



# TAKE NOTE

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## JANUARY 11, 2024

**TOMORROW, JANUARY 12-NOON DISMISSAL**  
**Dismissal at 12:00pm on the following Fridays:**

**January 19, 26, and February 2.**

**FEBRUARY 9th - MINI OLYMPICS - FULL DAY OF SKIING!**  
**NO SCHOOL - MONDAY, JANUARY 15TH**  
**(PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY)**

### RE-ENROLLMENT FOR NEXT YEAR

#### RE-ENROLLMENT FOR FULL TUITION FAMILIES

- FEBRUARY 1ST - 2024-2025 CONTRACTS WILL BE POPULATED IN YOUR BIGSIS PORTAL.
- FEBRUARY 16TH - 2024-2025 CONTRACTS ARE DUE BACK TO ENSURE SPOTS ARE HELD.

#### RE-ENROLLMENT FOR FINANCIAL AID FAMILIES

- NOVEMBER 27TH - THE FAST (FINANCIAL AID FOR SCHOOL TUITION) PROCESS IS OPEN - [CLICK HERE](#) TO BEGIN.
- FEBRUARY 1ST - DEADLINE TO APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID.
- FEBRUARY/MARCH - FINANCIAL AID CONTRACTS WILL BE POPULATED IN YOUR BIGSIS PORTAL.
- CONTRACTS ARE DUE TWO WEEKS AFTER THEY ARE ISSUED.

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS REGARDING RE-ENROLLMENT IN GENERAL PLEASE CONTACT KELLY JOHNSON.  
QUESTIONS REGARDING FINANCIAL AID OR PAYMENT PLANS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO SARAH SCHRODER.

## PTC PARENT MEETINGS

### GRADE/DATE

K - January 18th  
1 - January 19th  
3 - January 22nd  
5 - January 16th  
6 - January 23rd  
8 - January 17th

**All meetings are held in the  
lunchroom at 8:30AM.**

## The Hill School SUMMER CAMP 2024



**REGISTRATION OPENS  
FEBRUARY 1ST!**

## Coming up at Hill:

**Fri., January 12**      Ski Friday, 12:00 **DISMISSAL FOR ALL GRADES.**

**Mon. January 15**      **NO SCHOOL—PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY**

**Thurs., January 18**    JV Boys Basketball vs. Wakefield @ Hill. Game 3:00pm, dismissal 4:15.  
V Boys Basketball vs. Wakefield@ Hill. Game 4:00pm, dismissal 5:15.  
JV Girls Basketball vs. Wakefield @ Wakefield. Game 3:00pm, dismissal 4:30.

**AVAILABLE:** Rehoming an awesome mare with lots of potential. 4 years old, 15.1, unraced, quiet and sound, cute personality, started over fences, used in intermediate lessons, stands well for the farrier, beautiful hooves, trailers well, will go to a good home for best offer. Contact Andrea for more information: 703.244.7454

**SEEKING:** Grace Church Wood Ministry in The Plains provides firewood to those who need it but can't afford to buy it. Do you have any extra firewood that you would like to donate? If so, please call or text Reddy Manierre at 540-687-4124. Thank you!

## Culture & Inclusion

Are you interested in supporting Hill families to raise kind, culturally competent, and empathetic children? Join us as we continue to build the framework for the revived Culture & Inclusion Parent Club.

January 23 | 1:30 p.m.  
Alumni Room

Interested but can't make it?

Email Jill Hottel:  
jill.hottel@gmail.com

Zoom available for remote attendees.



**ALTERNATIVE**

## Spring Break 2025

Is your student interested in tropical marine biology, ecology or conservation? Would you be interested in undertaking a unique spring break experience with them?

What: Interest Meeting for  
Alternative Spring Break 2025

Who: Rising 3rd - 8th Graders  
(and their parents)

When: Wednesday, January 24  
at 4 p.m.

Where: Alumni Room

Intrigued? Email Jill Hottel  
(jill.hottel@gmail.com).

# **We need your help!**

It's time to put together the packages we will offer for  
THE HILL SCHOOL 47TH ANNUAL AUCTION

## **"A Casino Night and Gala"**

We need fresh ideas, unique items and out of the box experiences. Please join us for an

## **Auction Wine Glass Paint Party**

**January 24th ♥ 8:30 am ♥ Hill School Alumni Room**

On Wednesday, January 24th, we will host a breakfast meeting and wine glass paint party. While we paint, we can brainstorm new auction packages. We supply the wine glasses and paints, you bring the ideas!



Email Kim Medica at [kmedica@thehillschool.org](mailto:kmedica@thehillschool.org)  
to RSVP! Hope to see you there!



Join us for a Happy Hour

# Auction Mix & Sip

IT'S TIME TO PUT TOGETHER THE PACKAGES WE WILL OFFER FOR THE  
THE HILL SCHOOL 47TH ANNUAL AUCTION

## "A Casino Night and Gala"



5:30PM  
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH  
HILL SCHOOL THEATER

BRING YOUR FABULOUS IDEAS  
WHILE WE ENJOY A VALENTINE  
COCKTAIL AND LIGHT SNACKS

Email Kim Medica at [kmedica@thehillschool.org](mailto:kmedica@thehillschool.org)  
to RSVP! Hope to see you there!

# BINGO FOR BOOKS



The 8th grade is bringing back Bingo for Books to  
fundraise for their class gift.

It will be a night of bingo, winning books, food, and fun  
for the whole family!

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH**

5:00pm - 6:30pm - Peard Building

\$15/person payable by cash, check, or Venmo.

Price includes pizza, drinks, and unlimited bingo cards.

Additional items will be available for purchase: cotton candy, chips, and more.

If you have any books you would like to donate please bring them to the 8th  
grade homeroom. We would love to have books for adults i.e. cookbooks,  
gardening, as well as books for children of all ages.

**Click [HERE](#) to register!**





**ORDER  
NOW**

*Hill School Store*

**Please Note:  
Order placed by February 2nd will  
be available for pickup on  
February 29th.**

**[HTTPS://THEHILLSCHOOL.FUTURASTORES.COM](https://thehillschool.futurastores.com)**



# 2024 Hill School Talent Show!

The 2024 Hill School Talent Show will be held on Friday, February 16th 1:30-3:00 in the Sheila C. Johnson Performing Arts Center. Applications should be submitted by Wednesday, February 7th using this Google Form Link:

Click [here](#) for the talent show sign up form

Anyone in the Hill Community can participate students, parents, alumni, teachers, staff - but every act should include a present student.

All performances should be maximum 2 minutes in length, and should appeal to the entire Hill community (JK-8th grade.)

Dress Rehearsal Thursday  
February 15th 4:00-5:30PM



# BREAKDANCE

AFTER SCHOOL DANCE PROGRAM

AT THE HILL SCHOOL

TUESDAYS

3-4P Breakdance (K-2nd Grade)

4-5P Breakdance/Hip Hop (2nd-4th Grade)

THURSDAY

3-4P Breakdance (JK-1st Grade)

4-5P Tap/Jazz (2nd-4th Grade)

6 WEEK SESSION

TUESDAYS JAN 9 - FEB 13

THURSDAYS JAN 11 - FEB 15



COST  
\$240

Email To Register

JENNAHIDEEDANCEPROJECT@GMAIL.COM



Join Emily Tyler  
and learn all about  
making soup!

In this class, I'll guide you through the art of crafting delicious soups without the need for a strict recipe. We'll explore the magic of pantry and freezer staples, empowering you to create warm, comforting meals in minutes.

Saturday, January 20th 2024  
9:30-12:00

The Peard Building  
\$50.00 per person

To register, email [etyler@thehillsschool.org](mailto:etyler@thehillsschool.org).



## RESTART®

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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 cravings.

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!



\$300

BENEFITS THAT PARTICIPANTS HAVE EXPERIENCED

- Increased Energy
- More Restful Sleep
- Clothes Fit Better
- Boosted Immune System
- Clarity and Focus
- Decreased Anxiety

**\*\*BONUS\*\***

All participants will receive a FREE acupuncture assessment & treatment!

Tuesdays 6:30PM: 1/16, 1/23, 1/30, 2/6, 2/13

Middleburg Acupuncture & Apothecary  
112 W. Washington Street, Suite 202, Middleburg, VA

REGISTER TODAY AT  
[www.educated-wellness.com](http://www.educated-wellness.com)

Questions?  
Call/ text or email Maureen St. Germain, FNTP / Health Coach  
540.642.0808 or [maureen@educated-wellness.com](mailto:maureen@educated-wellness.com)



# DIRECTIONS TO BRYCE RESORT

**TRAVEL TIME:** Approximately 1 hour 30 minutes

- Middleburg to Interstate 81 S.
- From Interstate 81 S. take Exit 273 (Mt. Jackson, Basye).
- Make a right at stop sign at the end of the exit ramp. (Rt. 703 W)
- Continue until next stop sign – take a left. (Rt. 614)
- Stay on this road until you come to a stop sign – make a right. (Rt. 263 W)
- Follow this road until you turn right into Bryce Resort.

**Please do not rely on GPS, it will take you over secondary and service roads. These directions are more efficient.**



The Hill School Book Fair is looking for someone to join the team and learn the role of co-chair. Do you love books and want to be part of the magic?

Email  
[bookfair1@thehillschool.org](mailto:bookfair1@thehillschool.org)  
to learn more.

EVERGREEN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

## UPCOMING EVENTS

JAN  
17

OPEN HOUSE  
6:30 – 8:30 P.M.

JAN  
22

OPEN HOUSE  
9:00 – 11:00 A.M.

JAN  
22

SHADOW DAY  
11:00 A.M. – 2:50 P.M.

FEB  
9

OPEN HOUSE  
8:30 – 10:30 A.M.

FEB  
16

SHADOW DAY  
11:30 A.M. – 3:15 P.M.

FEB  
28

OPEN HOUSE  
8:30 – 10:30 A.M.

MARCH  
5

OPEN HOUSE  
8:30 – 10:30 A.M.

MARCH  
20

OPEN HOUSE  
6:30 – 8:30 P.M.

ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR GRADES 9-12  
REGISTRATION APPRECIATED. WALK-INS WELCOME FOR AN OPEN HOUSE.  
REGISTER ONLINE OR CONTACT [ADMISSION@ECSLOUDOUN.ORG](mailto:ADMISSION@ECSLOUDOUN.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](mailto:takenote@thehillschool.org).

**Ad format:** JPEG or PNG,  
3X5 vertical and 7X5  
horizontal

# ATHLETIC GAME SCHEDULE

## 2023 - 2024 WINTER

DATE	TEAM	SPORT	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME	DISMISSAL
1.18.24	JV Boys	Basketball	Wakefield	Hill	3:00	4:15
	V Boys	Basketball	Wakefield	Hill	4:00	5:15
	JV Girls	Basketball	Wakefield	Wakefield	3:00	4:30
1.16.24	JV Boys	Basketball	Powhatan	Powhatan	3:30	5:15
	V Boys	Basketball	Powhatan	Powhatan	4:30	6:15
	JV Girls	Basketball	Powhatan	Hill	3:30	4:45
	V Girls	Basketball	Powhatan	Hill	4:30	5:45
1.23.24 Make up games	JV Boys	Basketball	Highland	Hill	3:30	4:45
	V Boys	Basketball	Highland	Hill	4:30	5:45
	JV Girls	Basketball	Highland	Highland	3:15	5:00
	V Girls	Basketball	Highland	Highland	4:30	6:15
1.24.24	5th Grade Play Day   <b>Girls</b> @ LCDS   <b>Boys</b> @ Hill   12:30-1:30					4:45
1.25.24	V Girls	Basketball	RMA	Hill	3:30	5:45
	V Boys	Basketball	RMA	Hill	4:30	
1.31.24	4th Grade Play Day   <b>Girls</b> @ LCDS   <b>Boys</b> @ Hill   12:30-1:30					5:00
2.1.24	JV Boys	Basketball	Highland	Highland	3:15	5:00
	V Boys	Basketball	Highland	Highland	3:15	4:45
	JV Girls	Basketball	Highland	Hill	3:30	5:45
	V Girls	Basketball	Highland	Hill	4:30	
2.6.24	JV Boys	Basketball	Cornerstone	Cornerstone	3:30	5:00
	V Boys	Basketball	Cornerstone	Cornerstone	4:30	6:00
	V Girls	Basketball	Cornerstone	Hill	3:30	4:45
2.8.24	JV Boys	Basketball	LCDS	Hill	3:30	4:45
	V Boys	Basketball	LCDS	Hill	4:30	5:45
	JV Girls	Basketball	LCDS	LCDS	3:30	5:15
	V Girls	Basketball	LCDS	LCDS	4:30	6:15
2.15.24	JV Boys	Basketball	Powhatan	Hill	3:30	4:45
	V Boys	Basketball	Powhatan	Hill	4:30	5:45
	JV Girls	Basketball	Powhatan	Powhatan	3:30	5:15
	V Girls	Basketball	Powhatan	Powhatan	4:30	6:15