

TAKE NOTE

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

# SEPTEMBER 15, 2022



### <u>Tomorrow, Friday, September 16</u> Regular Friday 3:00 pm dismissal for all grades



РТС Parent Dinners (6:30 рм)

Thank you to Robin and Justin Porterfield for hosting the 4 - 8 Dinner. What a great way to start off the school year!

Wednesday, Sept. 21: **JK - 3 Parent Dinner**, hosted by Melissa and Mark Winchester.

Please RSVP to Hill School at (540) 687-5897 or rsvp@thehillschool.org

### Take Note Submissions

Take Note is published weekly each Thursday. DEADLINE for submission of items is NOON on TUESDAY. E-mail articles and/or classified ads to: takenote@thehillschool.org.



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

Thursday, September 29 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.



### PIC Parent Meetings

JK – Friday, Sept. 23, 8:30, Lunch Room

- 2 Friday, Sept. 30, 8:30, Lunch Room
- 3 Wednesday, Sept. 28, 8:30, Lunch Room
- 4 Monday, Sept. 19, 8:30, Lunch Room
- 5 Monday, Sept. 26, 8:30, Lunch Room
- 7 Wednesday, Sept. 21, 8:30, Lunch Room



The lunch program will start in October. Order information will be in next week's Take Note.



### Coming up at Hill:

Tues., Sept. 20	V Boys Soccer vs. Wakefield at Hill. Game 3:30pm, dismissal 4:45 pm JV Boys Soccer vs. Wakefield at Hill. Game 4:30pm, dismissal 5:45 pm			
Wed., Sept. 21	JK - 3 Dinner hosted by Melissa and Mark Winchester, 6:30 pm.			
Tues., Sept. 27	JV Boys Soccer vs. Highland at Hill. Game 3:30pm, dismissal 4:45pm V Boys Soccer vs. Highland at Hill. Game 4:30pm, dismissal 4:45pm V Girls Volleyball vs. Highland at Highland. Game 3:15pm, dismissal 5:00pm JV Girls Volleyball vs. Highland at Highland. Game 4:15pm, dismissal 6:00pm			
Thurs., Sept. 29	V Boys Soccer vs. LCDS at LCDS. Game 3:30pm, dismissal 5:15 pm JV Boys Soccer vs. LCDS at LCDS. Game 4:30pm, dismissal 6:15 pm V Girls Volleyball vs. LCDS at Hill. Game 3:30 pm, dismissal 4:45 pm JV Girls Volleyball vs. LCDS at Hill. Game 4:30 pm, dismissal 5:45 pm <b>Back to School Night, 7:00 pm.</b>			
Sat., Oct. 1	Country Fair - noon to 4 pm.			
Wed., Oct. 5	Picture Day - Order forms will be distributed to students September 22 Hill School Golf Open - 9am			

FOR SALE: Wagyu Beef for Sale. Naturally raised on local Middleburg farm. Open pasture grass and grain finished. For details, email Michael Donohoe at hillfarmwagyu@gmail.com.

**SEEKING:** Family living in the Middleburg area hiring for the following positions: Housekeeper - part-time, Personal Assistant - part-time Landscape person - part-time. Please call (703) 980-8109.

**SEEKING:** Hill School family in The Plains, VA is looking for a part-time nanny / babysitter in the afternoons from 3-6pm to babysit their 3 and 6 year old. Please contact (540) 287-8881 to learn more!





### Saturday, October 1st, Noon - 4 pm Dornin Science Barn

We hope you can join us for a fun afternoon of food, music, games, baking contest, pet parade and more! Well behaved pets on a leash are welcome.

The PTC provides fried chicken and bottled water for the potluck lunch. The sides will be provided as follows by Last Name:

A-F: Brownies or Cookies G-J: Pasta or Potato Salad

K-M: Fruit (whole or sliced) N-P: Sandwiches

Q-S: Green Salad T-Z: Juice Boxes/Pouches (bee proof) 12 pk per family

Please have all food plated and ready to serve. Be sure to put your name on your serving dishes/utensils and pick up after lunch is served.

Volunteers are needed to help with set up/clean up. Please click here to sign up. If you have any questions, please contact Amy Miller.





To be linked by the school - Email lpatterson@thehillschool.org with VIC card number/phone number and last name.

# **DID YOU KNOW?**

The Education and School Life Committee (ESLC) is a standing committee of the Board of Trustees and serves as the umbrella organization for all parent committees including the Parent-Teacher Club (PTC) and the Committee on Culture and Inclusion (CCI).

ESLC works with the Head of School and other committees to connect parents, the faculty and staff, the students, and the community with intentional content to enrich school life.

The ESLC Chair is a member of the Board of Trustees and the committee consists of a faculty and/or staff liaison, current members of the parent body, community members, and a member of the PTC and the Committee on Culture and Inclusion.

# **ENVIRONMENTAL CLUB STARTS SEPTEMBER 20!**

Looking forward to making the world a better place!

## Tuesday afternoons from 4 to 5 pm in the Art Room

Bria G.

All ages are welcome. Bring your own snack. Parents can pick up kids at 5pm at the front of Hill School.

# Coming September 26, 2022

Hill School Online Store

We're excited to announce the opening of our new Hill School Store. Come shop the latest Green & White Apparel for Children and Adults



## **Astra's Summer Reading Challenge**

Last Spring Astra the Lion challenged all Hill students to keep their minds active over the summer break with a Summer Reading Challenge. Students were encouraged to complete as many reading activities as they could. To celebrate everyone's summer reading accomplishments, Hill students who return their Astra Reading Challenge sheet to the front desk by Friday, September 30, will receive a voucher for a free ice cream treat (to be redeemed at a future Ice Cream Wednesday). See the following pages for the lower and upper school reading challenges.



Title		
D	lead a book about a grand adventure.	

Title:\_

Read a book about a place you would like to travel to.

Title:

To combat the heat, read a book about something cold.

Title:

Read a book awarded the Coretta Scott King Award.



Astra is challenging all Hill students to keep their minds active this summer with a Summer Reading Challenge. To participate, track your progress by checking off completed activities. This challenge is meant to be fun and get students engaged in reading activities throughout the summer. Participation is voluntary, but for a little incentive everyone who returns their Summer Reading Challenge form at the beginning of school in September will enjoy an ice cream party! See how many activities you can check-off and keep your mind active. Happy reading!

	Read outside for 30 minutes.
	Read a book about a lion.
	Read a book with a green cover.
	Read to a family pet for 30 minutes.
	Read a book about Pakistan. (remember learning about Pakistan in culture study?)
	Read a book set in a different time period.
D	Read an award-winning book. (like the Newberry, Caldecott or Coretta Scott King awards)
	Read a book about your favorite animal.
	Read a book set in a different country.
	Read a chapter book.
	Read a book of poetry.
	Read a book about caring for the environment.
	Read a book with a one-word title.
	Read a book that's been made into a movie.
	Read a book about the ocean.

THE HILL SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION PRESENTS THE ANNUAL

# HILL SCHOOL OPEN GOLF TOURNAMENT

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 9 AM START Bull Run Golf Club

REGISTER HERE - HTTPS://APP.EVENTCADDY.COM/EVENTS/THE-2022-HILL-SCHOOL-OPEN-GOLF-TOURNAMENT



## PART NUTRITIONAL EDUCATION. PART SUGAR DETOX, PART SUPPORT GROUP-AN EMPOWERING COMBINATION

The RESTART® Program is a simple, powerful way to give your body a vacation from sugar and processed foods.

With a 3-week sugar detox built right in, the program focuses on how to use REAL FOOD to boost your energy and cut sugar and carb carvings.



## IN OUR 5 WEEKS TOGETHER, YOU WILL LEARN

- WEEK 1: How to prepare for your REAL FOOD sugar detox
- WEEK 2: Your digestive check-in
- WEEK 3: What sugar really does in your body
- WEEK 4: The truth about FATS
- WEEK 5: How to move forward and celebrate your success!

## BENEFITS THAT PARTICIPANTS HAVE EXPERIENCED:

Increased Energy



More Restful Sleep





**Boosted Immune** System

**Clarity and Focus** 

Clothes Fit Better V Decreased Anxiety

### Mondays at 6:00PM: 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10

Trinity Episcopal Church - Cox Hall 9108 John Mosby Hwy, Upperville, VA

And

#### Mondays at 11:30AM: 9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 10/10 VIRTUAL via GoogleMeet private link

Best way to spend your lunch hour!

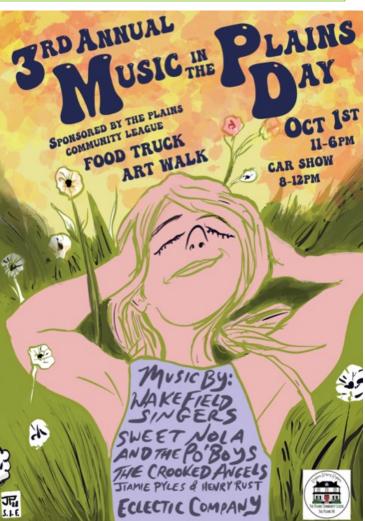
**REGISTER TODAY AT** www.educated-wellness.com

Questions? Call/text or email Maureen St. Germain, FNTP at 540.642.0808 or maureen@educated-wellness.com

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	
Young Stars 3:30pm-4:30pm	Future Stars I 3:30pm-4:30pm	Young Stars 3:30pm-4:30pm	Future Stars I 3:30pm-4:30pm	Young Stars - Red Ball - Ages 5-7 Future Stars - Orange Ball - Ages 7-8
ATP 4:30pm-6:00pm	All Stars 4:30-6:00pm	ATP 4:30pm-6:00pm	Future Stars II 4:30pm-5:30pm	All Stars - Green Ball - Ages 8-10 ATP - Yellow Ball - 10+ HS Team Tennis - Yellow Ball "evaluation required"
HS Team Tennis 6:00pm-7:30pm "evaluation required"		HS Team Tennis 6:00pm-7:30pm *evaluation required*		·

To sign up for a Junior Membership, please contact Kyla Walgren at kwalgren@middleburgtennisclub.com





# Dining in the DARK

For one night only, guests will enjoy dining in low light conditions while wearing eyeshades to immerse themselves fully in the experience by relying on their taste, texture, and smell to guide them through their culinary adventure.



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The Hill School community will receive \$100 off each ticket purchased by scanning the QR code above or by entering promo code HILL at checkout at DiningintheDark.net



Thursday, October 13, 2022 6 PM – 10 PM The Bourbon Bayou Kitchen

44184 Ashbrook Marketplace Plaza, Ashburn, VA 20147

## Featuring



Christine Ha is a New York Times bestselling author, MasterChef winner, and restaurateur of The Blind Goat and Xin Chào.



Jazmin West is the executive chef at Bourbon Bayou Kitchen. She is a local celebrity who has been featured on Rat in the Kitchen.

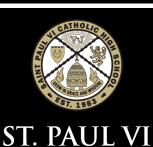


Scott Macintyre is an acclaimed speaker, singersongwriter, scholar, and author. His introduction into the public was as the first blind finalist on American Idol.



Tommy Edison is an American YouTuber, radio DJ, film critic, comedian, and motivational speaker.





CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

#### Coffee & Conversation:

Middle school parents are invited to join us at our beautiful campus in Chantilly. Join us for coffee and a brief presentation. Afterward, visit with our Admissions team to learn more about PVI and the steps to apply.

Tuesday, September 20 at 9 a.m. Thursday, September 22 at 9 a.m.

**Middle School Night Under the Lights** Friday, September 23

Middle schoolers and their families are invited to join us on Friday, September 23 for Rally in the Alley (6 p.m.) and our home football game (7 p.m.) Middle school students receive free entrance to the game. Join us for free food, fun, prizes and football under the lights!

Please visit <u>www.paulvi.net</u> for more information

OAK SPRING GARDEN FOUNDATION ON THE MELLON RUNWAY MILL REEF ROAD (OFF OF ROKEBY ROAD) UPPERVILLE RD, VA 20184





### OCTOBER 2, 2022 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM

You MUST pre-register, and bring the signed permission form. You will need your parents to bring you to this.

Participate in a youth-performed experiential art project from MacArthur Fellow Elizabeth Turk and gather as a community to learn about some of the plants that make our region special!

Free tickets will be available beginning August 29. California artist <u>Elizabeth Turk's</u> social sculpture comes alive at the <u>Oak</u> <u>Spring Garden Foundation</u> (OSGF) with a focus on the next generation! Students 18 years of age and younger are invited to participate in the event, recreating the umbrella constellation in an evening that blends art, science, dance, music, photography, drone operations, videography, agriculture, and more!

OSGF will provide cookies and farm-fresh snacks grown on-site at the Biocultural Conservation Farm. Guests will learn about endangered native plant species and participate in a seed-saving demonstration with heirloom plants. Drone operators will be on site to engage the students with the art and technology of drones. Special take-home gifts will be available for K-12 students.

Register As soon as possible for this free art event! https://www.eventbrite.com/e/et-projects-ridgeline-tickets-304805751207