

TAKE NOTE

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

OCTOBER 31, 2019

All School Halloween Party Friday, November 1st

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 on the recess field

© Grades 4 through 6 and 8 in the art building courtyard

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)

2019-2020 PARENT ANNUAL GIVING CHALLENGE UPDATE



30 days to go! Thank you to the 25% of parents that have already participated!

Go to http://www.thehillschool.org/giving to donate

4-8 Cross Country Race November 5, 2019 Race Schedule PARKING: 2:00 9-10 Girls 2:15 9-10 Boys 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. 2:30 11 Girls 2:40 11 Boys No parking on the side of the The Plains Road. 2:50 12 Girls No parking in the art circle (school buses from visiting schools only) 3:00 12 Boys **ARRIVAL TIME:** 3:10 13+ Girls It is a fifteen minute walk from the parking field to the start and finish line. 3:20 13+ Boys Please plan to arrive at least 15 minutes before your child's race. 3:30 Awards DISMISSAL: 3:50 Dismissal The Plains Road gate will open for dismissal at 3:45.

Coming up at Hill:

Fri., Nov. 1 Halloween Party - 2:00 pm dismissal for JK - 6, 2:20 pm dismissal for 7&8. **NO LATE GATES.**

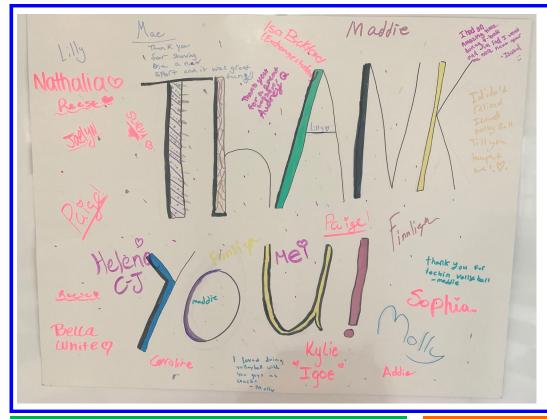
Tues., Nov. 5 Grade 4 - 8 X-Country Race at Hill. Starts at 1:45, dismissal at 4:00 pm.

Tues., Nov. 12 Grade 2 to Airlie, 11 am to 1:30 pm.

Nov. 18—Nov. 25 Holiday Boutique Mini Auction (see Page 7 for more information)

Tues., Nov. 19 Grade 2 to Blue Ridge Wildlife Center, 9:15 am to 12:30 pm.

Fri., Nov. 22 Grade 3 to Jamestown, 8:30 am to 8:30 pm.



THANK YOU

The sports coaches would like to thank Carmen Igoe, Ashley LaShelle, and Tiffany Ayers for volunteering their time and sharing their passion for volleyball with our girls.

They coached the 6-8 girls teams in their inaugural season. Their knowledge and care for the teams was extraordinary.

Community Life at Hill

We believe when parents are engaged with the school community, children benefit and thrive.

Did you know that the Committee on Culture and Inclusion has an Indigenous People bulletin board display just past the front desk? Stop by and check it out!

Read On

The Committee on Culture and Inclusion recommends Hearts Unbroken by Cynthia Lietich Smith. Smith's young adult novel follows Louise Wolfe, who (like Smith) is a member of the Muscogee Nation, as she navigates the complicated, confusing waters of high school — and first love.



Pictures! Class and individual pictures were distributed to students. **Make-up day will be Nov. 6.** Anyone who would like to get a retake needs to bring in portrait packet, (keep class picture).

Call Lifetouch with any questions, 703-802-0105

LOST AND FOUND

Lost and Found items will be in the Theater Lobby through Wednesday, November 20.

After Nov. 20th, unclaimed Lost and Found items will be gathered up and donated to a local thrift shop.

Please write your child's name in all clothing, it really helps us get it back to them.



SPRING BREAK SKI TRIP

As a Hill School alum, I am proud to be offering a ski trip to Copper Mountain in CO over spring break in March. This trip has been a tradition at Hill School for over 30 years and is usually offered by the Bowers. They are unable to run the trip this year, but with Syd and Jack's blessing and guidance, I will be offering this trip through Sports & Adventure

Since 2012, I have been offering Sports & Adventure Camp at Hill School over the summers. It is a licensed and insured company that runs day and overnight trips for middle school-aged children. We are inviting students in the 7th and 8th grade classes to participate in the ski trip this year. The trip costs \$2,300 and is from March 14-18. Please email me by Friday, November 8th to confirm a spot for the trip. There is a 7 participant minimum to run the trip. Please call or email me if you have any questions and think snow!

Thanks!

Paul Harrington

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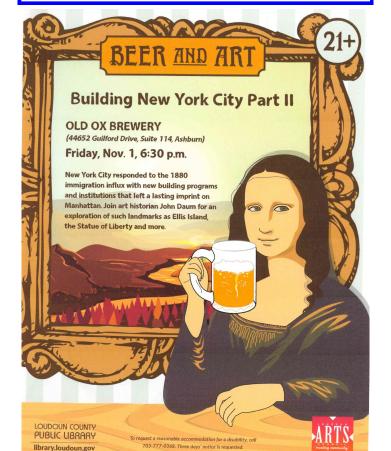


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GREAT BIG DAFFODIL BULB GIVEAWAY

Thousands of daffodil bulbs will be available for free for the first members of the Middleburg community to come and claim their free bulbs. You can help us put One MILLION daffodils in the town of Middleburg. Plant now to enjoy in the spring!



When:

Join us November 3, 2019 - 12:00-3:00pm.

At the Middleburg community Center Where: 200 West Washington St., Middleburg, Va

Everyone is welcome

All daffidols are free to those who are willing to plant them where they can be seen from the street for all to enjoy. Planting instructions and suggestions on where to plant bulbs will come with each bag. The bulbs will be provided on a first-come, first-served basis.

The Middleburg Garden Club has a goal of sustaining beautiful and lasting daffidol bulbs in town while providing n opportunity for interested gardeners to enhance their homes and public spaces through local resources. Our ish is that it will a one of a kind garden event for our town creating beauty while building a sense of community ry young and old alike.

Any questions on the bulb project email DarcyJusten@gmail.com



FOR RENT: Charming stone farm house on Halfway Rd. \$2,800 + utilities. Option for yard upkeep mowing/plowing etc. for an additional \$300 a month. This three bedroom two bathroom house has a kitchen in the English basement. It sits on 180 acres of land in easement. Lovely views from every window. Comfortable warm in winter, cool in summer. 2 minute drive from The Hill School. Truly charming and rare. Great neighbors and landlord. Call Lilla 540-270-0402.

FOR RENT: 2 BR, 1 1/2 BA, big front porch, quiet setting, 2 miles from Middleburg. \$1800/mo. Available Nov 1. Please call George at 540-454-2988.

FOR RENT: Cozy cottage nestled on beautiful farmland for rent off of Atoka Road, Marshall. 3 bed, 2 bath, fireplace, garage, office, and lovely views from every room. Patricks Well Farm, \$1850/mo. Please contact jspytek@junofarm.com with any questions.

FOR SALE: GOALIATH 60" In-Ground Basketball Hoop. \$200. Buyer will need to pick up from my house in Middleburg. Please contact Anne at annedwalker@live.com or 540-878-6664.

FREE: Schwinn 270 nearly new exercise cycle. FREE. UPPERVILLE VA. Call 540-592-3529.



On Saturday, November 9th, 2019 the Middleburg American Legion Post 295 and Boy Scout Troop 2950 are holding the "Rally 'round the Flag" 5-K Run on the Hill School grounds.

Check us out at <u>5k.middleburg.com</u>

The "Rally 'round the Flag" 5-K Run kicks off at 8:30 a.m. for the 5K for runners and walkers, The charge for the event is \$25 and includes a tee-shirt and a numbered racing bib. The Boy Scouts will be serving a breakfast to the veterans after the race. The breakfast at the American Legion's Patriot's Hall is optional for all the runners and non-participants. A modest donation for the breakfast is appreciated.

For additional information or to become a sponsor please contact Teri Domanski directly at 540.687.8067 or myself at (540) 364-3688. Thank you for your consideration. John P. Moliere 1st Vice Commander, American Legion Post 295 Race Director.

NEED PIE FOR THANKSGIVING?

Leave the Baking to Us!

We will be delivering delicious, made by hand pies from Little Apple Pastry Shop in Aldie in time for Thanksgiving!

Pick Up at Hill School on Tuesday, November 26th after 10am



Made from scratch with the best ingredients. Just like you would make if you had the time!

This pie fundraiser will benefit The Giving Tree program at Hill to provide Windy Hill families with gifts and groceries during the Holidays.

ALL ORDERS MUST BE RECEIVED BY: THURSDAY, NOV. 14TH

Please submit all orders to the Front Desk with cash or checks payable to The Hill School with Giving Tree in the note section.

Don't need any pies? Consider donating one! We will deliver donated pies to a local food bank!

| Name: | Phone/Email: | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|----------|
| Pie Type | Quantity Ordered | Quantity Donated | Price per Pie | Subtotal |
| Pumpkin | | | \$25 | |
| Apple | | | \$22 | |
| Dutch Apple (crumb topping) | | | \$22 | |
| Rustic Apple (more crust) | | | \$22 | |
| Salted Caramel Apple | | | \$25 | |
| Pecan (made with fresh GA pecans) | | | \$28 | |
| Total | | | | |

We encourage you to reach out to non-Hill families, but you would need to deliver their pies or they would need to pick up at Hill. Questions? Please contact Amy Miller amyfitzmiller@gmail.com. Thank you!



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IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE 6TH ANNUAL OYSTER ROAST

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND * 4-7PM

THE HILL SCHOOL * DORNIN SCIENCE BARN * MIDDLEBURG, VA

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THE HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE MINI-AUCTION!

Mark your calendars for this very special event!

The Holiday Boutique will open Monday, November 18th at 8:30! It will be open every day November 18th-22nd from 8:30-4:00. On Monday, November 25th it will close at Noon.

NEW PARENTS, please join us for a very special New Parent Breakfast on November 19th! We are excited to tell you a little bit more about our big auction, answer questions, and of course, give you an opportunity to bid and shop!

Please RSVP to the email invite you received. If you didn't receive the electronic invitation, please let Chris Johnson know!

ALL PARENTS, please join us at the Boutique!

Good Bargains, Good Cheer
It's the Most Wonderful Time of the Year!