



The Parent Hill
Informed
Week of 4/2

Principal's Memo

We're sending a huge shout out of gratitude to the families that have contributed \$2,105 toward our \$5,000 goal to celebrate students! Please help us continue to purchase items for our school store and items for our monthly celebration by visiting: <https://www.gofundme.com/hillstudentcelebration>

Each month, we celebrate students in the gym. In addition, we host volleyball, basketball and floor hockey games throughout the year. We would love to complete the gym by adding motorized bleachers that will seat over 250 spectators. If you would like to help fund this project, please visit here: <https://www.gofundme.com/hill-gym-bleacher-fund>

At Hill, we strive to create a *joyful* and *academically robust* learning environment for all students that is *rooted in relationships*.

Monday, April 2

- **No Students**

Tuesday, April 3

- **Baseball Practice;** 3:00 @ Hill
- **Girls Soccer Practice;** 3:00
- **Co-ed Tennis Practice;** 3:00-4:15
- **Dance Practice;** 3:00-4:30

Wednesday, April 4

- **Dance Practice;** 3:00-4:30
- **Dungeons & Dragons Club;** 3:00-4:30 in TBD
- **Boys Lacrosse Practice;** 3:00 @ Hill
- **Girls Lacrosse Practice;** 5:00 @ Hill
- **Baseball vs Slavens;** 4:00 @ Hill
- **Girls Soccer vs Slavens;** 4:00 @ Cramner Park

Thursday, April 5

- **Shakespeare Music Club;** 2:45-4:00 in Room 17
- **Art Club;** 2:45-3:45 in Room 120
- **Comics & Collecting Club;** 2:45-3:45 in Room 223
- **Co-ed Tennis Practice;** 3:00-4:15
- **7th Grade Theater Field Trip to Sleeping Beauty;** 9:00-11:45 @ JCC

Friday, April 6

- **Coffee with Kavanaugh;** 8:30 in Room 115

UPCOMING EVENTS

- April 7–May 3; Citywide Middle School Art Show
- April 13; Carnival School Dance; 6:00-8:00pm
- April 24; Citywide Middle School Art Show Reception

DISTRICT ACCOUNTABILITY COMMITTEE

DPS is looking for individuals interested in becoming members of the District Accountability Committee (DAC). This is an opportunity for DPS parents, staff and community members who are interested in the improvement of our schools to help ensure that Every Child Succeeds. The mission of the DAC is to assist in the improvement of DPS by advising the Board of Education on the adequacy and cost effectiveness of educational programs and policies. Interested individuals can apply [here](#). Applications are due **April 4**.

2018 CITYWIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL ART SHOW

The 2018 Citywide Middle School Art Show will again be on display at the main branch of the Denver Public Library downtown from April 7-May 3. The Show Reception for artists and their families is the evening of April 24th. Congratulations to these Hill students for having their work selected for this year's annual DPS show: 6th Grade: Mackenzie Ehler and Maya Neff; 7th Grade: Ashe Harper and Blake Miller; 8th Grade: Lluvia Rodriguez and Madison Smith.

CMAS IS AROUND THE CORNER

Language Arts (All Grades): April 10, 11, 12
Math (All Grades): April 17, 18, 19
Science (8th Grade Only): April 17, 18, 19
Social Studies (7th Grade Only): April 17, 18, 19

IMMUNIZATIONS

We have partnered with Denver Public Health to offer in-school immunizations to students. This program helps ensure your child has a healthy school year. The next In-School Immunization Program Clinic on **April 30th**.

One signed consent form allows your child to participate in any In-School Immunization Program (ISIP) clinic during the school year. With a completed consent, your child will receive any appropriate/needed vaccines if they are not up-to-date, so please make sure the school nurse has your child's most up-to-date record. Please make sure your child has eaten breakfast before coming to school on the clinic date. It's not too late to sign up! Consent forms are available in the main office or nurses' office, or you can go to DenverPublicHealth.org/ISIP for a consent form your child can bring to school on the day of the clinic. If you have signed a consent form, but no longer want to participate in the immunization program, please let us know.

Questions? Contact the In-School Immunization Program at (303) 602-3688.

IXL SHOWDOWN

Classes across the country will be competing in an IXL Showdown from April 1 to April 30. Classrooms that answer the most questions correctly will earn a pizza party from IXL. Contact your child's Math teacher for more information.

DPD CONNECTING WITH KIDS

The Denver Police Department will be visiting Hill each month for lunch hour visits. The purpose is to provide opportunities for positive interactions with the students and also to increase police presence at the school to improve security and safety of staff and students. Their goal is to visit each elementary and middle school once a month and the visits will be random.