



TAKE NOTE

The Hill School
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www.thehillschool.org

MAY 16, 2019



Thank You!

Thank you to Jill Blunt for chairing this year's Auction! What a fabulous evening. The Auction was a huge success and we thank everyone for their participation.

To our Sponsors: we thank you for your support of the Auction. To our Acquisitions Committee: thank you for all the time you spent in the months leading up to the Auction procuring items. To our Donors: thank you for providing fantastic items. To our display, decorating and set-up Volunteers: the gym looked beautiful, the tables were inviting, and your many hours of preparation are truly appreciated. And to our Bidders: your enthusiastic and generous bidding made for a lively and hugely successful Auction. Congratulations to everyone for making

Under The Big Top such a special evening.

6-8 Concert

Friday, May 31 at 7:00 p.m.
In the Performing Arts Center



2019 Green-White Track Meet

Monday, June 3 12:30-4:00

All 4-8 students participate in Green – White competition. Parents are invited and encouraged to attend.

Students in grades JK-3 will have a regular school day.



SPRING BOOK FAIR

Tues., May 28th to Wed., May 29th

[See page 4 for schedule.](#)

YEARBOOKS !



Yearbooks will be available Thursday, May 23rd
Please return this form to the front office.

Check the appropriate box – each yearbook is \$35.00.

_____ Enclosed is \$_____ for (_____) yearbook(s).

_____ Bill my account for \$_____ for (_____) yearbooks(s).

Child's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Parent's Signature: _____

Coming up at Hill:

Thurs., May 16	Grade 6 Play—Performances at 11:00 am and 7:00 pm.
Wed., May 22	Solar Field Dedication 1:00 - 2:00 pm.
Tues.-Wed., May 28-29	Spring Book Fair
Mon., May 27	Memorial Day - No School
Wed., May 29	Spanish Assembly at 11:00 am
Wed. - Fri., May 29- May 31	Grade 5 to New York City
Fri., May 31	Grades 6-8 Concert at 7:00 pm
Mon., June 3	Green & White Track Meet 12:30 pm - 4:00 pm



Please Help Student Council collect gently used or unused school supplies!

While you are cleaning out your cubby please consider donating any of the following items:

- Backpacks
- Pens
- Pencils
- Marking pens
- Colored pencils
- Crayons
- Pencil sharpeners
- Spiral notebooks with blank pages left
- Reading books
- Blank paper
- Post it notes
- 3x5 or 4x6 note cards

A Little Heart is a 501(c)3 non-profit, charitable organization located in The Plains, Virginia. Our mission is to help children in the greater Fauquier County area who lack the resources they need to be successful.



E-CYCLE

TIDY YOUR HOME AND KEEP TOXIC SUBSTANCES OUT OF LANDFILLS!

Wondering what to do with that old laptop or smartphone you don't need any longer? Don't throw it away--most electronics contain recyclable material that is toxic if tossed in a landfill. Please help the sixth grade collect old and broken electronics. Drop off your old electronics items at the Hill School on the pallets in the parking lot near the amphitheater by **FRIDAY, MAY 24 at NOON**. The sixth grade will organize them for pickup by Upcycle LLC.

NOTE: Computers and televisions with big monitors (older than flat-screen) are NOT accepted.

Questions? See Lucy Turner or Susan McCaskey in the sixth grade homeroom.

WE NEED BLANKETS!

Please consider loaning or donating blankets to Hill School. They will be used for the students to sit on outside. Please drop off at the Front Desk not later than Tuesday, May 21st. Thanks!



Upcoming Events

- Saturday, May 18th, 10am-2pm. Theater construction day for Drama Club play - help the drama club create set/props for their play. Open to 4th-8th graders. RSVP to Ms. Coulter.
- Thursday, May 23rd, 7pm. The Hill School Drama Club presents "A Little Princess"

For more information or to volunteer for any of the work sessions, please contact Ms. Coulter at ecoulter@thehillsschool.org

The Hill School Elementary Chess Championship



Who? Any Hill School 1-6 graders!

What? The Chess Championship!

When? Saturday May 18th, 2019
10:00AM - 2:00PM!

Where? The Computer Lab!

Why? Because chess is fun, and the winner receives his/her name on the Hill School Elementary Chess Championship plaque forever!

No sign up necessary, no fee. Adult supervision provided.
Any questions, contact Mr. Maxwell at JonMax74@gmail.com.
See you there!



SEEKING: Looking for a part time nanny for a 2 year old boy. Ideally would like to share nanny with another family with similar aged child (ren). Days and times flexible. Looking for someone who loves the outdoors, has own transportation, and previous experience with toddlers. Please contact Jessica Shields, (703) 615-1240 or Jessefae77@gmail.com

FOR SALE: Naturally and humanely raised Wagyu beef for sale from Hill Farm (right across from Hill school). Graded premium and above. For details, contact Michael Donohoe at (540) 687-0128.

AVAILABLE: Remy P. (Hill '18 and Foxcroft '22) is available for babysitting, house-sitting, and pet-sitting this summer. Please contact her at (540) 687-0172 or remy.patterson@foxcroft.org.

AVAILABLE: Clare T. (Hill '18 and Foxcroft '22) is available (especially in the Leesburg area) for babysitting, house-sitting, and pet-sitting this summer. Please contact her at (703) 927-5446 or clare.thomas@foxcroft.org.

FOR RENT: Summer house monthly rental in town, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, small fenced yard. Contact: Elise 843 693-1900, Elisebrown1900@gmail.com

GRADUATION GIFTS: Mystique Jewelers is offering all Hill School families a special 10% discount off for Graduation Gifts ! Please come in and see our collections. Middleburg ,Virginia 540-687-3100 mystique@mystiquejewelers.com

AVAILABLE: Horse care, pet sitter, babysitter, driver. Taylor Stine, Hill School class of 2012, is home for the summer. She is an experienced rider who loves animals. She is studying education at the University of Mary Washington and would be happy to babysit or drive your children. Please contact her at 540 222-3371.

FOR RENT: Tenant House (circa. 1880) 15 Minutes From Middleburg on Farm Near Lincoln/Purcellville. Completely renovated - charming! Two bedrooms, large walk-in closet or small bedroom, 2 full baths, washer and dryer, granite counters, wood burning stove, screened porch, lovely setting. Includes all landscaping. Perfect for 1 or 2 people. We prefer no pets, but will discuss. \$2200/month plus electricity and gas. Available, August 1st. Call 540-338-3514 (former Hill parents) .

FOR SALE: New Steel Building. 36' x 70' x 21' clear span steel building with a gambrel roof. Includes a 50 year warranty. The architectural plans are completed, but minor changes are feasible. This building would make a great barn, indoor riding arena, storage building, or even a house! Contact Carmen at carmen.igoe@gmail.com for more details.

FEAST IN THE FIELD MENU

June 22, 2019

Ticket: \$125.00

WELCOME BITE

2 Tickets: \$200.00

GRILLED STRAWBERRY, CHIFFONADE SPINACH, GOAT CHEESE
ZABAIONE, PROSCIUTTO CRISP

FIRST COURSE

FARM HOUSE SALAD WITH SNAP PEAS, BEETS, SHAVED EGG,
AND BUTTERMILK-LEEK DRESSING

ENTREES

MUSTARD-HERB ROAST CHICKEN QUARTERS AND GRILLED
SIRLOIN WITH PORT VELOUTE

SIDES

1. BLISTERED GREEN BEAN TRIO, RADICCHIO, WARM BACON
2. BALSAMIC BROCCOLI AGLIO Y OLIO
3. SMASHED POTATOES WITH ONIONS AND GARLIC

DESSERT

SUMMER BERRY SHORTCAKE, CHANTILLY CREAM, MINT AND
SPICED SUGAR

Purchase your tickets here:

www.afarmlessordinary.org/feast-in-the-field

A Farm Less Ordinary provides employment and a welcoming community to people with disabilities, while sustainably growing organic food for metropolitan DC.



SPRING BOOK FAIR NEWS



The Hill School Spring Book Fair will be held

Tuesday, May 28th from 8:30am - 5:00pm and

Wednesday, May 29th from 8:30am - 4:00pm

in the Performing Arts Center.

Bookworm Central will provide wonderful books for all ages so come and enjoy! This selection will include adult fiction and nonfiction, as well as a plethora of children, youth and young adult books for those long summer days. Summer required and suggested reading books for rising 6th, 7th and 8th graders will also be available for purchase.

Please Note: We are not taking orders. All books will be sold on a first come, first served basis.

Permission Slip Information

Tuesday

8:40-9:10	JK (w/ 6th grade mentors)
9:10-9:40	K (w/ 6th grade mentors)
9:40-10:10	2 (w/ 8th grade mentors)
10:10-10:40	1 (w/ 7th grade mentors)
11:00-1:30	3 (preview, wish lists)
12:10-12:50	5-1 (only visit, leaving for NYC)
12:50-1:30	5-2 (only visit)
2:30-3:00	4 (preview)

Wednesday

8:30-9:00	JK and K with parents
9:00-9:30	6-2
9:30-10:00	6-1
10:00-10:40	4
11:45-12:15	2 with parents after Spanish assembly
12:15-12:40	8-1
12:40-1:05	8-2
1:30-2:00	7-1
2:00-2:30	7-2
2:30-3:00	1 with parents
3:00-4:00	3 in small groups opposite strings

LOWER SCHOOL: Parents of JK-3, please do not fill out the attached form. Students will bring home a "Wish List" after their first visit on Tuesday. Parents may approve all or parts of this list, which will serve as a permission slip for the child to purchase the books the next day.

Please email Lauren Vogan (laurenvogan@aol.com) with any questions.

Grades 4 - 8 Book Fair Permission Slip

Please Return by Friday, May 24th

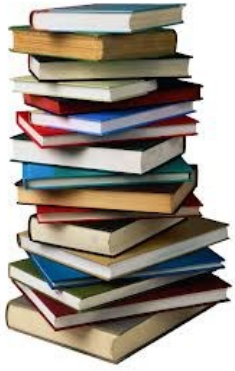
_____ in _____ has my permission to charge up to \$ _____ to
Student's Name Grade

my Hill School account at the 2019 Spring Hill School Book Fair.

If a child does not have a permission slip, we will allow him or her to charge ONE book up to 15.00 to your account unless you check the space below.

_____ My child may NOT charge any books to my account.

Parents' Signature _____



End of the Year News from the Arundel Family Library **2019**

Are you looking forward to stretching out with a good book this summer? Perhaps there are books you didn't have time to read during the school year. Come visit us for some summer suggestions! We have a great selection of new books and old favorites just waiting to be checked out! There are just a few things to remember before you may check books out.

Academic School-Year Books

- No books may be checked out after May 24, 2019 with the exception of books to be used in the classroom.
- A non-refundable charge will be placed to the family account for any outstanding library books checked out during the academic school year and not returned by the 13th of June 2019. **THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE BOOKS CHECKED OUT FOR THE SUMMER.**

SUMMER READING

- Beginning May 28th students may check out up to TEN books for the summer, **with** a signed permission slip from his or her parent.
- Summer reading books must be returned, *in good condition*, by the week of September 23rd 2019.

PLEASE SIGN and return the permission portion of this page if you would like to give permission for your child to check books out from the Hill School Arundel Family Library for the summer. _____

Summer 2019

Permission to check books out from the Hill School Arundel Family Library

Child's Name _____

Entering Grade _____

I authorize _____
(Parent's signature)

to check out _____ books
(quantity)

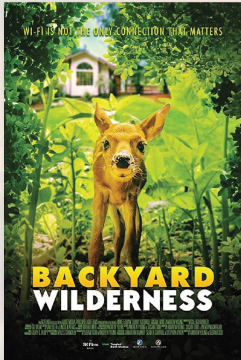
I agree that any books not returned by **September 27th, 2019** will be charged to my account.

**FREE
EVENT!**



AMERICAN
CONSERVATION FILM
FESTIVAL

EXPLORE AND PRESERVE
CONSERVATION FILM NIGHT
AT THE HILL SCHOOL



Thursday, May 30, 2019
5:00 PM – 8:30 PM

Please join the American Conservation Film Festival and the Oak Spring Garden Foundation for a very special screening of two films that encourage exploration of the natural world and preservation of seed and agricultural diversity.

The Hill School
130 South Madison St.
Middleburg, VA 20117



5:00 – 5:45 Backyard Wilderness

A stunning nature film for all ages.
BRING YOUR KIDS!

5:45 – 6:45 Snacks & Drinks Reception

6:45 – 8:30 SEED: The Untold Story

The harrowing and heartening story of passionate seed keepers as they defend a 12,000 year food legacy.
AUDIENCE CHOICE AWARD WINNER (2016)

CONSERVATIONFILMFEST.ORG

**SHARING
TECHNOLOGY TO
ENRICH THE
PIEDMONT (STEP)**

**INAUGURAL TALK
IN THE STEP SERIES:**
Artificial Intelligence &
Machine Learning (AI/ML)

WHEN: Friday, 17 May 2019

WHERE: Buchanan Hall
8549 John S Mosby Hwy
Upperville Virginia 20184

TIME: 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Refreshments Served

A panel of experts will answer your questions and discuss:

- What is AI/ML?
- Applications in the world around us:
 - ▶ Human and animal health
 - ▶ Agriculture
 - ▶ Wineries and Distilleries
 - ▶ Tourism and Retail
- Potential opportunities, collaborators and resources



Searching for **pet sitters, house sitters, or household help?**

Look no further.

LJ's Clean and Care has got you covered!



Julia Daum

Lauren Schulz

We are two seniors from Highland School looking to make some money for college.

Our Work Experience:

Julia: Worked at Dunkin Donuts, Evergreen Country Club, experienced pet sitter

Lauren: Worked at Dulles Expo Concessions, Evergreen Country Club, experienced pet sitter

Our Services:

Pet sitting (cats, dogs, etc.), house sitting, house cleaning and any other chores you may need (no babysitting)

Available throughout the summer of 2019

References available with request

Contact Us:

ljcleanandcare@gmail.com, 240-495-0180 or
571-659-3118

COOKING CAMPS
By Sweet Home Thai

Sweet Home High Camp (Rising 9th-12th grade)

July 8-12

1:00-5:00 pm

Monday-Friday \$495/camper

Sweet Home Junior Camp (Rising 6th-8th grade)

July 22-26

1:00-5:00 pm

Monday-Friday \$495/camper

Two separate age appropriate cooking camps held at ChefScape in Leesburg.

The kids bring dinner home for the family meal every night!

Plus games, knife skills and many cooking techniques.
\$495/ camper

For more information:

<https://www.sweethomethai.com/single-post/2019/05/07/The-Cooking-Camp-Announcement-Youve-All-Been-Waiting-For>

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Spring Recital

SATURDAY, MAY 11TH

2:00 PM

THE HILL SCHOOL

FREE ADMISSION

Disco Fever

PRESENTED BY

INOVA STROKE SURVIVOR CHOIR

DIFFERENT STROKES FOR DIFFERENT FOLKS

SUNDAY, MAY 19TH

2:00 PM

THE HILL SCHOOL

FREE ADMISSION



THE HILL SCHOOL: 130 S MADISON STREET MIDDLEBURG, VA 20117
FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT APlaceToBeVA.org

Please Join Us for a Reception and the Dedication of
The Hill School Solar Field
On Wednesday, May 22, 2019

12:15 Light Refreshments in the Peard Lunch Room

1:00 Dedication Ceremony at The Hill School Solar Field

1:45 Closing Remarks and Dismissal

* The Hill School Solar Field located on the hill behind the Gym

RSVP@thehillschool.org

(540) 687-5897

MOVIE NIGHT

Fantastic Mr. Fox (2009) PG

6TH GRADE FUNDRAISER



Kids may arrive as early as 3:00; craft will be provided until movie time

NAME: _____

GRADE: _____

MOVIE ONLY \$5

MOVIE & DINNER \$10

Dinner Options:

_____ 2 SLICES CHEESE PIZZA & 8OZ WATER _____ CHIK-FIL-A SANDWICH & 8OZ WATER

{Popcorn and candy available for purchase \$1 cash only}

Please make checks payable to The Hill School and put "class of 2021" in the memo line