AAP Parent Information Meeting

WHERE: Spring Hill
DATE: Tuesday, October 7, 2014
TIME: 7:30-8:30 AM  Due to popular demand!
LOCATION: Spring Hill Library

Mr. Vanderhye will provide information about levels of service and examples at Spring Hill as well as explain and answer questions about the screening processes for part-time school based and Level IV services.

The meeting is open to all K-6 parents. Please join us!

School Picture Day
Tomorrow, September 25

School pictures are provided as a service to our families and are also a valuable fundraiser for the school. These portraits will also be used in the school yearbook. Picture Order Envelopes came home last Thursday. If you would like to place an order, please complete the envelope, with payment enclosed and have your child bring it to his or her teacher on or before picture day. Fall photos are pre-order only.

This school newsletter will be issued every Wednesday during the school year on our website, under “News and Events.” You will receive an email link to the newsletter if we have your current email address. Deadline for submissions are Mondays by Noon. Email nelda.hirji@fcps.edu Please include Panther Press in the subject.
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**Yearbooks And Class Photos**
(Last School Yr 13/14)

We have a few yearbooks ($13) and class photos ($10) from last year.
CASH ONLY
If you have any questions or would like to purchase either, please contact Nelda Hirji @ 703-506-3400 or email nelda.hirji@fcps.edu

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**Early Pick-Up Policy**

If you need to pick up your child early from school, you must do so before 3:00 pm. Please schedule appointments accordingly. There will be no early pick-ups after 3:00 pm. After this times, you will need to wait until dismissal @ 3:20 pm.

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**Calendar**

Please schedule your family vacations during FCPS designated holidays / breaks, which you can see at this link: [http://www.fcps.edu/cal.shtml](http://www.fcps.edu/cal.shtml) Be aware that missing school for extended periods of time negatively impacts your child and your child’s teacher.

**Week of September 22:**
**Thursday, September 25:** Fall Individual Photos
**Friday, September 26:** Room Parent Meeting, 9-10:15 am, Cafeteria

**Week of September 29:**
**Tuesday, September 30:** Art Appreciation Orientation, 8:45-10:15 am, Cafeteria
4th GR FT (Kiernan, Mosher & Fowler), Great Falls Park, 9:15 am-1:30 pm
**Friday, October 3:** Parent University, Cafeteria, 9-10:15 am, (Coffee, 8:30)
2nd GR FT (ALL), Frying Pan Park, 9:30 am-1:15pm

**Week of October 6:**
**Tuesday, October 7:** 6th GR FT (Papathanassiou, Ginsberg & Smith), Inner Quest, 10:30 am-4:50 pm)
**Wednesday, October 8:** PTO Meeting, Lg Pod, 9:15 am
**Thursday, October 9:** 6th GR FT (All), Alden Theatre, 9:20-11 am
5th GR FT (All), Alden Theatre, 9:30-11 am

Plan ahead:
2014-15 School Year Dates

**Thanksgiving Break:** November 27-28
**Winter Break:** December 22-January 2
**Spring Break:** March 30-April 3
**Last Day of School 2014:** June 19

Come See Artwork by our students at MPAartfest—McLean’s only outdoor arts festival!

- Stroll along the Children’s ArtWalk experience the work of budding young artists from our school and other McLean area schools.

- Check out the mini-galleries in McLean Central Park filled with paintings, drawings, prints, sculpture, photography and fine crafts by more than 50 regional artists, offered for sale.

- Visit the new Hands-On Art Studio, where you will be immersed in the MPA ArtReach experience. Create your own artwork and add it to the Community Art “Quilt.”

- Keep the beat with live musical performances by local professional musicians and community groups at the Gazebo all day long.

- Treat yourself to delicious snacks from Lebanese Taverna, J. Gilbert's, Greenberry’s, Mama’s Donut Bites, Nourish Market, Naked Pizza and more!

Enjoy a great day with your family outdoors!

Teacher’s lounge, clinic and upstairs workroom need a refrigerator

If anyone is remodeling and/or upgrading their kitchen please consider donating your old refrigerator. Please contact the front office at (703) 506-3400 for this donation.
Differentiated Instruction is a strategy used in providing Level II Services. Students receive these services based on particular academic needs and strengths; therefore, the services may change over time.

The Advanced Academic resource teacher, AART, collaborates with classroom teachers to support differentiated instruction and to provide additional challenges within the general education program.

Appropriate material for differentiation may be found in the FCPS Curriculum and Resources. This curriculum supports the differentiated framework in advanced academic programs.

For example, a group of students might require additional challenge in math for a specific unit. These students might work together in a small group on math extension activities instead of basic skills.

Or... a student may have extensive knowledge of a particular science or social studies topic. In this case, the student might work on an independent research project on that topic.

Services are tailored to the individual student and the content area and/or the unit of study.

Some examples of curriculum used in differentiated services:
- Socratic Seminar
- Jacob’s Ladder
- Mentoring Young Mathematicians

Please check this FCPS website for more details:
http://www.fcps.edu/is/aap/gradelevel.shtml

AAP LEVEL II SERVICES

SET: CHALLENGING ALL STUDENTS!

Start the school year with the game of SET!

SET is a card game of visual perception. The goal is to be the first to see a SET from the 12 cards laid face up on a table. A SET is three cards that are either all the same or all different in each individual feature: color, shape, shading, and number.

Buy the cards or play a slightly different version on the SETGAME website:
www.setgame.com/set/daily_puzzle

Check out SET JR--perfect for students in grades K-2.
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27
DNT TXT & DRV
3K PLEDGE RUN

JOIN US ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 AT SPRING HILL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FROM 7:30-9:30AM

COME OUT AND RAISE AWARENESS ABOUT THE DANGERS OF TEXTING AND DRIVING

REGISTER TO RUN AT 3KPLEDGERUN.COM

WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE

VISIT 3KPLEDGERUN.COM FOR MORE INFORMATION

If you have any comments, questions, or concerns, please email 3kpledgerun@gmail.com
BSA Troop 55 – Great Falls, VA

A Boy Scout Led Troop
Building Character, Confidence & Leadership for 35 Years

Adventure

Accomplishment

Service

Leadership

FUN!!

Troop 55 meets Wednesdays from 7:30 to 9:00 at St. Francis Episcopal Church in Great Falls. Send an email to prreinke@gmail.com to schedule a visit!

For more information, contact the Troop 55 Scoutmaster at bsa55scoutmaster@gmail.com or check out our website at www.bsa55.com

Be sure to visit Troop 55 during our Open House on December 13, 2014 for pioneering, games, skills, campfire cooking and more!

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Upcoming Event!

New Cub Scout / Parent Information Meeting / Orientation

Learn About Cub Scouts and Pack 1144
Monday, September 29 at 7:00pm

Location: Andrew Chapel United Methodist Church, 1301 Trap Road, Vienna, VA

The Adventure Starts Now!

The adventure starts with Cub Scouting, a year-round family program designed for boys in 1st through 5th grades, or 6 to 10 years of age. The program emphasizes shared leadership, learning about the community, family understanding, character development, citizenship training, and personal fitness. Young boys grow up fast! Give your son a valuable gift by encouraging him to join Cub Scouting today. The time you invest in him today will make a difference in the person he becomes tomorrow.

Is your son currently enrolled in First through 4th Grade?
Find out about joining all of the adventure for this school year.

Please join us on Monday, September 29th!

For more info, please contact our Pack 1144 Cub Master, Matt Swartz, matt@pillsburylaw.com, 703-770-7513, or District Director Michael Lee, michael.lee@scouting.org, 703-606-3036


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Volunteers Needed: Art Appreciation

Sign up for Art Appreciation and bring art into your child’s classroom!

The Spring Hill PTO Art Appreciation Program is designed to give our children the opportunity to examine, explore, discuss and learn to appreciate a wide variety of art. Volunteers will have the opportunity to present an Art Appreciation lesson to their child’s class. Materials are provided along with a volunteer information session. **Volunteer Orientation will be held in the cafeteria on Tuesday, September 30th at 9:15 AM.**

If you have any questions, please contact Christina Murphy (christina.l.murphy@gmail.com) or Jamie Loving (jamie.loving@verizon.net).

Volunteers Needed: Bus Notes

**Volunteers are needed Friday mornings from October through end of May.** This is one of PTO’s greatest community services. Volunteers check matching bus notes for play-dates and approve student transportation changes from school to the play-date. Volunteers are scheduled based on their availabilities.

For more information, please contact Bus Notes Chair, Sherri Nik-Aeen at sh_nikaeen@yahoo.com.

Volunteers Needed: Green Initiatives

Green Initiatives needs a few more volunteers as well as a co-leader to work with Kristin Mears.

- **OUTDOOR CLASSROOMS** – parent-led classes for learning outside the classroom. 1-2 hour commitment. Materials & lesson plans are provided. Timing: K, 1st & 2nd - September & November; Other grades – TBD
- **SUSTAINABLE CAFETERIA** – student based recycling, up-cycling and (hopefully to be introduced this year) composting in our own cafeteria. Volunteers needed to help implement new ideas, train students and deliver food to the Share Food Pantry at McLean Baptist Church. Dates and time flexible.
- **RECYCLING ART COMPETITION** – art competition based around recycling materials (3D, 2D and performance). Help needed with all aspects – planning, promoting to students, organization on the day, judging and collating of judging results etc. Timing TBD but hopefully in November.
- **STEWARDSHIP MANDATE** – Spring Hill’s plan to foster responsibility to our community. Stewardship includes assisting your child’s classroom for about one hour with campus beautification. All materials & instructions are provided.
  - Timing: K, 1st grade & 2nd grade – May; 3rd grade & 4th grade – October; 5th grade – December; 6th grade – March
Upcoming Events: Mark Your Calendar!

Room Parent Meeting: September 26th
For all room parents K-6th, there will be an important meeting on Friday, September 26th at 9:00 a.m. in the Cafeteria. Coffee and donuts will be served! No need to hire a sitter; younger children are welcome! During the meeting, we will let you know of the changes being made this year as well as helpful tips to have a great year! If all the members of your classroom’s room parent committee can’t attend, please make sure there are at least two room parents from each classroom present. The more the merrier! See you on September 26th!

Please contact Kathy Carey (kathy10md@hotmail.com) and Kayleen Widdifield (kjwiddifield@gmail.com) with questions.

Parent University: October 3rd
Join us for Parent University in the Cafeteria on Friday, October 3rd. Lisa Bennett is the speaker and her presentation is “There’s No I In Team: Working Together to Build Independence, Integrity and A Strong Work Ethic.” Coffee is at 8:30 a.m. and speaker begins at 9 a.m.

International Walk To School Day: October 8th
International Walk to School Day is a global event that involves communities from more than 40 countries walking and biking to school on the same day. For the fourth consecutive year, Spring Hill will celebrate the day as a way to promote physical activity while reducing traffic congestion and pollution near schools. How does it work?

- Walk to school on Wednesday, October 8th with neighborhood friends and parents OR
- Walk to your bus stop and ride your bus if you usually get a ride to school (this cuts down on traffic and is better for the environment)
- All students arriving on foot (or bike or scooter) should enter school that day through Door 7. They’ll be cheered on by teachers and parents, and will receive a token of appreciation for participating.

Mobile Labs Family Science Night: October 14th
We still need a few more volunteers. No experience necessary. Please see the attached flyer and contact Ann Shankroff at the_shankroffs@verizon.net.
Spirit Wear

Spirit Wear sales have begun! See the samples in the office this week ONLY. See the flyer attached and place your order by Friday, September 26th.

After School Activities

After School Activities Registration began on September 15th. There is still space in Girls Run & Fun, Rubik's Cube, Movin' and Groovin' Dance and the other classes are filling fast. FLEX language classes will begin enrolling through FCPS in early October. Classes will be taught here at Spring Hill.

Our ASA coordinator will be leaving Spring Hill at the end of the year. We NEED a volunteer or two to shadow Roseanne to learn about coordinating the ASA classes. The position takes some time and requires paperwork, but is flexible and can be done from home. If you are interested, please contact Roseanne Siegel. If no one volunteers, we cannot continue to offer After School Activities next year!

Chess Club Registration

**Chess Club registration ends September 25.** Students from 2nd through 6th grades may register. The registration cost is $95 per student per session. Registration began September 8th and is online at [www.springhillpto.org](http://www.springhillpto.org). First session is Friday, September 26th. We need one parent volunteer to help set up boards and supervise snacks weekly. Please pick up your children promptly at 5pm.

For questions, please email springhillchessclub@gmail.com.

2014/15 Directory Advertisement Spots Available

Each year the PTO publishes a Directory that is an invaluable resource for all Spring Hill families. We will be working again this year with A to Z Directories to produce our printed Directories (5.5" x 8.5" size). As you may know, A to Z is able to provide printed directories to the PTO for no charge by including advertisements from area businesses in the directory.

Spring Hill families have the opportunity to purchase advertising spots in this year’s directory (target publication date of late October 2014). Parents interested in purchasing an advertisement should contact Monica Christensen at monica@at zdirectories.com or 703.470.0687. Along with premium advertising spots, there are also full page, half page, and business card advertising opportunities available for as little as $125. The deadline for advertisements is Monday, September 22, 2014. This is a great way to show your support for the school, and also gives all who receive a directory a chance to support your business or service after seeing your advertisement.

Look for information in upcoming editions of the Panther Press on the timing for checking the accuracy of your family’s information for submission to the directory.
School Directory Coming Soon!

We are currently working on importing the data from FCPS into the PTO database and doing data cleanup, and we hope to have this completed next week. We will then be asking families to confirm their information is listed correctly and to authorize release to the directory (or opting out) in the coming weeks on the secure side of the PTO website, www.springhillpto.org. Please look for more information in the October 1 Panther Press and the October 2 Thursday folders. Special thanks to Betsy Vrankovich and Becky Abbott for dealing with this massive data transfer and cleanup effort!!

FREE Money = Grocery Bonus Plan

PLEASE SUBMIT GROCERY BONUS FORMS

Thanks to the families that have already turned in their yellow grocery bonus forms or submitted information online. All families should have received these forms through the mail. If you did not, you can sign up online at www.springhillpto.org or contact Susan Dooley (susan.dooley@verizon.net) or Jennifer Jackson (jejackson97@gmail.com) if you need a paper form. Remember, signing up costs you nothing and Spring Hill earns a portion of everything you spend at Giant or Harris Teeter. Last year, we earned more than $15,000!

6th Annual Fall Fundraiser

Over the last week, more than 50 families have added their support to the Spring Hill PTO Membership Drive and Fundraiser – thank you! If you haven’t yet, there is still time to join us. As you know, every dollar donated through our annual PTO Fundraiser directly benefits our Spring Hill teachers and students! Families support annual programs at Spring Hill for all grades, including field trips, teacher enrichment and classroom supplies. Over the last three years, your PTO funds have purchased technology, including student laptops, ceiling projectors, sound fields and SmartBoards, as well as refurbished the courtyard and installed whiteboards in classrooms.

This year, the suggested donation is $100 per student, which is in line with requests at other local elementary schools. We also encourage you to join the PTO. Benefits of membership include a free printed directory and the ability to register for Chess Club and After School Activities without a separate registration fee, as well as the joy of directly participating in your child’s education at school.

We’re only half way to meeting our goal of 100% participation – so let’s keep those memberships rolling in! Please join us in support of our school! To contribute to our fundraiser and join the PTO, fill out the form and return it to school in your child’s backpack. You can also contribute online at www.springhillpto.org. Either LOGIN or REGISTER (if first time user), then look for the Fundraiser/Membership button the left of the page.
**Save the Date**

**After School Activities Registration** began September 15th. Log on to [www.springhillpto.org](http://www.springhillpto.org) to sign up. NOTE: FLEX language classes will begin enrolling through FCPS in early October.

**Chess Club Registration** ends 9/25. Log on to [www.springhillpto.org](http://www.springhillpto.org) to sign up.

**Room Parent Meeting (Cafeteria):** September 26th at 9 a.m.

**Art Appreciation Orientation (Cafeteria):** September 30th at 9:15 a.m.

**No School:** Strategic Planning Day, September 29 and Columbus Day Holiday, October 13.

**Parent University (Cafeteria):** October 3 at 8:30 a.m. Lisa Bennet: “There’s No I In Team,” working together as a team to build independence, integrity and a strong work ethic.

**International Walk to School Day:** Wednesday, October 8th

**Next PTO Meeting (Large Pod):** Wednesday, October 8th at 9:15 a.m.

**Family Movie Night (Gym):** Please note this event has been postponed until the spring. More information to come as the event date gets closer.

**Mobile Labs Family Science Night (Large Pod and Cafeteria):** Tuesday, Oct. 14, 6-8 p.m.

**Technology Resources at Spring Hill (Cafeteria):** Friday, October 17th at 9:00 a.m.

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**Thank You!**

Each week there are so many volunteers that take time to make our school a little better. Many thanks to:

**Jim Isler** for trimming the low hanging tree branches and overgrown bamboo near the path to the Hamlet neighborhood.

**Alicia Bond** and **Kitty Gonzalez** for updating us about the progress of the Fall Fundraiser.

**Susan Dooley** and **Jennifer Jackson** for setting us up to earn free money from Giant and Harris Teeter through the Grocery Bonus program.

**Holly Piper** for providing coffee and snacks at the PTO meeting.

**Betsy Vrankovich** for enabling online registration for Chess Club and After School Activities.

**Michelle Garcia, Jina Kim** and **Holly Piper** for their assistance at the Spanish coffee.

**Sue Yoon, Jina Kim, Jounghyo Lee** and **Sina Lee** for their assistance at the Korean coffee, as well as **Jenny D’Alessandro** for her delicious culinary contributions.
We are thrilled to announce that Spring Hill Elementary has been selected by the Children’s Science Center to host a Mobile Family Science Night!

**What is the Children’s Science Center?**
The Children’s Science Center is an interactive hands-on museum being planned for Northern Virginia. Its mission is to install a love of learning science, technology, engineering and mathematics in all children by providing unique opportunities to explore, create, and be inspired. The Children’s Science Center is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Learn more: [www.childsci.org](http://www.childsci.org).

**What is a Mobile Labs Family Science Night?**
Mobile Labs is a two-hour evening program that combines science learning and family bonding. Hands-on activities demonstrate a variety of scientific principles and make STEM (science, technology, engineering and mathematics) learning fun and accessible. The program is designed for parents and teachers to self-guide their students through each station, thereby supporting family-learning experiences that encourage children to continue pursuing STEM subjects through higher academic levels. And best of all, the Children’s Science Center provides all of the supplies for the hands-on science activities.

**How can Spring Hill Parents/Teachers get involved?**
We need 15 volunteers to help out on October 14th from 5:00pm to 9:00pm. Volunteers will run each of the hands-on, science based activities. Training will be provided by staff from the Children's Science Center. If you are interested, please contact Ann Shankroff at the_shankroffs@verizon.net no later than September 26, 2014.

**Save the Date!**
**Tuesday, October 14**
**Mobile Labs: 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm**
**Volunteer Shifts: 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm**
**Location: In the Cafeteria/Large Pod**

Stay tuned for more information, as the Mobile Labs Family Night gets closer!
ONE AND DONE!
Fall Fundraiser and PTO Membership Drive

Please join in support of our Spring Hill community! The Spring Hill Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) is again combining our annual Fall Fundraiser with our PTO membership drive so that each family can write ONE CHECK AND BE DONE.

Your donations directly benefit our Spring Hill teachers and students. The PTO supports a variety of programs at Spring Hill each year for all grades, including technology purchases such as computers, sound fields and SMART boards, field trips, teacher development, cultural arts assemblies, art appreciation program materials, music education, classroom supplies and more.

The $100 per student suggested donation is consistent with what other schools in our area request from parents to fund annual needs, but any amount is appreciated.

Your $10 PTO membership includes a printed directory and the ability to register for After School Activities without paying a separate registration fee.

Help us meet our goal of 100% participation by our Spring Hill families. There are two ways to contribute to our Spring Hill PTO Fall Fundraiser and join the PTO:

1. Fill out the form below, place it in an envelope with a check payable to Spring Hill PTO and return it to school in your child’s backpack or to the school office. Or,

2. Contribute online by going to www.springhillpto.org. LOGIN (or REGISTER if a new family) then look for the FUNDRAISER / MEMBERSHIP button on the left.

All donations are 100% tax deductible and will be acknowledged. If you have any questions, contact Alicia Bond at aliciabond@aol.com or Kitty Gonzalez at kittygonzalez@verizon.net. Thank you for your generous support of our PTO and our school!

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ONE AND DONE! ANNUAL FALL FUNDRAISER AND PTO MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Parents’ Names______________________________________________________________

Email Address (for tax receipt and other PTO purposes)____________________________________________

Phone Number (We may need to reach you if we have a question) ________________________________

Eldest Student + Teacher’s Name__________________________________________________________

Amount Enclosed

1. Membership ($10 per family) $10_______________________

2. Fundraiser Donation ($100 per Spring Hill student suggested):

   ______ # of Spring Hill students x $100 per student = _________________________

TOTAL of Lines 1+2 (Please make check payable to Spring Hill PTO) ________________________________

Please return your completed form & payment at SHES’s Open House (8/28 from 2-3pm) in the LOBBY.
Please help us earn FREE MONEY for our school!

Every time you shop at Giant or Harris Teeter and use your grocery card, these companies will donate a portion of your grocery total to Spring Hill! It costs you nothing. Last year we earned more than $15,000!

Signing up is easy and now you can do it online at the PTO website! Simply go to www.springhillpto.org and enter your information. You must designate Spring Hill to receive the funds every year, so if you leave or graduate, Spring Hill will not continue to be your designated school year after year.

Or fill out the form below and return it to the Spring Hill office or your child’s teacher.

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Giant Bonus Cards (need all info - please print)

Cardholder Last Name: ____________________________

Card #: 4 4 0 ______ ______ ______ ______ ______ ______ ______
(MUST be 12 digits total)

Not sure of your card number since you use your phone number at checkout?
You can call the following phone number and they will tell you your card number.
Giant- 1-877-366-2668 option 2 (Mon. - Fri. 9 am - 5 pm).

Harris Teeter VIC Cards (need Last Name plus phone number OR card number – please print)

Cardholder Last Name: _________________________

Phone Number: (______) _________________________

VIC Card #: _________________________
(FIRST 11 digits only) ______ ______ ______ ______ ______ ______

Do you wish to include other family, friends or neighbors? GREAT! Just provide additional information on the back of this sheet for each store. This form is also available on the Spring Hill PTO website (springhillpto.org).

Questions? Please contact Susan Dooley at susan.dooley@verizon.net or Jennifer Jackson at jejackson97@gmail.com. Thank you for your support!

More Free Money News!
TARGET has a REDcard program called Take Charge of Education. Please link your Target REDcard to Spring Hill Elementary for us to receive this free education money!
1-800-316-6142 https://www-secure.target.com/redcard/tcoe/home
To: Spring Hill Parents and Students
From: After-School Activities (ASA) Committee, PTO

ASA registration, September 15th – October 3rd
Foreign Language Experience (FLEX) registration, Early October

The PTO is proud to offer a variety of after-school activities taught by our talented Spring Hill teachers.

We are also pleased to provide information on the Foreign Language Experience (FLEX), a language enrichment program offered by FCPS for grades K-6 with an emphasis on listening and speaking skills of the target language. Basic vocabulary of the language is taught through games, songs, and activities that provide children with opportunities to learn about the associated culture.

Please carefully review the following class policies and procedures:

Class Times, Dates, and Locations
1. ASA classes will meet for 9 weeks between October 6, 2014 and December 12, 2014, unless otherwise indicated. FLEX classes will meet for 20 weeks beginning mid-October through March, unless otherwise indicated. Since class size is limited, we kindly ask you to carefully consider your child’s schedule before registering to be sure they will be able to attend the specific class dates listed below.
2. All classes will be held 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. after school Tuesdays - Fridays, unless otherwise noted.
3. There are no activities on days that school is closed or when there is early dismissal. Classes skip weeks for holidays or school events such as Book Fair.
4. All aspects of class offerings (locations, fees, dates, times, grade requirements, maximum/minimum enrollment and/or instructors) are subject to change.

Registration and Payment
1. Registration is open only to active Spring Hill PTO members. Non-PTO members of the Spring Hill community may register for an additional $8 fee per session. If you are not an active PTO member, you may join the PTO as a part of the registration process. (Families must re-join the PTO each and every school year to be active members.)
2. ASA registration is on-line only at the PTO website www.springhillpto.org. FLEX registration is also on-line only but will not begin until October at www.fcps.edu.
3. Children are not permitted to attend class without advance registration and payment. Any unregistered child who arrives for a class will be sent to the school office to wait for their parents.
4. Once a class reaches maximum capacity, students may elect to be added to a wait list. Openings, if any, will be filled from the wait list on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Withdrawals and Refunds
1. Please consider class choices carefully as refunds will NOT be given beyond the registration period.
2. To withdraw from a class during the registration period, send an email to ASASpringhill@gmail.com.
3. Requests to withdraw received prior to the close of the registration period will be refunded, less a processing fee of $10.
4. Requests to withdraw received after the close of registration will not be refunded.
Class Cancellation
1. In the event that a class is cancelled for a particular day, we will do our best to offer a make-up class, however a make-up class is not guaranteed.
2. In the event that your child misses class on a day that the class is held, no make-up class will be offered.
3. No refunds will be given for missed or cancelled classes.

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<td>Learn the fundamentals of understanding and speaking Chinese. Basic Chinese vocabulary is taught through games, songs and cultural activities. No prior experience needed. <strong>Note:</strong> Registration for FLEX classes is through FCPS. Contact Gray Mosby at <a href="mailto:mosbywine@msn.com">mosbywine@msn.com</a> for more information.</td>
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<td>Cafeteria</td>
<td>Drama</td>
<td>4th – 6th</td>
<td>Ms. James, Ms. Fowler, and Ms. Devylder</td>
<td>This class aims to instill a deeper appreciation for drama and a passion for performance. The program covers a range of skills including: voice, movement, improvisation and staging. Students' performance skills are improved through various methods including: improvisation, short skits, and a full length performance at the end of the class session. <strong>Note:</strong> this class runs for the whole school year and will NOT accept new registrations in the Spring.</td>
<td>Class: $325  $10 activity fee  26 weeks</td>
<td>October 8, 15, 22, 29 November 5, 19 December 3, 10, 17 Jan 7, 14, 21, 28 Feb 4, 11, 18, 25 Mar 4, 11, 18, 25 April 8, 15, 22, 29 May 6</td>
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<td>Rubik’s Cube - Beginners</td>
<td>3rd &amp; 4th</td>
<td>Ms. Bulford Ms. Iesue</td>
<td>Holding the Rubik’s Cube, twisting and turning the parts, can help children of all ages grasp important math concepts including area, perimeter, volume, angles, algorithms and enumeration, among many other geometry and algebraic topics. The Rubik’s Cube also teaches life lessons and 21st century skills such as focus, following directions, memorization, sequencing, problem solving, critical thinking, and perseverance. Doesn’t matter if you are a beginner new to solving or an expert wanting to increase your speed and join our competitive team, we have the group that is right for you.</td>
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<td>Large Pod</td>
<td>Movin’ and Groovin’ Dance</td>
<td>4th – 6th</td>
<td>Ms. Greene</td>
<td>Students will learn dance basics including stretching and basic vocabulary. By the end of class, they will completely learn a choreographed dance.</td>
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#### Pick Up/Late Pick Up/Behavior

1. **Children MUST be picked up at the class location** after each class by their parents or other designated adult. Children will not be permitted to meet parents outside school or at kiss and ride or walk home from classes.
2. Parents must park in a legal parking spot while picking up their child(ren) and may not park or stand in the bus circle.
3. Children may be removed from participating in their class(es) and future participation may be denied if they are picked up late from class two times.
4. Children may be removed from participating in their class(es) and future participation may be denied if they exhibit persistent behavior problems before, during or after their classes.

#### Questions?

- **ASA classes**: contact Roseanne Siegel at [roseanne.siegel@cox.net](mailto:roseanne.siegel@cox.net)
- **FLEX classes**: contact Gray Mosby at [mosbywine@msn.com](mailto:mosbywine@msn.com)

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<td>3:30-4:30</td>
<td>Gym</td>
<td>Indoor Games</td>
<td>3rd – 6th</td>
<td>Come and have fun playing activities such as gaga-ball, wiffle ball, kickball, cricket, Frisbee and steal the bacon, speed ball, handball, and other exciting indoor games. Please have PE attire/sneakers to participate.</td>
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