



Hillside HAPPENINGS



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September 2026

Hello, Hillside Families!

Welcome back! We made it through the first week of school, and we're excited for all that this school year has in store.

The PTO has already hosted several events, with many more exciting activities planned throughout the year. Our monthly newsletter will provide a recap of recent events, a glimpse at what's coming up, and important reminders about upcoming opportunities and activities. Thank you for your continued support of the Hillside PTO. We look forward to a wonderful school year together!

Warmly,
Hillside PTO

Important Dates

September and October

- Thursday 9/10 Back to School Night (6-7:30pm)
- Friday 9/11 : Dine-Out Fundraiser at Rita's Marlton (5-8 pm) 20% goes to Hillside
- Friday 9/18 Welcome back Social(4-6pm)
- Saturday 9/26th: Mum Pickup & Clothing Donation Drive (8-10:30 am)
- Thursday 10/1 Heritage Night (6-7pm)
- Wednesday 10/21- Kids Paint night



Upcoming Event Details

- **Back to School Night** - BTS Night will be held on Tomorrow Thursday September 10 at 6 pm. Don't miss this important chance to meet the teachers and staff that work with your child all year long.
- **Welcome Back Social** - Meet us on the playground on Friday September 18th, from 4-6 PM! Enjoy complimentary water ice and soft pretzels while catching up with friends and connecting with new families. The PTO Board will be there selling spirit wear and mums.
- **Mum Pickup and Donation Drive**- What says "Welcome Fall" more than a porch full of beautiful mums? Hillside PTO has you covered. [Order your mums here](#) before September 18th and pick them up at our Drive Thru in front of Hillside School on **Saturday, September 26th** between 8-10:30 AM. The PTO will also be collecting donations of clothing, accessories, shoes and small household items at the mum pickup. You know you have bags of outgrown clothes and unused items sitting around your house and in your trunk! Let us take them off your hands.
- **NEW Spirit Wear**- Hillside PTO is proud to unveil exciting new spiritwear designs for 2026 including performance material and PAJAMAS! Check out our shop and keep your Hillsider looking fresh for spirit day! [Order here.](#)



Welcome Back Teachers 8/31



Kindergarten Orientation 8/31



Chalk the walk 9/2

Reminders & Fundraisers...

Click the Image to learn more & participate!

Hillside PTO

Annual Mum Sale

The annual PTO sale features beautiful mums instunning colors and various sizes to add a touch of autumn to your home! Sale proceeds benefit PTO events and activities.

Order deadline:
Friday, September 18th

9" POTTED (\$10 Each or 4 for \$35)
12" POTTED (\$20 each)
14" WOODEN BASKET (\$26 each)
10" HANGING BASKET (\$16 each)

Scan to order or visit <https://hillside-2026-mum-sale.cheddarup.com>.

PICK UP AT HILLSIDE
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH
between 8 - 10 AM

VOLUNTEER ON PICKUP DAY!
Help unload the mums, assist with order pickup, and/or load the clothing donation truck

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH
CHOOSE A TIME BETWEEN 7 - 10:30 AM

Scan to sign up or visit <https://tinyurl.com/2026mumsale>

Questions? Contact hspatovpfundraising@mtlaurelschools.org

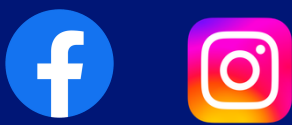
HILLSIDE PTO

CLOTHING DRIVE

DROP OFF AT HILLSIDE
Saturday, September 26th
between 7 - 10 AM

SAME TIME
as the
Mum pickup

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2026-27 Hillside PTO Board

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Immediate Past President: Melissa Jordan

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