prominent Logo Placement on Event Materials
Prominent Logo Placement on Website and Social Media
Prominent Placement of One Team of Five People

BRONZE
$1,000 ($800 tax deductible)
Prominent Logo Placement on Event Materials
Prominent Placement of One Team of Three People

TRAP
$500 ($400 tax deductible)
Prominent Placement of Event Materials

MISSION
The National Center for Missing & Exploited Children’s mission is to help families, law enforcement and communities find missing children, reduce child sexual exploitation and prevent future victimization. As the nonprofit leading the fight to keep children safe from these crimes, NCMEC is dedicated to the victims and their families. Founded in 1984 by missing child advocates John and Reve Walsh after their son Adam’s abduction and murder, NCMEC’s role has grown to respond to evolving threats against our nation’s children.

CHALLENGE
While NCMEC and the families and law enforcement it supports have seen amazing progress in child safety over the years, there is still more work to be done. With more than 460,000 reports of missing children in the United States in a single year and a rise in cases of child sexual exploitation, the need for NCMEC’s services continues to grow.

SOLUTION
NCMEC offers extensive resources in cases of missing and exploited children that include emotional and reunification assistance for families, the distribution of billions of missing child posters and the work of trained analysts and forensic artists. Drawing on decades of experience to help stop these crimes before they happen and to help people be prepared when they do, NCMEC also provides free education for law enforcement, families and children.

NCMEC is a 501 (c)(3) tax-exempt charity and is a publicly supported organization as defined in Sections 501 (c)(3) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) of the Internal Revenue Service Code. Federal ID #52-1128557. All contributions are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

CLAYS FOR Hope
Sponsorship Opportunities

SHARING OUR SUCCESS

STEM Event for Girls in Grades 6 -12
Thursday, November 10, 2016
5:00pm – 7:30pm

VISA
44901 Russell Branch Parkway, Ashburn, VA 20147

You’re invited...
To an exciting evening to learn about the vast array of careers available to women in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) fields.

Participate in an informative and interactive panel discussion with dynamic women in STEM fields including, Amy Grudnik, VP of Infrastructure Project Management at VISA. Experience STEM demos and connect with potential mentors through an intimate networking session.

Space is limited. Early registration encouraged.

FREE STEM Event
Learn about STEM Careers
Connect with Mentors
Experience STEM Demonstrations
Win Prizes

REGISTER TODAY!
http://bit.ly/2dAEx9z

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TO OUR
GRAND OPENING CELEBRATION and
OPEN HOUSE!
EDUCATIONAL TALKS, CLINIC TOURS
DEMONSTRATIONS AND FUN FOR ALL AGES
OCTOBER 28th 3:30 to 6:00 and
OCTOBER 29th 9-5
540-364-4954
More info @ piedmontsmallanimal.com
4122 Zulla Rd, The Plains VA