



TAKE NOTE

The Hill School
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October 4, 2012

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



TONIGHT, Thursday, October 4th 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

The evening will begin at 7:00 p.m. with a brief All-School meeting in the Athletic Center.

After this meeting, parents will go to their child(ren)'s homeroom(s) for a presentation by the homeroom teachers of this year's curriculum and events. The evening will conclude at approximately 8:30 p.m.

Please Note: We will not have childcare available during the meeting.



Hill School Country Fair

Saturday, October 13, 2012

Please see page 3 for more information about the equestrian events as well as a list of the wonderful fun that awaits you at the Country Fair.



Hill School Country Fair

All School Picnic provided
by Hill School Families:



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| A-F Pasta or Potato salad | N-P Green Salad |
| G-J Fruit | Q-S Cookies |
| K-M Kid's Sandwiches | T-Z Brownies |

Each family should provide approximately 15 to 20 servings. There is no refrigeration at the picnic area, so please bring any perishable items in a cooler marked with your name. Foods should be table ready. Fried Chicken to be provided by PTC.

- ◆ **Grades K-3:** Help with picnic set up
- ◆ **Grades 4-5:** Provide "Bee-Proof" drinks and coolers
- ◆ **Grades 6-8:** Help with clean up

The faculty and staff would like to thank the parents who set out a wonderful breakfast for us today. What a treat! Thank you so much for your thoughtfulness.



Community Movie Night
October 12
7:00 pm (Doors open 6:30pm)
The Sheila C. Johnson
Performing Arts Center

This is an energizing environmental film
Admission is free * RSVPs encouraged and more
information is available at greenfire.nvct.org

Sponsored by the Goose
Creek Association and
the Hill School Alumni
Association

Coming up at Hill:

Tues. Oct. 9	JV Boys soccer vs. Highland at Hill. Game at 3:30, dismissal at 4:45. V Boys soccer vs. Highland at Hill. Game at 4:30, dismissal at 5:45. JV Girls field hockey vs. Metz at Hill. Game at 4:30, dismissal 5:45. V Girls field hockey vs. Highland at Highland. Game at 3:00, dismissal at 4:45.
Thurs. Oct. 11	JV Boys soccer vs. Powhatan at Hill. Game at 3:30, dismissal at 4:45. V Boys soccer vs. Powhatan at Hill. Game at 4:30, dismissal 5:45. JV Girls field hockey vs. Powhatan at Powhatan. Game at 3:30, dismissal at 6:15. (note: new dismissal time) V Girls field hockey vs. Powhatan at Powhatan. Game at 4:30, dismissal at 6:15.
Sat. Oct. 13	Country Fair and All school picnic
Tues. Oct. 16	V Boys soccer vs. LCDS at LCDS. Game at 3:30, dismissal at 5:15. JV Boys soccer vs. LCDS at LCDS. Game at 4:30, dismissal at 6:15 JV Girls field hockey vs. LCDS at Hill. Game at 3:30, dismissal at 4:45. V Girls field hockey vs. LCDS at Hill. Game at 4:30, dismissal at 5:45
Wed. Oct. 17	4-5 Soccer Play day. Location and schedule to be announced.
Thurs. Oct. 18	Parent Conference Day - No school
Friday, Oct. 19	Fall Holiday—No School



Hill School is again offering an electronics "ECYCLE" recycling program! Please place your items on the pallets located by the dumpster at the Art Circle parking lot. Final drop off date: Friday October 12th.



Please join
The Hill School Alumni Association
Board at the Virginia Fall Races

Glenwood Park, Middleburg
Saturday, October 6th 1-4 p.m.

We will be at Patron Parking space #'s 15 & 16B (against the stone wall.) Food and refreshments will be provided.

All Hill School alumni, friends and families are welcome!

Questions? Please contact Haley Walsh at 540-687-5897

BIG HIT!

Hill's Invitational Field Hockey Tournament

This year the Big Hit Tournament t-shirts are black long sleeve T-shirts with lime green print. BIG HIT in lime green will be stacked on the right sleeve. The cost per shirt is \$15. Orders are due by Friday, October 5th.

Name _____

Youth Medium _____ Youth Large _____

Adult Small _____ Adult Medium _____ Adult Large _____ Adult XL _____

Check Amount _____

(made out to The Hill School with Big Hit shirts written on the memo)

SCHEDULE OF EQUESTRIAN EVENTS

8:00 AM REGISTRATION



8:30 am Hill School Equitation Classic (Perpetual Trophy)

Riders will be judged at the walk, trot, and canter and over a course of fences. 2' for small / medium ponies; 2'6" for large ponies / horses. Attire is informal: Jodhpurs or breeches and polo shirts. No Jackets. Fee: \$5

9:00 am Walk / Trot Equitation (NEW!)

Riders will be judged at the walk and trot. May be asked to trot over cross-rail, at judge's discretion. Fee: \$5

9:30-10:30 am CROSS COUNTRY COURSE OPEN

Two categories are judged, riding individually or as a pair. Awards will be made for best single competitor and best pair. Repeat rounds (for fun) are allowed, keeping your pony's welfare in mind. Fee: \$15

10:30-11:45 am PONY GAMES

Fun games on ponies for Riders of all Levels. Great games for lead-liners: Round the World, Pole Bending. Games for more experienced riders: Egg and Spoon, Flag Relay, Ribbon Pair. Fee: \$5, per class

Patty Motion Memorial Trophy Awarded to the Hill Student who best exemplifies good horsemanship and competence in both the Cross Country and Hill School Equitation Classic. The trophy will be engraved each year with the student's name and kept at school.

AWARDS WILL BE MADE AT LUNCH!

*MAKE PLANS TO BRING YOUR PONY (OR BORROW ONE)!

*PRE-REGISTRATION is Strongly Encouraged. Waivers and Entry Forms are at the Front Desk.

*All Participants must have a SIGNED WAIVER AND NEGATIVE COGGINS for their mount.



QUESTIONS: Please contact Lara Dunlap, (703) 999-6268

THE COUNTRY FAIR IS JUST 9 DAYS AWAY!
MAKE PLANS TO JOIN US on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13th

The Fair begins at 9:00 am

FANTASTIC EXHIBITS THIS YEAR:

Farm animals: bottle raised lamb, mini pony and mini donkey, chickens, pot belly pig and more!

GET READY FOR FUN ACTIVITIES: Pre-Register for these:

Pony games, Cross Country, and Equitation
Baking Contest (judged by faculty!)

NEW TWIST ON OLD FAVORITES:

Games: grab a friend and have fun in these great games. There will be heats for lower, middle and upper school students: 3 legged race, Egg-n-Spoon, Relay races, and an all school TUG o' War!

BUT WAIT, THERE'S MORE!

Bike cross-country course, over the river and through the woods!
Dog Agility Course – run it early and often!
Face painting
Hula Hoop contest
Bracelet making

AND EVERYBODY'S FAVORITE: FACULTY CHALLENGE—this year : "THE GREAT RACE"

Please bring your loose change to the front office to vote for the faculty member you think will win the Faculty Challenge.



AFTER THE WONDERFUL ALL SCHOOL PICNIC join us for a family kick-ball game

It will be a Great day of Fun . . . we look forward to seeing you all there!

Register now!
Don't miss your opportunity to play in

The Hill School Open Golf Tournament

Tuesday October 16, 2012
12:00 noon Shot Gun Start
Rain date Tuesday October 23
\$125 per player Includes Dinner and Prizes

Organized by the Alumni Association
Proceeds from this event support Hill School financial aid.

Sponsorships Available
It's a great way to promote your business, support a very good cause, and have an enjoyable day golfing!

Entry deadline is October 12th

Please contact Haley Walsh for more details.
alumni@thehillschool.org or 540-687-5897



Raise a Dog, Change a Life

At last week's 4-8 assembly, Carina Elgin introduced her daughter's canine companion and assistant. Julie Coles (mother of Hill alumni Fraley '00, Peyton '00, Sloane '03), and Jen & Alex ('00) Fleming are currently hosting puppies for the organization, and they spoke of the joys and challenges of raising a future service dog.

If your family would like to learn more about Canine Companions for Independence, please join us on **Wednesday, October 17th**. Meet local puppy raisers & observe training class.
Location: American Legion Building, 111 The Plains Road, Middleburg

For more information visit cci.org or call 1-800-572-BARK(2275)



Ice Cream for Sale!
Every Wednesday at lunch

\$1.00

Proceeds support the 5th grade

Seven Loaves, the local food bank at the Methodist church in Middleburg, needs approx. 60 cubic feet of freezer space in which to store Thanksgiving turkeys donated by Costco.

Seven Loaves will deliver these to you (in the next week or so) and pick them up the week before Thanksgiving.

If you have available freezer space and would like to help, please call George Lenghauer at 540-687-3140.

FOR SALE/DONATION: Last-minute vacation opportunity. Six nights in a 3BR villa at Ritz Carlton Club, Kapalua Bay, HI. Oct. 20 - 26. Value \$5750. Will take best offer; half will be donated to Hill School. Open to everyone, not just Hill School families. For questions or to reserve: 571-274-0839. **For resort details:** www.ritzcarltonclub.com/explore-destinations/ritz-carlton-club/kapalua-bay.shtml

AVAILABLE: Anthony Horkan (Hill '04) is available to give private tennis lessons in Upperville. Please contact Anthony 703-728-7749



The Drama department is in need of retro phone handsets for its upcoming production of *Bye Bye Birdie*. If you have any old phones or phone handsets that look something like the picture, please leave them at the front desk. (NOTE: We will be taking them apart and painting them, so we will be unable to return them...at least not in working condition!) Thank you so much for your help!

7TH GRADE
OCTOBER 11TH
LASAGNA LUNCH!!



**\$7.00 INCLUDES LASAGNA, GARLIC BREAD,
SALAD, BROWNIE**

OCTOBER 11TH LASAGNA LUNCH

NAME:

GRADE:

**PLEASE MAKE CHECKS OUT TO THE HILL
SCHOOL, CLASS OF 2014 IN THE MEMO LINE.**

PLEASE TURN INTO FRONT DESK BEFORE

OCTOBER 9TH



Mark your Calendar

Hill Holiday Marketplace

Saturday, December 8

At Hill School

Hosted by the Hill School

Alumni Association

Reserved your display table (\$25 each) and sell your items / products

Think Jewelry, Gourmet Foods, Skin Care, Toys ... Whatever your specialty is! Space is limited

Deadline: November 16

Call or email today to sign up or with questions.

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presents

The Same Sky Project



A musical journey into the heart of a teenage girl who sees her Cerebral Palsy not as a disability, but as a gift.



Leo is the tiniest lightning bug and he cannot glow until he believes in himself.



A musical about finding a place both inside and outside of yourself that makes you feel safe, loved and heard.

3 Shows that will Touch Your Heart in 1 Night!

**Saturday, October 20
7:00 pm**

Middleburg Community Center

Tickets at the door \$10