

### TAKE NOTE

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

May 18, 2023



#### UPCOMING SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24 AT 11AM SPANISH ASSEMBLY

FRIDAY, MAY 26AT 7PM
GRADES 5-7 COFFEE HOUSE CONCERT

MONDAY, MAY 29 NO SCHOOL - MEMORIAL DAY

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7 AT 11AM 5-8 HONOR ROLL AND 8 AWARDS ASSEMBLY

THURSDAY, JUNE 8

LAST DAY FOR JK-3 - REGUALR DISMISSAL TIMES IN THE AFTERNOON

4:00PM DISMISSAL FOR GRADES 4-7 (GRADE 8 ON A FIELD TRIP)

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

9:00AM ASSEMBLY "REFLECTIONS BY THE EIGHTH GRADERS"

EIGHTH GRADERS DISMISSED AT 11:00AM 4-7 STUDENTS DISMISSED AT NOON

EIGHTH GRADERS RETURN AT 3:30PM FOR PICTURE AND GRADUATION PREPARATIONS

5:00PM COMMENCEMENT - GRADES 4 AND 5 ARE INVITED - ATTENDANCE VOLUNTARY GRADES 6 AND 7 - ALL STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND GRADUATION. AVAILABLE: Tim Hubbard (Hill '19, Highland '23) is available for House and pet sitting this summer. Please text (571) 919-0880.

**FOR SALE:** Beautiful Yamaha G2 Baby Grand Piano built in 1968. Inner-workings were refurbished entirely ten years ago. Excellent condition, with minor imperfections in the finish if you look closely. Regular tunings, and transported solely by professional piano movers. Photos available. Call 512-415-7050 or email <a href="mailto:krenneker@thehillschool.org">krenneker@thehillschool.org</a>.

**SEEKING:** Do you know a college age student or rising High School senior who needs a summer job in the Marshall/The Plains area? Assistant needed to work in a woodworking shop with a highly skilled Japanese joinery woodworker and a Hill School Alumnus for a Hill School Alumnus. Please call Chris Ohrstrom 540 219 6318 or Tom Neville 540 422 6179.

**AVAILABLE:** Remy Patterson (Hill '18, Foxcroft '22, W&M '26) available for house sitting/pet sitting this summer. Please text 540-687-0172.

**AVAILABLE:** Lovely Cape Cod style house on a large farm just minutes to Middleburg. Fully renovated 4-bedroom, 4 bedroom house with new paint, flooring, kitchen appliances, and light fixtures. Main floor primary bedroom with an ensuite bath and another guest bedroom or home office with hall bath/powder room. Upper level has two bedrooms with a shared hall bath. Fully finished, walk out lower level with large recreation room with a wood stove, another full bath with unique walk-in bathtub, workout room or separate storage room, laundry and small kitchen area. Covered front porch and open rear deck with wonderful Blue Ridge Mountain views. Private parking area plus small one-car carport under rear deck. House is situated on a working horse farm so pets on a case-by-case basis. No smokers. Landlord takes care of lawn. References and credit reports required. Asking \$3,750/month. Please contact Cricket Bedford at Thomas & Talbot Estate Properties Inc. Cell (540) 229-3201.





Get ready for...Spring Book Fairl

Monday, May 22, through Wednesday, May 24 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily

All proceeds will go to the Teacher Book Fund.

Questions?

bookfair1@thehillschool.org

The Book Fair will accept payments in cash, check, school charge to BigSIS (see below) or credit card (if a parent is present).

Give your child permission to charge Book Fair purchases to your BigSIS account!

- 1. Login to your BigSIS portal: https://thehillschool.bigsis.com/portal.
- 2. Go to Parents Tab at the top, then click the Forms Tab where you will find a Book Fair Permission Slip for each child.
- 3. Permission slips are due by Friday, May 19.

Any charges made to BigSIS (not to exceed the authorized amount) will appear on your next scheduled payment. If you have any BigSIS questions, please contact Sarah Schroder at sschroder@thehillschool.org.

If a child does not have a permission slip on file (indicating that they MAY/MAY NOT use school charge), we will allow them to charge ONE book up to \$20 to your account.



#### Volunteers Needed!

May 19 & 22-24

Hill's annual book fair is back and a number of parent volunteers are needed to ensure this event is a success.

Volunteers are needed over the course of a week to help with everything from unpacking and organizing, to running check-out and shuffling kids through the fair, to tearing-down and packing up.

Come volunteer with us and help host an awesome book fair!
Please check out our **Sign-Up Genius** to volunteer.

Email bookfair1@thehillschool.org with any questions.



#### This book fair we are trying something new!

For starters, we are doing AWAY with wishlists for the lower school. Instead, all grades will be able to browse and purchase books on their first visit. Pre-authorizing your student to charge to their BigSIS account will allow them to make a purchase when their class visits the book fair.

If a student does not have a permission slip on file, they will still be allowed to charge ONE book up to \$20 to your account.

Lower school will visit the book fair with their mentors on their second visit (this is opposite from what has been done in the past). The students will still have an opportunity to purchase books but the purpose of their visit is to read with their mentors. This time will be about enjoying all the books that they did not get to purchase (because we cannot buy them all).

Parents are welcome to visit the book fair, too! Swing by during your child's scheduled visit, or pop-in as you are able. Book fair representatives will be on-site from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. every day to accommodate as many people as possible.

#### **Book Fair Schedule by Grade**

Monday,	May 22
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3:00 - 3:30 8-2

9:05 - 9:50 2nd Grade 10:00 - 10:40 1st Grade 11:00 - 11:30 7-1 11:30 - 12:00 7-2 1:00 - 1:30 JK 2:30 - 3:00 8-1

#### Tuesday, May 23

9:00 - 9:30 Kindergarten 10:00 - 10:30 4-1 10:30 - 11:00 4-2

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11:00 - 11:30 6 (Weeden/Woods)

11:30 - 12:00 6 (Gibson)

12:30 - 1:00 5 (Price/Woods)

1:00 - 1:30 5 (Gibson)

1:40 - 2:20 3-2 2:20 - 3:00 3-1

#### Wednesday, May 24

9:00 - 9:30 1 & 3 with 7 Mentors 9:30 - 10:00 2 & 3 with 8 Mentors 1:00 - 1:30 JK with 6 Mentors

1:30 - 2:00 K with 6 Mentors

#### Purchase a book for your class library!

Teachers will be creating their own wish list of books that they would like to add to their classroom libraries. Students and parents will have the opportunity to purchase these books as a donation to Hill (students will even get to fill out a book plate to memorialize their donation). Look for the **colored** bookmarks designating "Wish List" sticking out of books throughout the fair.



## FSCAPE TO THE EMERALD ISLE

We would like to thank the entire Hill School Community for your incredible support of "Escape to the Emerald Isle," The Hill School's 46th Annual Auction! The auction was a

**HUGE SUCCESS THANKS TO YOU!** 

We are overwhelmed by your incredible generosity! Thank YOU all for your support!



Together we embody the
Power of Community!
With gratitude — The Hill School

# Arundel Family Library at THE HILL SCHOOL

#### We are almost to the end of the 2022-2023 school year!

It is time to think about what books you may want to borrow for the summer. It is also time to look for those last few library books and return them before the year comes to a close. Here are a few things we think you may want to be aware of:

- Last day for students to borrow books during the school year is May 26th. (With the exception of books that are needed for classroom-only use.
- All books borrowed for the school year are due back no later than June 9th. We will consider all school year books that are not returned by June 9th as lost, and they will be charged to the family's account.
- Students may borrow books and have up to five (5) books out at a time for summer reading starting May 30th, with a signed permission form from their parents (see below).
- The library is accessible over the summer Mon-Fri 9am-4pm. If you have questions about borrowing books and the librarian is not present, please check in with the front office.
- Summer books must be returned no later than September 15. Books not returned or that are returned damaged will be charged to the family's account.

Please don't hesitate to contact Marnie Butu if you have any questions at:

(parent signature)

Music presented by 5th, 6th, and 7th grades

## COFFEE HOUSE CONCERT

Friday, May 26th | 7-8:15pm SHEILA C. JOHNSON PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

Retro 70'S Attire (Optional for Adults)



MIDDLEBURG MUSIC FEST INTERNATIONAL

presents



#### Stanislav Khristenko

Friday, May 26, 2023 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM Buchanan Hall 8549 John S Mosby Hwy Upperville VA 20184

Admission: FREE | \$45 suggested donation at the door

https://www.middleburgmusicfestival.org/events







JoinMs. Fedorchak for a week of activities and stories all surrounding lan Falkoner's books. Campers will also enjoy exploring the campus and playing on the playground.

This camp is for children entering Junior Kindergarten – 3rd Grade!

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#### **SUMMER YOUTH HORSE CAMPS**

Registration open now for 2023!

Bring your friends for summer horse fun & learning!

Each day will include lessons in riding, grooming, saddling, horse care, horse body language and communication, horsemanship, horse management, and a variety of topics including horse anatomy, nutrition, horse sports, uses & history, training, horse breeds, horse colors, and activities pertaining to general horse knowledge.

Students will be split into groups for lessons which will be tailored to the skill level and ability of each group. More advanced students will cover topics like course design, show prep, training theory, fitness & conditioning, natural horsemanship training, and groundwork skills like lunging, ground driving, and the use of body language to train horses.

Bring a lunch, snack, plenty to drink, and a change of clothes

Parents are invited to a horse show on Friday to demonstrate skills learned during the week. We want everyone to have fun and learn something along the way!

#### RIDERS

Ages 6-16yo, beginner through intermediate riders.

#### LOCATION

Cool Breeze Equine, 6329 Muster Lane, The Plains, VA 20198

CAMP	DATES	TIME	
June 26 -	-30	9:00am -2:00 pm	

Monday - Friday July 10 -14

July 24 ---28 July 31 — August 4

COST - \$550 per SESSION Early Registration & Multi-Camp Discounts Apply

Registration closes 4 weeks before each camp or when all spots fill. Camp is a great place to make new friends, but it's

also a fun place to bring old friends!

#### REGISTER EARLY

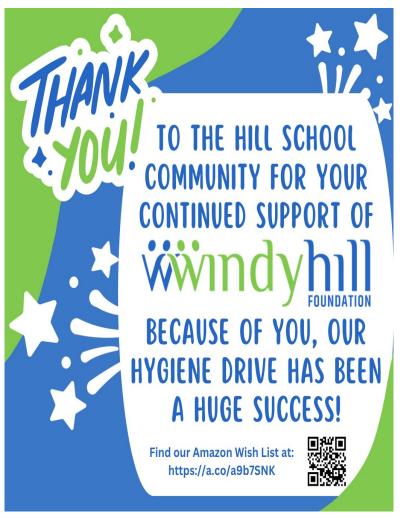
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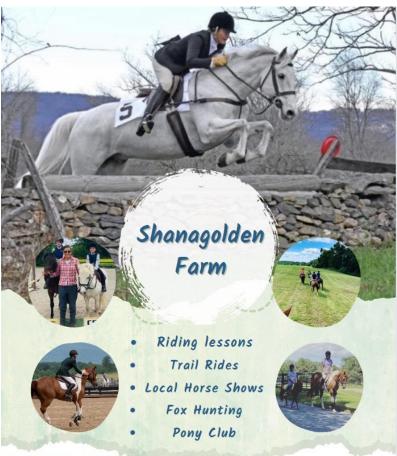
Kay Pfaff @ office.coolbreezeequine@gmail.com or learn more at www.coolbreezeequine.com/camps



In the event that a particular camp week does not fill to the minimum number of students required to run the camp, parents will be notified in advance and given the option to participate in a different week of camp.







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The Plains, VA 20198

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Stephanie Mangan

BHSAI

#### Start as a Student, End as a CEO











#### YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS ACADEMY

For Kids Who Mean BUSINESS

#### **APPLICATIONS OPEN MARCH 1 - JUNE 12, 2023**

Apply + Learn More: www.LoudounChamber.org/YEA

The Young Entrepreneurs Academy (YEA!) is an innovative, 7-month program that transforms middle and high school students into real-life entrepreneurs and business owners. In this program

presented by the Loudoun Chamber Foundation and the Loudoun Economic Development Authority, students will develop business ideas, write business plans, conduct market research, be mentored by local business men and women, pitch to a panel of investors, and will be ready to launch their own legal, fully formed companies and social movements.

Complete with guest speakers from the local business community and behind-the-scenes trips to local companies, the projects-based YEA! approach empowers students to take charge of their futures in a profound way

Questions? Contact Program Coordinator Faith Shoup, fshoup@loudounchamber.org

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#### The Birthday Books

written and illustrated by Hill School parents







Krister Killinger Ellie Rose '18, Chloe '19,

Lilly '22, Keagan '24

"The Birthday Books" celebrate the joy and milestones that come with the first sweet years of a child's life. From birth to age five, parents can mark each birthday with the tradition of reading "The Birthday Books" - something both parent and child can look forward to each year!

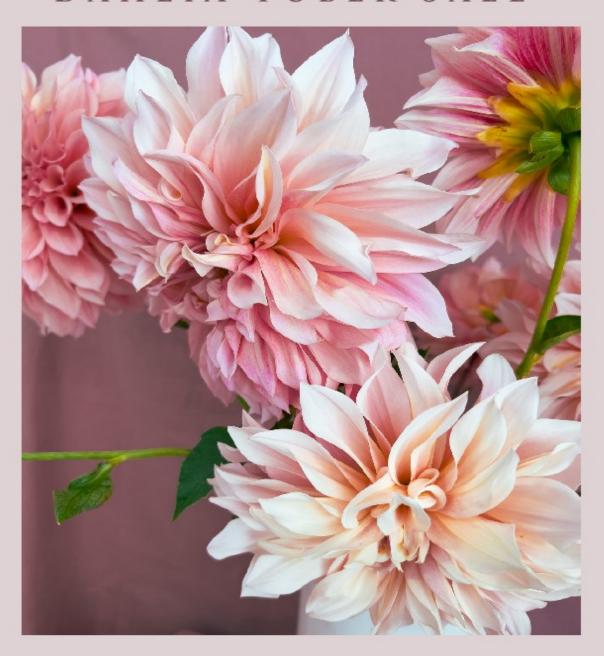
The perfect baby shower, expecting parent, newborn gift! All proceeds from "The Birthday Books" support Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation to change the lives of children with cancer.



purchase online for Hill School delivery www.thebirthdaybooks.shop also available at Town Duck



## BRIDGET WILSON FLOWERS DAHLIA TUBER SALE



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Orders can be placed online or by texting 540-454-6304
5% of all sales will be donated to The Hill School

All orders will come with planting instructions and will be available for pickup at Hill