



# TAKE NOTE

The Hill School  
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[www.thehillschool.org](http://www.thehillschool.org)

## OCTOBER 4, 2018

*No School Monday, October 8th  
Teacher Professional Development Day*



### Parent Teacher Club (PTC) Back-to-School Night

**TONIGHT, Thursday, October 4th, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.**

The evening will begin at 7:00 p.m. with a brief all-school meeting in the Theater.

After this meeting, parents will go to their child(ren)'s homeroom(s) for a presentation by the homeroom teacher of this year's curriculum and events. The evening will conclude at approximately 9:00 p.m.

Please Note: We will not have childcare available during the meeting.



### Please Join Us for a Head of School Coffee

with Treavor Lord, Head of School,  
Erich Weber, Development Committee Chair,  
and Will Nisbet, Director of Institutional Development

The topic to be discussed will be the Financial  
Structure and Role of Charitable Gifts at Hill School

Friday, October 12th  
8:30 am in the Alumni Room

Thank you to all who came out to help and have fun at the Country Fair. It was a great day that couldn't have happened without Bob Dornin and his team for giving us an area to play and perform, Emily Tyler for her organization and food, Hunt Lyman and his team of musicians, Susan McCaskey for her spin art expertise, our baking contest judges, the parents who set up and stayed late to clean up, Mr. Hart and the 4th graders for their help in setting up, and Maya Weck and her cousin Zoe for face painting.

Lots of delicious entries this year and tough competition but the winners are:

**Most Delicious:** Kendall Leitch  
chocolate chip cookies

**Most Creative:** Jessica Smith rainbow cupcakes



Friday, October 5, 2018

Arboretum Day will be a day-long celebration including outdoor activities for the children and a formal dedication ceremony of the Polly Rowley Arboretum.

In the morning, all students will participate in special activities in multi-age groups. Please pack a picnic lunch for your child; the lunchroom will not be available that day.

The dedication will be held from 1:00 to 1:30 on the cross-campus road near the Art Room. Parents are welcome to attend the ceremony.

Gates Closure on the cross-campus road: The gate near The Plains Road and the gate at the top of the hill near the main traffic circle will be closed from 9:30 am until 2:45 pm.

25 years ago, Polly Rowley started preparing our newly donated campus for tree plantings that would bring beauty and educational opportunities to Hill School. Last year, the Smithsonian Institution recognized the Hill School Arboretum. Please join us Friday, October 5, to celebrate and recognize Mrs. Rowley's vision, hard work, and dedication.

# Coming up at Hill:

Fri., Oct. 5	Arboretum Day. See Page 1 for more information.
Mon., Oct. 8	No School - Professional Development Day
Tues., Oct. 9	V Boys Soccer vs. Wakefield at Hill. Game at 3:30, dismissal at 4:45 pm V Girls Field Hockey vs. Flint Hill at Flint Hill. Game at 3:00, dismissal at 5:15 pm
Wed., Oct 10	Alumni Golf Tournament at Bull Run Golf Club Grade 4 Soccer Playday with LCDS at Hill. Game begins at 12:45, regular 4:00 pm dismissal Grade 5 Soccer Playday with LCDS at LCDS. Game begins at 12:45, regular 4:00 pm dismissal
Thurs., Oct. 11	JV1 Girls Field Hockey vs. Powhatan at Hill. Game at 3:30, dismissal at 4:45 pm JV2 Girls Field Hockey vs. Walker Grant at Hill. Game at 4:30, dismissal at 5:45 pm V Girls Field Hockey vs. Walker Grant at Hill. Game at 4:30, dismissal at 5:45 pm
Tues., Oct. 16	V Boys Soccer vs. Powhatan at Hill. Game at 3:30, dismissal at 4:45 pm JV Boys Soccer vs. Powhatan at Hill. Game at 4:40, dismissal at 5:55 pm JV1 Girls Field Hockey vs. Edlin at Hill. Game at 3:00, dismissal at 4:15 pm V Girls Field Hockey vs. Powhatan at Powhatan. Game at 3:30, dismissal at 5:15 pm JV2 Girls Field Hockey vs. Powhatan at Powhatan. Game at 4:30, dismissal at 6:15 pm
Thurs., Oct. 18	Conference Day—No School
Fri., Oct. 19	Fall Holiday— No School

**FREE TO GOOD HOME:** 2 young (just feathered) layer hens with small coop. Contact Sherry Riley at 540-336-7106.

**AVAILABLE:** Terrific Senior Care Help: driving, shopping, cooking, light cleaning and companionship. Nora Holsinger helped us with our mom and she is now looking for work. Please call Martha Burke for references, or Nora Holsinger to speak with her in person. Martha Burke 540-592-3001, Nora Holsinger 540-877-8214.

**SEEKING:** My 16 year old daughter (current student at Foxcroft) is looking for STEM (Science Technology Engineering and Math) internship opportunities to fulfill her STEM Concentration requirements at Foxcroft - and because she wants the experience and exposure. She is most interested in computer science/cyber security but working in an organization in the security industry would be great too. Government subcontractor? So many angles really. Might anyone be familiar with any organizations who offer high school student programs? Or might anyone have a business that could use a dedicated, driven and enthusiastic intern? We live in Middleburg. She could work over breaks and summer. Please email me at middleburgbunny@gmail.com.

**HIRING:** Looking for a part time job? If so, and you have equine experience, please call Middleburg Tack Exchange 540-687-6608.

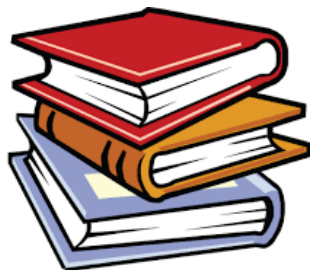
**NEEDED:** Art needs clean gallon milk jugs, no tops.

**AVAILABLE:** Cora, older sister of Rowan (2nd grade) and Kai (JK) is saving for college and is offering her babysitting and nannying services. CPR, AED and first aid certified, and has experience caring for all ages. Availability and rates vary. She can be contacted at (540) 542-9388.

## New student book club for grades 4-6!

Our first book will be Land of Stories, Book 1, but in the future, books will be chosen by the students in club. Anyone interested can sign up on the sign-up sheet outside the 5th grade room.

If you have a question, see Jill Beifuss or Lucy Turner.



## The Hill School Open Golf Tournament Wednesday, October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018



Captain's Choice  
12 noon shotgun start  
Bull Run Golf Club – Haymarket, Virginia  
*Organized by the Alumni Association*  
All levels of golfers are welcome  
Clinics 10:30 am  
Registration 11:00–11:30 am

Entry deadline: Friday, October 5, 2018

Please register online:

<https://app.eventcaddy.com/events/the-2018-hill-school-open-golf-tournament>

# Cherry Blossom 5K Run, Walk and Pooch Prance For Breast Cancer

*Join us at Foxcroft School!*



ORGANIZED BY:  
CHERRY BLOSSOM  
BREAST CANCER  
FOUNDATION

**Sunday  
October 14, 2018**

In-person registration opens: 12:00 PM  
Walk, Run and Prance start: 1:00 PM

Start Location: Foxcroft School  
22407 Foxhound Lane  
Middleburg, VA 20117

*Sponsor the cause and our teams. Join Us at Foxcroft School on October 14th!*

Interested in joining our current sponsors?  
Contact us at: [info@cherryblossombreastcancerfoundation.org](mailto:info@cherryblossombreastcancerfoundation.org)



Online registrations and donations:  
Coming Soon!

Our new website is coming in September!

Visit our Facebook page:  
[facebook.com/cbbreastcancerfoundation](https://facebook.com/cbbreastcancerfoundation)

90% of our grant monies are directed locally to help in the fight against breast cancer!

Please join fellow Hill community members in their support of The Cherry Blossom Breast Cancer Foundation! This event began on the Hill campus, in honor of Nanette White, a Hill School parent, grandparent, and Board of Trustees member (1977-1980). Her grandson, Wagner White, is a current Hill student.

If you are interested in being a part of a team, rather than participating independently, please contact, Lauren Vogan at [laurenvogan@aol.com](mailto:laurenvogan@aol.com), or see Payton Vogan, 8<sup>th</sup> grade, as soon as possible. We would love to have a Hill School team to show our support!

See [www.cherryblossombreastcancerfoundation.org](http://www.cherryblossombreastcancerfoundation.org) for more information and to register!

An advertisement for Kids 8 Week Yoga Workshops. The top half shows a group of children and an adult sitting on the floor in a yoga pose. The text 'Private Lessons available for ALL ages or small groups upon request' is overlaid on the image. Below the image, the text reads: 'KIDS 8 WEEK YOGA WORKSHOPS AT NATIVE BARRE STUDIOS'. At the bottom, it says 'OCTOBER 24TH - DECEMBER 19TH'. On the right side, it lists 'TWO SECTIONS AVAILABLE': 'KIDS YOGA 4YR - 7YR WEDNESDAYS 3:30PM - 4:15PM' and 'KIDS YOGA 8YR - 12YR WEDNESDAYS 4:15PM - 5:15PM'. At the bottom left, it says 'REGISTER NOW AT: NATIVEBARRE.COM UNDER "LITTLE NATIVE"'.

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Interested in helping with  
the Christmas Parade?

Join us for brainstorming  
sessions on  
Tuesday, October 9th at 3 pm  
or Thursday, October 11th at  
8:30 am in the Alumni Room.



## 4th Grade Fundraiser lunch



**Thursday, October 25**

**Chicken sandwich(1 or 2),  
applesauce, Rice Krispie treat**

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**Name #1:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ one sandwich \$8.00
- ☐ two sandwiches \$12.00

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**Name #2:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ one sandwich \$8.00
- ☐ two sandwiches \$12.00

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**Name #3:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ one sandwich \$8.00
- ☐ two sandwiches \$12.00

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Please include cash or check payable to The Hill School with  
"Class of 2023" in the memo line.

**Orders must be received by Tuesday, Oct. 23.**

Drop off your this form and payment at the front desk. Please contact Monique Lynch at  
drmlynch@yahoo.com with any questions. **Thank you!!!**





### Coding Foundation Skills Through Art and Play Club

Our classes are screenless so children learn by playing games, creating art and being active.

Kids will learn *problem-solving* skills using *ideas from computer science*- the foundation to coding:

Algorithmic thinking

Decomposition

Abstraction

Pattern Recognition

Logical Deduction

Divide & Conquer

Debugging

Students will also learn soft skills like confidence, tenacity and collaboration

#### Activities:

Programming robots

Painting

Cooking

Dancing

Arts & Crafts

Games

Charcoal sketching

Fun obstacle courses and so much more!

### **Information Session**

**Wednesday**

**October 17th**

**4:00 pm**

**Alumni Room**

[www.Byteknack.com](http://www.Byteknack.com)

## Abira and the Mountain

Showing

Sunday, October 7, 2018

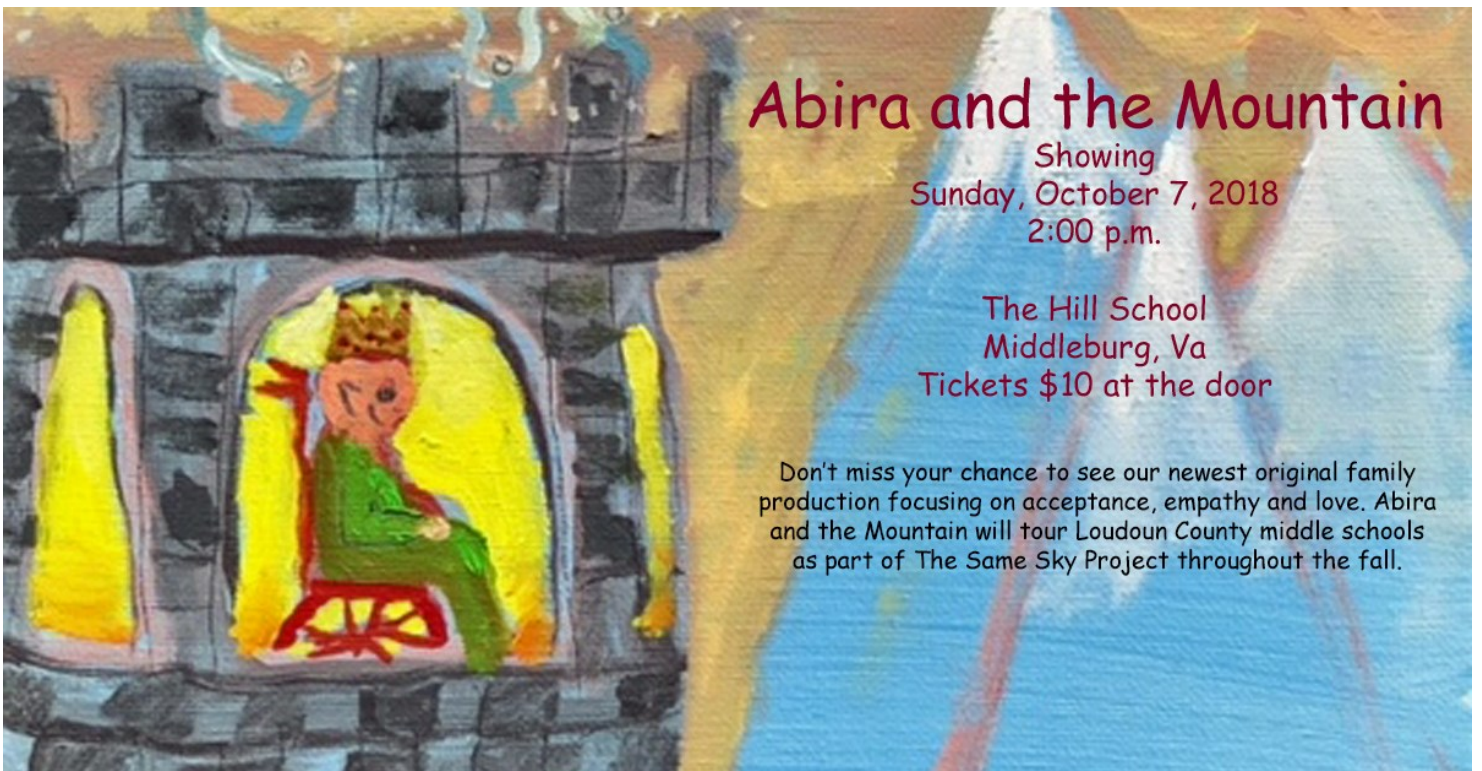
2:00 p.m.

The Hill School

Middleburg, Va

Tickets \$10 at the door

Don't miss your chance to see our newest original family production focusing on acceptance, empathy and love. Abira and the Mountain will tour Loudoun County middle schools as part of The Same Sky Project throughout the fall.



**Sign up today!**

**ALL AGES WELCOME!**

# **GREAT MIDDLEBURG CLEANUP**

**Sat., Oct. 27, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.**

Meet at the Community Center

Fall is in the air, so it's time to get together and give our town a shine. Grab a friend, bring a neighbor and help make a difference in your community.

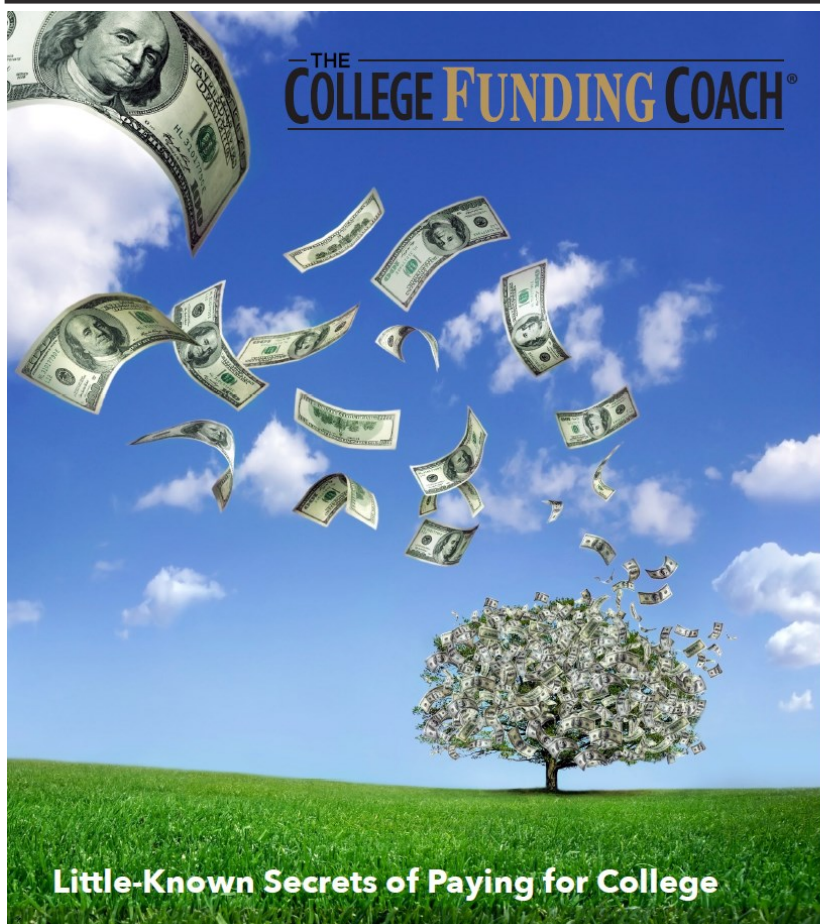
Please dress comfortably and be ready to sweep up the streets.

Middleburg is over 230 years old.  
Let's make sure she never looks it!



**TO SIGN UP, EMAIL  
MIDDLEBURGCLEANUP@GMAIL.COM**

Co-Sponsored by the Streetscape & Go Green Committees and Middleburg Futures Group



## **Join us for a Parent Workshop**

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The Hill School  
October 23, 2018  
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM  
130 S. Madison Street  
Middleburg, VA 20118

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To RSVP, please [Click here](http://thecollegefundingcoach.org) or visit our  
website at  
[thecollegefundingcoach.org](http://thecollegefundingcoach.org).



# the 7th grade's **EXTRAORDINARY** grocery bag fundraiser

This is not an ordinary grocery bag folks.

This is a "why-do-I-not-already-have-10-of-these" grocery/everything bag.

**say goodbye to**

- 🗨️ piles of flimsy, wrinkly, reusable bags that don't hold enough (these hold 40 pounds!)
- 😡 Costco boxes that won't fit in your recycle bin
- 😬 72 trips from the car after shopping
- 😱 a disorganized trunk
- ♻️ BONUS: they're made from recycled water bottles!

Seriously, these bags are AMAZING!  
Ask the people who bought them last year.  
They sold out last year, so order soon!



These are fabulous, I would like \_\_\_\_\_ bags at \$15 each. Total \$\_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Cash or checks made payable to The Hill School, with "Class of 2020" in the memo line.

**Orders must be received no later than Friday, October 12th .**