

TAKE NOTE

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

DECEMBER 5, 2019

Thank you! We did it! IT'S TIME TO CELEBRATE

THANKS TO YOU AND YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT, WE EXCEEDED THE 90% PARENT PARTICIPATION GOAL WITH 92% OF OUR FAMILIES PARTICIPATING.

WE RECEIVED A \$25,000 MATCHING GIFT FROM A FRIEND OF HILL SCHOOL!



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.



Ski season is coming!

Sign up forms are attached and are due to the office by **Friday**, **Dec.** 13.

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 <u>by Friday</u>, <u>Dec. 13</u>.



The Book Fair 4-8 grade permission slips are on Page 3. Please Note: Cash will not be accepted at the Book Fair.

School charge, credit, and check only, please!



January Lunch Forms are attached. Orders are due by December 20.

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Join the Hill School for Christmas in Middleburg

Christmas in Middleburg is Saturday, December 7th.

All JK-3 children are invited to ride along with the Hill School lion on our float.

IMPORTANT NOTES

Pay for parking in advance and guarantee your spot! More on parking and Christmas in Middleburg events - www.christmasinmiddleburg.org

> DROP OFF: On the cross-campus road between 1:15 and 1:30 Hill School's line-up spot is #48 No children may join the float after we start moving

PICK UP: At the art circle *immediately* following the parade (approximately 3:00). For safety reasons, children may not leave the float prior to returning to Hill School

DRESS: Show your pride by wearing your favorite (WARM) Hill School apparel

SIGN UP: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0944ABA82CA2FA7-christmas

Questions? Contact Carmen Igoe at carmen.igoe@gmail.com

Coming up at Hill:

Sat., Dec. 7	Christmas in Middleburg Parade
Tues., Dec. 10 - Dec. 12	Book Fair
Tue., Dec. 10	JV2 Boys Basketball vs. LCDS at LCDS. Game at 3:15, dismissal at 4:45 pm JV1 Boys Basketball vs. LCDS at LCDS. Game at 4:00, dismissal at 5:45 pm V Boys Basketball vs. LCDS at LCDS. Game at 5:00, dismissal at 6:45 pm JV2 Girls Basketball vs. LCDS at Hill. Game at 3:15, dismissal at 4:15 pm JV1 Girls Basketball vs. LCDS at Hill. Game at 4:00, dismissal at 5:15 pm V Girls Basketball vs. LCDS at Hill. Game at 5:00, dismissal at 6:15 pm
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 V Girls Basketball vs. Sacred Heart at Sacred Heart. Game at 5:30 dismissal at 7:30 pm
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.



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 <u>etyler@thehillschool.org</u> if you have any questions.

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

Holiday Grocery Baskets!

We would like to provide 30 local families with baskets of approximately \$100 worth of non-perishable groceries. We will supply the bins for distribution. We also need shoppers! If you would like to donate a grocery box or shop with donated funds please call or email Emily Tyler to sign up.



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

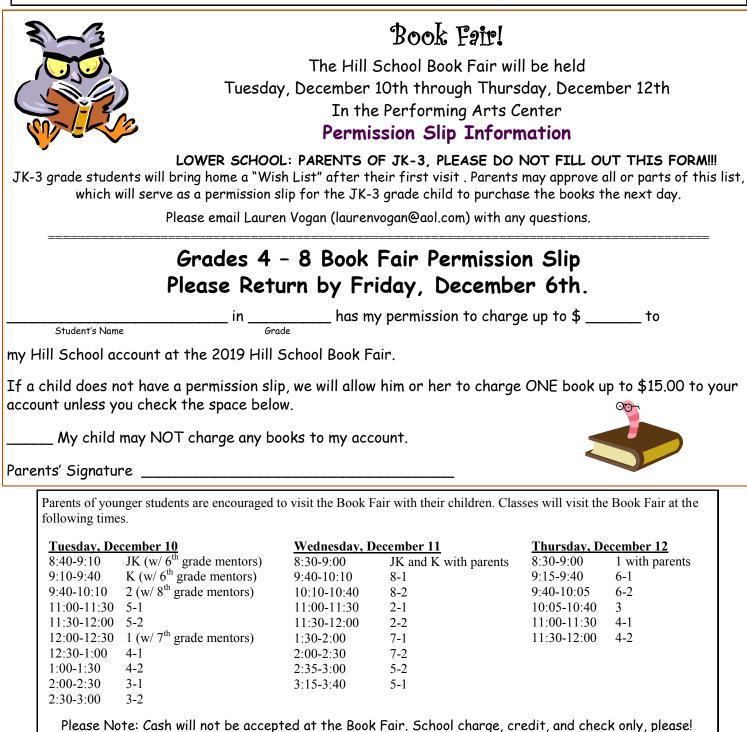
The collection jar is located at the front desk **AVAILABLE:** Lilly and Rose Potter are home over break Dec 17 – Jan 6. We can watch your home and/or your pets and we are experienced with all animals. Can also watch pets at our home, if preferred. Numerous local references; we are both Hill grads, Lilly 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). Weekends, some weeknights and over the Holidays. References available. Call or text Gracie Dunlap, 540-326-1575.

AVAILABLE: Hello this is Brenda Correa. I offer house cleaning services and am available twice a week. Currently I am also working with some family members of those who attend The Hill School, and I can provide other references reflecting my work and my character. Feel Free to contact me if any further questions at 540-818-0557 or at correabrenda1981@gmail.com. Thank you!

AVAIALBLE: Loudoun Ice Centre offers a unique party venue. You can rent the entire ice rink and heated party room for only \$200, and rental skates are available. Great for hosting birthday parties, holiday events, fundraisers, school spirit nights and field trips. Learn to skate programs, group, and private lessons are available. Please contact Alyene Fiorini for further details at 248-979-8966.

SEEKING: We are I search of anyone with some space on their 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 jckforn6@gmail.com or 917-655-4250.



HILL SCHOOL SKI CLUB 2020

The 2020 Ski Club will again be held at Bryce Resort in Basye, Virginia. The Ski Club offers a series of five 50-minute lessons and a Mini-Olympic race. Half of the ski classes will meet at 2:15; the remaining classes will meet at 3:30. Before and after the lessons the students ski on their own.

SNOW BOARDING: Bryce will offer snow boarding classes (for beginners and for advanced boarders) parallel to the regular ski school classes. These snow boarding classes are open to children 3rd grade and up. Classes have only a limited number of openings; the slots will be filled on a first come-first served basis.

- (Extra early dismissal from school: JK-8 11:00) Friday, January 10
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- Friday, January 17 Friday, January 24 Friday, January 31 4.
- 5. Friday, February 7
- School will dismiss at 11:50 for JK-8 **MINI-OLYMPICS** (More information will be sent home later) Friday, February 14 6.

Miscellaneous Information A. <u>ELIGIBILITY</u>: All Hill School students are welcome to participate. Children in Grades JK-3 must be accompanied by a parent or an adult who is responsible for them and is willing to assist the children during and after their classes (especially beginner skiers).

<u>COST</u>: Option #1: Without rental: **\$190** (includes lessons, slope fees) Option #2: With ski / snowboard rental: **\$300** (includes lessons, slope fees, ski/board/boots rental) w/o helmet) Option #3: With equipment plus helmet rental: **\$350** (includes all of the above plus a helmet rental)

Prices are for the entire season. Adjustments will be made only for sessions cancelled by Hill School or Bryce Resort.

If you choose option #2 or #3 and turn in your rental forms before Christmas break, your equipment will be ready for your pick-up at the beginning of each Ski Club session. You may also rent your equipment individually every week, but for CASH only (cannot be charged to your Hill School account).

C TRANSPORTATION: Private car or Hill School Ski Bus. Hill School bus ticket is \$20 per round-trip. Students should be in the 4th grade or above to ride the bus without supervision of an older student or adult. (Riders will sign up for the bus the mornings of the ski trips). Parents of younger students who would like their child to ride the bus should contact Mrs. Fleming to arrange for supervision.

<u>D. ENROLLMENT</u>: If you wish to enroll, please complete the form below and return it to the office <u>no later than Friday</u>, <u>December 13</u>. YOUR ACCOUNT WILL BE BILLED.

E. <u>MINI-OLYMPICS</u>: Competition will begin in mid-morning and continue into the afternoon. The schedule for each class will be published the preceding week. More information will be published in a future Take Note.

If your child(ren) are renting equipment this year, you must complete a special form, and it must be returned to the office before Christmas Break. Forms may be obtained in the Front Office or via the Hill School Website.

Name:	Age: Grade:
Skiing	·
Snowboarding (grade 3 and up)	
Ski/Snowboard Rental through Bryce	e No Ski/Snowboard rental needed
Helmet Rental through Bryce	Own helmet
Participated in Hill Ski Club last yea	r
No additional experience	
Significant addition experience	e (please attach list)
New Participantbeginner	intermediate
Will ride bus (grade 4 and up)	most weeksoccasionally

"Nutcracker"

A National Garden Clubs Standard Flower Show presented by The Middleburg Garden Club



Emmanuel Episcopal Church Parish Hall 105 East Washington Street Middleburg, Virginia 20117

Thursday, December 5, 2019 • 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM Friday, December 6, 2019 • 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Free and Open to the Public

Christmas Bazaar - Holiday Gourmet Gifts, Greens, and Wreaths available for purchase



BARRY MAGNER huntcountryK9@gmail.com

(443) 878-4383

- Basic Puppy Obedience
- In Home Training Sessions
- Adult Dog Obedience
 Behavior Modification
- Behavior woollication



Pamela J Donehower

Box 1565, Middleburg, VA 20118 571-271-4177 pampac99@yahoo.com

Town - Country Animal / Estate Sitting



Solid enthusiastic references

30 years experience

Long or short term availability

Gifted in animal communication

Extensive experience coordinating home-farm-estate-stable operations

Former VA realtor-Recognized hunt member sensitive to land conservation/owner relations

Youngblood Art Studio

Upcoming Holiday Events Decorate Your Own Ornament Sunday December 8 1:00- 3:00 \$15 per family for 1st ornament + \$5 for each additional ornament treats included. Youngblood Art Studio LLC. 6480 Main Street The Plains VA.

FUN for Everybody - Does your child want to make a Christmas present for friends or family? Come to YAS on Sunday Dec 8 to paint a Christmas ornament. Drop in between 1:00 and 3:00.

Treats will be provided for children and parents. Parents can gather in the gallery to chat and enjoy the holiday spirit while kids produce small tokens of the season. Xmas trees, reindeer and stars and more will be provided for painting. Pick up the same day.

Facilitated by Lilla Ohrstrom, MA. ATR-P. <u>youngbloodartstudio.com</u> RSVP appreciated youngbloodartstudio@gmail.com

Lilla Matheson Ohsrtrom, MA, ATR-P, Grew up in The Plains VA. She is an artists, an art therapist and the Creative Director of Youngblood Art Studie LLC (VAS) VAS is a three-tigr art and idea incubator, with a mission

Studio LLC, (YAS). YAS is a three-tier art and idea incubator, with a mission towards art and healing. The three tiers are; her personal art studio for continuous art-making, a room for art therapy and YAS gallery, where art and ideas are shared. Ohrstrom has taught children clay art classes since 1995. She began teaching art in Cooperstown NY at The Smithy pioneer gallery when her own children were very young. In 2001 she bought Nol Putnam's white Oak forge in the Plains just behind The Railstop Restaurant and renamed it Youngblood Art Studio. Ohrstrom has a BS in Sculpture from Skidmore College and she has completed her Master of Arts in art therapy from GWU, including over 1,000 art therapy internship hours, at Sibley hospital inpatient mental health clinic 7 West, at A Place to Be music therapy for special needs individuals, and with private clients at George Washington

University (GWU) Trauma Clinic. Ohrstrom works with all ages, children and adults, individually, in groups and with families.



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.

To request a reasonable accommodation for a disability, call 703-777-0368. Three days' notice is requested LOUDOUN COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY library.loudoun.gov

Instructions: Lunch Order Forms

- Please circle the dates and lunch choices, and return that portion of the menu with the payment in an envelope. Mark the name of the restaurant on the envelope.
- Checks should be made out to the establishment from which you are ordering lunch(es), cash should be the correct amount. We do not process orders at school and will forward all the envelopes directly to the restaurants on the day named as the return date.
- Please keep a record of your order; we do not keep a list here at school. Lunches will be delivered to the kitchen by the beginning of the first lunch shift (11:30).

Please note: If you have ordered lunch, and your child is absent (due to illness or a field trip), let us know if you would like us to pass his/her lunch on to another child or if your would like the lunch to be saved overnight in the school refrigerator for your child's lunch the next day.

Lunch Order Forms – January, 2020 Return to the Office by Friday, December 20, 2019

<u>MONDAYS – ANTHONYS – 364-7400</u> \$6.00 per order

One form per student, please.

Name		Grade			
1.	2 slices of CHEESE Pizza.		1/6	1/13	1/27
2.	2 slices of PEPPERONI Pizza.		1/6	1/13	1/27

Circle the desired lunch(es) and date(s) and return this portion with payment in an envelope marked with Anthony's Pizza. Return this form (for the whole month) by Fri., Dec. 20

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	<u>UESDAYS – MIDDLEBURG DELI</u> – 687-3456	\$6.00 per order						
Oı	One form per student, please							
Na	ame Grade							
1.	Sliced Turkey Breast on a Soft Roll with Lettuce & Tomato	1/7	1/14	1/21	1/28			
2.	Grilled Cheese on White Bread with White & Yellow American Cheese and Chips	1/7	1/14	1/21	1/28			
3.	Sliced Ham & Cheese on a Soft Roll with Lettuce & Tomato	1/7	1/14	1/21	1/28			
4.	¹ / ₂ Little Italy Sub (Provolone, Mortadella, Pepperoni, Genoa Salami, Lettuce, Tomato, Sweet Peppers, Oil and	1/7 d Vinegar)	1/14	1/21	1/28			
5.	Grand Slam (Turkey, Ham, Swiss, Lettuce, Tomato on a Sub Roll)	1/7	1/14	1/21	1/28			
Α	supreme chocolate chip cookie will be served with all selections.							

Circle desired lunch(es) and date(s) and return this portion with payment in an envelope marked with <u>MIDDLEBURG DELI</u>. <i>Return this form (for the whole month) **by Fri., Dec. 20**

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WEDNESDAY – MARKET SALAMANDER – 687-8011

\$6.00 per order

One form per student, please.	
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Name

1. Market Mac 'n Cheese (10 oz), sliced apple, and a cookie	1/8	1/15	1/22	1/29
2. Four Chicken Tenders with honey mustard sauce, apple, and a cookie.	1/8	1/15	1/22	1/29

Circle the desired lunch(es) and date(s) and return this portion with payment in an envelope marked with Market Salamander. Return this form (for the whole month) **by Fri., Dec. 20**

Grade

2019-2020 WINTER ATHLETIC GAME SCHEDULE

Please check Take Note to confirm game and dismissal times

DATE			to confirm game			DIGNIEGAI
DATE	TEAM	SPORT		LOCATION	TIME	DISMISSAL
Tue, Dec. 10	JV 2 Boys	Basketball	LCDS	LCDS	3:15	4:45
	JV 1 Boys	Basketball	LCDS	LCDS	4:00	5:45
	V Boys	Basketball	LCDS	LCDS	5:00	6:45
	JV 2 Girls	Basketball	LCDS	Hill	3:15	4:15
	JV 1 Girls	Basketball	LCDS	Hill	4:00	5:15
	V Girls	Basketball	LCDS	Hill	5:00	6:15
Tue, Dec. 17	JV 1 Boys	Basketball	Wakefield	Hill	3:00	4:15
	V Boys	Basketball	Wakefield	Hill	4:00	5:15
	JV 1 Girls	Basketball	Wakefield	Wakefield	3:15	5:00
	JV 2 Girls	Basketball	Sacred Heart	Sacred Heart	4:30	6:30
	JV 2 Boys	Basketball	Sacred Heart	Sacred Heart	5:30	7:30
Tue, Jan 7	JV 1 Boys	Basketball	Highland	Highland	3:15	5:00
_	V Boys	Basketball	Highland	Highland	3:15	5:00
_	JV 1 Girls	Basketball	Highland	Hill	3:15	4:30
Wed, Jan 8	JV 2 Boys	Basketball	Powhatan	Hill	4:00	5:15
Thu, Jan 9	JV 1 Boys	Basketball	Powhatan	Hill	3:15	4:30
	V Boys	Basketball	Powhatan	Hill	4:00	5:15
	JV 2 Girls	Basketball	Powhatan	Powhatan	3:15	4:45
	JV 1 Girls	Basketball	Powhatan	Powhatan	4:00	5:45
	V Girls	Basketball	Powhatan	Powhatan	5:00	6:45
Tue, Jan 14	JV 2 Boys	Basketball	LCDS	Hill	3:15	4:15
	JV 1 Boys	Basketball	LCDS	Hill	4:00	5:15
	V Boys	Basketball	LCDS	Hill	5:00	6:15
	JV 2 Girls	Basketball	LCDS	LCDS	3:15	4:45
	JV 1 Girls	Basketball	LCDS	LCDS	4:00	5:45
	V Girls	Basketball	LCDS	LCDS	5:00	6:45
Wed, Jan 15	5th Grade	Basketball	LCDS	boys Hill girls	12:45-1:45	regular
Sat, Jan 18	V Girls	Basketball	Think Pink	LCDS Foxcroft	12.45-1.45	regulai
Tue, Jan 21	JV 2 Boys	Basketball		Sacred Heart	5:30	7:30
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Wed, Jan 22	4th Grade	Basketball	LCDS	LCDS	12:45-1:45	regular
	JV 2 Girls	Basketball	Powhatan	Hill	4:00	5:15
Tue, Jan 28	JV 1 Boys	Basketball	Highland	Hill	3:15	4:30
_	V Boys	Basketball	Highland	Hill	4:15	5:30
_	JV 2 Girls	Basketball	Sacred Heart	Hill	5:15	6:30
_	JV 1 Girls	Basketball	Highland	Highland	3:15	5:00
_	V Girls	Basketball	Linton Hall	Linton Hall	4:00	6:00
Wed, Jan 29	4th & 5th Grade snow date	Basketball	LCDS	boys Hill girls LCDS	12:45-1:45	regular
Thu, Jan 30	JV 2 Boys	Basketball	Edlin	Edlin	3:45	6:00
Tue, Feb 4	JV 1 Boys	Basketball	Wakefield	Wakefield	3:15	4:45
	V Boys	Basketball	Wakefield	Wakefield	4:15	5:45
	JV 1 Girls	Basketball	Wakefield	Hill	4:15	5:30
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PTC Lunch Special



Thursday, December 12

Chicken sandwich(1 or 2), fresh fruit, Oreo cookies treat

Name #1: one sandwich \$6.00 two sandwiches \$10.00	Grade:
Name #2: One sandwich \$6.00 two sandwiches \$10.00	Grade:
Name #3: One sandwich \$6.00 two sandwiches \$10.00	Grade:

Please include cash or check payable to The Hill School

with "PTC Chick-fil-a lunch" in the memo section.

Orders must be received by Tuesday, Dec 10.

Drop off your order form and payment at the front desk. Please contact Britzie McConnell at britzie@me.com with any questions. Thank you!