



# Potomac Elementary School

Thursday, February 26, 2015

*"Potomac School equips each student for his/her future within a culture of excellence that values the small community experience."*

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## See monthly menu on our website

### Events Calendar

- 3-2 Dr. Seuss Day
  - 3-5 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Bake sale
  - 3-16 K-2<sup>nd</sup> gr. Animal Wonders 2:45-3:45
  - 3-18 Spectrum Science Experience
  - 3-25 Potomac U Night (Math) 6:30-7:30
  - 3-30~4-2 Spring Break
  - 4-14 Body Awareness Nurse Talks 4<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> Grades
  - 4-22 Wild Life Film Festival 5<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> Grades
  - 4-23 Wild Life Film Festival K-4<sup>th</sup> Grades
  - 4-29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> Native American Studies w/ Donna Love
  - 4-29 Potomac U Night (Reading) 6:30-7:30
  - 5-11 Shakespeare in the Schools
  - 5-13 Potomac U Night 6:30-7:30
  - 5-25 No School
  - 5-28 Last Day of School
- School Board Meetings-** 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday each month- 7pm  
Agendas and minutes are on the website.

### Media Center/ Library Schedule

Tuesday's 3:00 - 6:30pm

### Wow Bus Schedule

Tuesdays 1-4pm / parked at Community Center

### PTC Potomac Valley Calendars

2015 Calendars for sale \$10 at the school office.

### Student Tardy Policy

Please remember that students need to be at school by 7:50am. More than 5 times tardy in a quarter will result in a student sitting in an alternative classroom.

### K-3<sup>rd</sup> Robotics

Beginning March 2<sup>nd</sup> and running through April on Mondays, until 6pm. Bring a snack.



### Administrative Update

Potomac Principal Mr. Allen has been placed on administrative leave pending an investigation.



### Girls Basketball Schedule

- 3-2 @ Target Range 4pm
- 3-3 @ Bonner 4pm
- 3-9 @ Frenchtown 4pm
- 3-10 Home vs Lolo 4:30pm
- 3-12 @ Clinton 4pm
- 3-17 @ Hellgate 4pm
- March 18, 19 & 23 Tournaments

### Dr. Seuss' Birthday!!

Monday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> we will be celebrating **Dr. Seuss Day**.

Locate those **Cat in the Hat** hats.

Remember to bring them on Monday. All kindergarteners and new students will be given a new hat. If you can't find yours you can buy a new one from the office for \$5. Thank you Jenn Nordberg, Diane James, Maureen Talbert and Ruth Weis for helping to sew hats this year.



### Explorers

- Feb. 27<sup>th</sup> Snowshoe Field Trip
- Mar 6<sup>th</sup> Pending
- Mar 13<sup>th</sup> Crime Scene Investigations
- Mar 20<sup>th</sup> Pending
- Mar 27<sup>th</sup> & Apr 3<sup>rd</sup> Spring Break
- Apr 10<sup>th</sup> Field Trip
- Apr 17<sup>th</sup> Go-karts & pinewood derby cars
- Apr 24<sup>th</sup> Go-karts & pinewood derby cars
- May 1<sup>st</sup> Go-karts & pinewood derby cars
- May 8<sup>th</sup> Go-karts & pinewood derby cars
- May 15<sup>th</sup> Field Trip – Geocaching & Ropes course
- May 22<sup>nd</sup> Outdoor Survival & Overnight
- May 29<sup>th</sup> NO EXPLORERS

**Coming Soon - Summer Camps Schedule!**

### Substitute Needed

We are currently in need of substitutes for our janitor/maintenance position. Applications may be picked up at the school office.

### High school students in classrooms

Just to remind parents that the older siblings are welcome to pick up their brothers/sisters when school gets out, but that they shouldn't be in the classrooms or wandering around school before 4:30. Thank You

### Spectrum Family Science Night

Spectrum Discovery Science Center is coming to Potomac School on Wednesday, March 18th with their BRAIN EXHIBIT. Each classroom will attend a one-hour class during the school day. Then it will be open for family visits from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. Please come and check it out!

You never know what you might learn about your brain!



### Bingo News

#### ***Bingo Night is March 14<sup>th</sup>***

*Student council will be selling subway sandwiches and taco's in a bag, more details will be in next weeks newsletter.*



## Community News

### PGCC (Community Center) Board Meetings

1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month @7:30pm

### Potomac Food Bank- 5-7pm

The last 2 Sundays of each month, Community Center

### Blackfoot Peacemakers Quilt Guild

Quilt Guild meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month in the school library at 7pm. New members are welcome at anytime during the year.

### Blackfoot Home and Community Club (BHCC)

BHCC meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month at 7:30pm at various locations. New members welcome. Contact Janelle Schiller 244-6156.

### Potomac Valley 4-H News

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month @4:00pm /Community Center

### Bible Club



Thursdays, 4:30-5:30pm, Blackfoot Church Basement

On March 12<sup>th</sup>, we will have youth group for all ages from 4:30-6:30pm, in the community center. Dinner will be provided and we will have a guest speaker. Call Denise at 244-1127 if you have any questions.

### Looking for Work??

We are currently in need of substitutes for our janitor/maintenance position. Applications may be picked up at the school office.

### GPVFD

#### Annual Pancake Breakfast

The Volunteer Fire Department would like to invite everyone to their annual pancake breakfast on Saturday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, from 9-11:30am at the Community Center. Burn permits will be issued and fire extinguishers refilled.

