



TAKE NOTE

The Hill School
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DECEMBER 12, 2019



Ski season is coming!

Forms are due **TOMORROW**, December 13th.

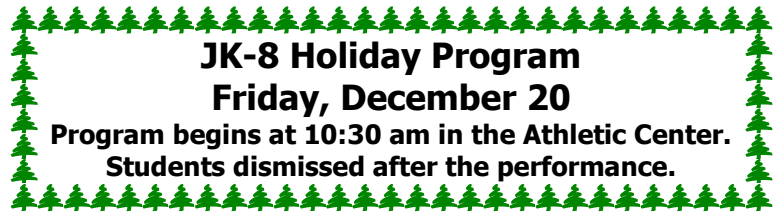
First Meeting: Friday, January 10 - 11:00 am dismissal (Extra Early)

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).



St. George and the Dragon Thursday, December 19

The annual production of "St. George and the Dragon," by the 7th grade will be performed at 11:00 am (JK-3) and at 3:15 pm (4-8) in the Performing Arts Center. All families and friends are invited to either performance.



JK-8 Holiday Program

Friday, December 20

Program begins at 10:30 am in the Athletic Center.
Students dismissed after the performance.



January Lunch Forms were attached to Last Week's Take Note. Orders are due by December 20.

Hill School will be offering the
NATIONAL MYTHOLOGY EXAM
Wed., Feb. 26th - 4-5PM (during study hall)

This year's theme:
PERSEUS & MYTHOLOGICAL MONSTERS

Students in Grades 3-8
are eligible to take the test
Sign-up with Mrs. Lovelette
before Winter Break!

Community Life at Hill

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



PARENTING HAPPY HOUR

with Hill School's counselor,
Kasia Daum

Tuesday, December 17th at 3pm
Alumni Room

Informal Q & A and discussion on what parents can do to help their teens be emotionally healthy. Bring your questions, get suggestions and book recommendations.



A great big THANK YOU to everyone who helped make the Hill School float such a festive addition to the Christmas in Middleburg Parade!

A HUGE Thank You to: Carmen Igoe for her leadership, creativity, and enthusiasm and to James Igoe for driving the float.

In addition a special thank you goes to:

- All of the lower school students who rode the float. Their holiday spirit was downright infectious!
- A great group of 8th grade volunteers. Thank you for getting into costume and bringing cheer (and candy) to the spectators!
- Bob Dornin and Kelly Johnson for their behind-the-scenes magic.
- All the families that donated candy.

PIC Parent Meetings

- JK - Tues., January 21 (Lunch Room)
- K - Fri., January 24 (Alumni Room)
- 1 - Mon., January 27 (Alumni Room)
- 2 - Tues., January 14 (Lunch Room)
- 3 - Thurs., January 23 (Alumni Room)
- 4 - Mon., January 13 (Alumni Room)
- 5 - Wed., January 15 (Lunch Room)
- 6 - Fri., January 10 (Alumni Room)
- 7 - Tues., January 14 (Alumni Room)
- 8 - Tues., January 21 (Alumni Room)

All meetings begin after drop off at 8:30.



Coming up at Hill:

Tues., Dec. 17

JV1 Boys Basketball vs. Wakefield at Hill. Game at 3:00, dismissal at 4:15 pm

V Boys Basketball vs. Wakefield at Hill. Game at 4:00, dismissal at 5:15 pm

JV1 Girls Basketball vs. Wakefield at Wakefield. Game at 3:15, dismissal at 5:00 pm

JV2 Girls Basketball vs. Sacred Heart at Sacred Heart. Game at 4:30 dismissal at 6:30 pm

CORRECTION: JV2 Boys Basketball vs. Sacred Heart at Sacred Heart. Game at 5:30 dismissal at 7:30 pm
There is no V Girls Game.

Thurs. Dec. 19

Grade 7 - St. George and the Dragon Performances at 11:00 am and 3 :15 pm

Fri., Dec. 20

Holiday Program at 10:30 am. Students are dismissed for the two week vacation after the program.



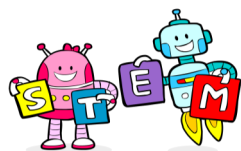
The Hill School Ornament

Festive, shatterproof ornaments for sale—white balls with the official Hill logo in green. Make your tree extra special and full of Hill spirit with these keepsake ornaments!

\$5/ornament

Available at the Front Desk.

Please make check payable to The Hill School.



STEM AFTER SCHOOL FOR 6-8TH GRADE GIRLS

Every year Hill works with 6-8th grade girls after school on a variety of S.T.E.M. activities in preparation for the STEM Challenge at Foxcroft School.

This year's challenge theme is *Galaxy Trek* and will be held on Saturday, February 22nd.

Space is limited for the competition, but all are welcome participate in the club.

Contact lpatterson@thehillschool.org to sign up. STEM Club will meet once a week, after school on Thursdays from 4 -5 pm, starting Dec 19th.

Student Council would love your help this holiday season!



STOCKING STUFFERS!

Our goal is to give each child (30 total) a stocking filled with goodies. Children's ages range from newborn to 18, boys and girls.

We will have a collection box in the front office and anyone wishing to contribute can donate small items. Here are some suggestions:

Match Box cars, card games, lip gloss, candy, art supplies, small stuffed animals, action figures, puzzles, stickers, Mad Libs, mini Lego sets, beads,

bath/soap items, mittens or gloves, juggling balls, stamp sets, play-doh, \$10 Safeway cards (for hungry teenagers)... or your favorite stocking stuffer to give!

Please contact Emily Tyler etyler@thehillschool.org if you have any questions.

Student Council will be stuffing the stockings on Monday, December 16th

*Please Consider
Donating Your Spare Change to
"Homeward Bound: A Journey
Away From Homelessness"
A Winchester VA based initiative
to end
homelessness
Donations will be divided between
the following charities:*

*The Winchester Rescue Mission
&
The Evans Home for
Children*

The collection jar is located
at the front desk

AVAILABLE: Lilly and Rose Potter are home over break Dec 17 – Jan 6. We can watch your home and/or your pets and we are experienced with all animals. Can also watch pets at our home, if preferred. Numerous local references; we are both Hill grads, Lilly Foxcroft/Hollins grad currently at W&M law, Rose Jr. Mercersburg. Please text 540-498-2500 or email fiver148@gmail.com.

AVAILABLE: Reliable and experienced babysitter, with own transportation (Hill '16). Available weekends, some weeknights and over the Holidays. References available. Call or text Gracie Dunlap, 540-326-1575.

SEEKING: We are in search of land to store construction vehicles and 1-2 Conex shipping containers for the winter season. Please send inquires to Jason Kolowski, Ph.D., F-ABC at jckform6@gmail.com or 917-655-4250.

FOR SALE: Baldwin upright console piano (mahogany) in very good condition (57" long x 45"H X 26" deep). Baldwin pianos have a history of creating high quality upright pianos that sound great, last forever, and have designs that withstand the test of time. Made in the USA. Includes piano, bench, and solid brass piano light. \$1000 obo. Frank 540-592-7138.

FOR SALE: Gorilla heavy duty metal storage rack with 5 wooden shelves. \$50. Frank 540-592-7138

FOR SALE: White 4-drawer solid maple dresser, clean lines with no hardware. Very good condition (33"W x 42"H X 18"Deep). Perfect for a baby's room. \$100 obo. Frank 540-592-7138

FREE: Upright Piano and Bench. Melville Clark brown upright piano and bench are available. Approximately 4ft 7 inches wide. Antique, but still plays. It was a gift to our daughter to start learning on, so passing it on for another to do same. All you need to do is arrange to move and pick up (near Route 611/Foxcroft Road intersection). Email montog@aol.com or text 571-451-7932.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS ARE FOR READING

The Middleburg Library Advisory Board is sponsoring a holiday book giveaway this year. The purpose is to promote the Middleburg Library and to encourage holiday reading, by giving a new book to the children of our community. We hope our families will visit the library often and check out many books for free!

To participate, a child will check out at least one book from the Middleburg Library, using their Loudoun County Public Library card. The child will then receive a gift certificate for a free book from Second Chapter Books. The gift certificate is available to children (aged 0-18) who qualify for a Middleburg Library card or who already have one. A parent's library card will not be accepted.

Each gift certificate has a \$20.00 value. Each participating child may receive one. The gift certificates are redeemable from December 5, 2019 – January 31, 2020.

The child will present their gift certificate at Second Chapter Books, to redeem for their free book. Any purchase amount exceeding the \$20 gift certificate value is the responsibility of the child's parent/guardian. Second Chapter Books will not provide change for purchases under \$20, however, they will apply any remaining amount below the total gift certificate value to a bookstore account credit for the child.

Second Chapter Books is located at 13 East Washington Street in Middleburg.

READ and ENJOY!

Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church

1175 Delaplane Grade Road – Upperville, VA 20184
Rev. Philip C. Lewis, Pastor 540-592-3530

Annual Christmas Candlelight Service



The Mt. Pisgah Men's Chorus

will present

"Wise Men From The East"



Saturday, December 21, 2019, 6:00 pm

Repat following service

Admission Free



**THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO PARTICIPATED
IN SHOPPING AT THE FABULOUS HILL SCHOOL
CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE**

**Thanks to your support, the Boutique was a huge success!
Funds from Boutique sales allow the auction committee to
start working on putting together packages to purchase for the
spring auction. These starter funds are very important and we
sincerely appreciate everyone's participation!**

**A very special thank you to three very special elves, without
whose help and many hours of preparation the Christmas
Boutique would not be possible.**

**Thank you to Kim Medica, Jill Blunt,
and Wendy Heuer
for making Christmas at Hill a truly unique and successful
shopping experience for all!**

Happy Holidays!

If you will be alone, away from home, unable to prepare a meal, or would like to share in some laughter & joy, please join us for:

**Middleburg's
Annual
Community Christmas Dinner 2019**



Christmas Day 1:00 – 3:00

*At Emmanuel Parish House
105 E. Washington Street*

*Call Second Chapter Books
540-687-7016*

For reservations or more information

*Drop-in guests make us smile.
Donations & kitchen elves welcome.*

No cost for the meal, it is supported by the Middleburg community and by: Middleburg Business and Professional Association, Second Chapter Books, Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Side Saddle Café, Middleburg Commons Grounds. Red Horse Tavern



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home-farm-estate-stable operations***

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hunt member sensitive to land
conservation/owner relations***

Le Petit Marche'

Christmas 2019!

**5 W. Washington Street, Middleburg, VA
(540) 827-4711**

Tuesday-Saturday 11-6

Christmas week and New Years week will be open on Monday, closed Wednesday.

BEEF

Standing Rib Eye (whole 18lbs) (half 9lbs) Angus Grade.....\$18.99/lb
Rib Eye Boneless (whole 12-14lbs) half 5-7lbs) Angus Grade....\$20.99/lb
Tenderloin (avg weight 5lbs) Angus Grade.....\$27.99/lb
Chateaubriand Angus Grade 28-32 oz.....\$62.99/lb

LAMB

Leg of Lamb Bone-In (avg weight 12-14lbs).....\$ 9.99/lb
Leg of Lamb BRT Boneless (whole 9lbs) (half 4-5lbs).....\$14.99/lb
Rack of Lamb (whole 16 bones) (8 bones).....\$24.99/lb

GAME

Pheasant\$39/each
Goose (fresh) 8-10lbs \$179.99, 10-12lbs \$213.99, 12-14lbs \$247.99
Whole Rabbit approx 2.5 – 3lbs\$15.60/lb
Quail 4/pack\$32/pack
Duck 5lbs.....\$27/each

Other game can be ordered with 2-3 days notice. Please call to inquire.

Oysters in Shell by the Bushel

Blue Point Oysters (NY, CT).....\$90
Bay Shore (MD).....\$90
Wild James River (VA).....\$90

All meats and seafood listed on the website will be available as well.

www.lepetitmarche.org

Prices are subject to change. 12/4/2019

Armchair Travel

OLD OX BREWERY MIDDLEBURG | Friday, Dec. 13, 6:30 p.m.

(14 S. Madison St., Middleburg)

Embark on a whirlwind journey to Belgium — without leaving your seat. Art history teacher and adventure traveler John Daum will guide you on a virtual trip to Bruges, a city renowned for its well-preserved medieval and Renaissance buildings as well as its delicious food and beer.



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To request a reasonable accommodation for a disability,
call 703-777-0368. Three days' notice is requested.

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