

## THE BEGINNING OF THE BURROWS HILL SCHOOL

The Burrows Hill School was located on the corner of Burrows Hill and School Road on property donated by John Porter, Jr. who lived across the road on the West side of Burrows Hill.

Among the earliest families in the area were Porters, Macks, Skinners and Tillotsons. These families realized that a school was necessary for their children, and it was built by 1730.

The following were the early pupils in 1730:

Mack:            Sues, age 10 - Josiah, age 9 - Catherine, age 8 -  
                      Easter, age 7

Porter:           Daniel, age 5 - Increase, age 8 - Lydia, age 6 - Mary,  
                      age 9 - Peletiah, age 11

Skinner:          Benjamin Jr., age 12 - Hannah, age 10 - Joseph, age  
                      7 - Jemimah, age 5

Tillotson:       Daniel, age 9 - Deborah, age 11

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