

10/20/26 Morning Announcements

GOOD MORNING, HILLSIDE! TODAY IS TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2026.

Please stand for the Pledge:

I pledge allegiance, to the flag, of the United States of America. And to the republic, for which it stands, one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

You may be seated

- **Teachers please submit your attendance at this time**
- **Today's lunch menu:** Homemade Buffalo Chicken Dip with Local Shagbark Tortilla Chips and Fiesta Black Beans
- Unity Day is this Wednesday, October 21st. This is a day where we stand together against bullying while also promoting kindness, acceptance, and inclusion. Everyone should wear orange on Wednesday to show our unity in the prevention of bullying.
- Attention all newspaper staff: Does Mrs. Wiles have your field trip form? If not, get it into her ASAP. Group pictures will be taken tomorrow. Even though it's Unity Day, you may bring any newspaper spirit wear and change into it for the picture. It is completely fine to wear your orange, too -- but many have asked to wear their shirts/hoodies. All members should be picked up at Hillside at regular times. See Mrs. Wiles if you have any questions.
- Do you have a family member who has served or is currently serving in our nation's Armed Forces? If so, we invite you to bring them to Hillside Middle School's 2026 Veterans Day Celebration on Wednesday, November 11th, from 8:30 to 10:00 a.m. Please remind your parents to check their email for the message Mr. Bickley sent last night. It includes our Veterans Day invitation form and information about our essay writing contest. The deadline to enter the writing contest is this Friday, October 23rd! We encourage everyone to consider participating as we come together to honor and thank the brave men and women who have served or are currently serving our country.
- Attention All 5th and sixth grade Ghosts and Goblins. Tickets for the 5th & 6th grade Halloween Bingo will go on sale this Friday Oct 23rd. and will be sold till next Thursday morning October 23rd. Tickets are 6 dollars and include Bingo tickets, pizza and a drink! There will be a chance to win fun prizes and a best costume contest. Concessions will be open to buy extra candy, drinks and chips! Buy your ticket in the morning before school across from the office. Get your ticket soon little ghouls, because there will be no tickets sold the day of Halloween Bingo.

- Attention all Hillside Tigers, the Fall food drive is here! Do what your Mummy says ,and bring in a nonperishable food item to your homeroom teacher so you can dress up for the Halloween Pep Rally! That's what all the cool cats kids do! We are beginning the collection now. The class with the most items gets a donut party from Student Council!
- Shout out to our top bowlers yesterday: Kinsley - 102, Rylee- 102, Audrey- 126, Paiton- 123, Katie- 109, Parker- 100, Julian- 101. Also, congratulations to Max B. for having our first turkey of the season!
- Now for today's joke.
 - Why did the vampire get kicked out of class?
 - He kept sucking the life out of the class!
- That concludes our morning announcements. Hope you all have a great day!