



# Potomac Elementary School

Thursday, January 30, 2013

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

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## Menu 2-3<sup>rd</sup> & 2-6<sup>th</sup>

### Breakfast

**Mon-** Breakfast Bar, Fruit, Milk

**Tue-** Cheese & Crackers, Fruit, Milk

**Wed-** Granola Bar, Fruit, Milk

**Thurs-** Rice Krispy Bar, Fruit, Milk

### Lunch

**Mon-** Fish Nuggets, Sweet Potato Fries, Peas, Sliced Oranges, Pears, Milk

**Tues-** Slice Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, Green Beans, Mixed Fruit Salad, Roll, Milk

**Wed-** Tomato Soup, Corn, Cheesy Bread Stick, Preaches, Apple Slice, Milk, Crackers

**Thurs-** Goulash, Cooked Broccoli, Strawberry Cups, Pineapple, Goldfish Crackers, Milk

## Events Calendar

2-1 *Robotics Tournament Bozeman*

2-3 *5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Spelling Bee 1:00pm*

2-4 *K-4<sup>th</sup> Spelling Bee 1:00pm*

2-6 *8<sup>th</sup> Grade Bake Sale*

2-5&6 – *Parent Teacher Conferences*

2-10 *Girls' Volleyball Season Begins*

2-11 *8<sup>th</sup> Grade to Hellgate*

2-12 *Poetry Out Loud Regionals - Sentinel*

2-13 *Volleyball Pictures 8:30 am*

2-13 *State of Potomac Address 6:30*

2-13 *8<sup>th</sup> Grade Poetry & Pie Fundraiser*

2-17 *No School*

2-27 *Tentative date for Spring Dance*

3-1 *Poetry Out Loud State -Helena*

3-8 *BINGO*

3-26 *Science Fair*

3-31~4-4 *Spring Break*

4-7 *Track Season Begins*

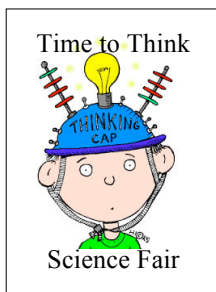
4-8 *Body Awareness Nurses Here*

4-10 *Tentative Talent Show Date*

5-15 *Shakespeare in the Schools*

5-19-22<sup>nd</sup> *7<sup>th</sup> Grade Outdoor School*

5-26 *No School*



## Trustee Positions

This spring there will be three school board trustee positions open. Please pick up an application at the office if you are interested in being on the ballot.

*Save the Date:*

# *BINGO March 8<sup>th</sup>*



## School Board Meetings

*Tue, Feb 11<sup>th</sup> @ 5:30pm*

*Tue, March 11<sup>th</sup> @ 5:30pm*

*Fri., April 11<sup>th</sup> @ 5:30pm*

*Fri., May 9<sup>th</sup> @ 5:30pm*

## Media / Center Library Schedule

Tuesdays from 4:00pm-6:30 pm,

Wednesdays & Thursdays from 4:30pm-6:30 pm

Just bring your Missoula Public Library card!

## 4 Day School Week Survey

During Parent Teacher Conferences next week, parents will be asked to fill out a survey on the 4 day school week. We would like to hear from each household.

## Explorers

- January 31<sup>st</sup> Make up Cross Country Ski Day  
Depart 10:15am
- February 7<sup>th</sup> Cross Country Skiing (Seeley)  
Depart 10:15am
- February 14<sup>th</sup> TBD
- February 21<sup>st</sup> – Discovery Ski
- February 28<sup>th</sup> Telescope Science
- March 7<sup>th</sup> Telescopes and Hand Lenses
- March 14<sup>th</sup> Guest Speaker
- March 21<sup>st</sup> Clay Sculptures
- March 28<sup>th</sup>
- **APRIL 4<sup>TH</sup> NO EXPLORERS**
- If your child misses the bus to the planned activity, DO Not Leave them at the school or Community Center.

## February 13<sup>th</sup>

- State of Potomac Address
- Creative Studies Presentation
- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Trip Poetry & Pie Fundraiser
- Band Performance
- Title 1 Night



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

The K-3 robotics will be every Monday in March and April (except Spring Break week). We will be starting Monday, March 3 and it will run from 4:30-6pm. Please be sure to write a note for your child's teacher so they will know to send them to robotics. Also, pack an extra snack for your child or bring snacks that we can hand out to all the kids.

## Adult Education Classes

### **Limited space, call the office to sign up.**

**Email Basics - February 18 @ 1:00pm-** Learn how to setup a free Google email account, attach and open files, how to send to groups, and more. With a Google email account, you can also create your own website (Potomac School's Website is a free Google website!), and create documents that can be shared with others AND edited at the same time online!

Limited to 8 participants

Location: WOW bus

**Facebook Basics - February 25 @ 1:00pm -** Want to connect with friends and relatives out of town or state? Learn how to create a Facebook account, share photos, post messages, instant message, tag friends, learn account security/privacy settings, setup an event to invite friends and more!

Limited to 8 participants

Location: WOW bus

**Quicken Basics - March 25 @ 1:00pm -** Learn the basics of personal finance using Quicken. This software package can help manage finances, prepare information for tax returns, and create budgets.

Limited to 8 participants

Location: WOW bus

## Community News

### PGCC (Community Center) Board Meetings

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

### Blackfoot Home and Community Club

BHCC meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed. at 7:30pm at varying locations. All are welcome. Call Janelle 244-6156.

## Potomac Food Bank

The Food Bank is open at the Community Center on the last 2 Sundays of each month from 5pm-7pm. The Food Bank will not be open Easter Sunday, 4-20<sup>th</sup>, but will instead be open on Sat., 4-19<sup>th</sup> from 4:30pm-6:00pm.

We will be open on Sunday April 27<sup>th</sup> as usual.

Awana Wednesday's 6:30pm-8:00pm

@ The Community Center / Taco Dinner provided.

## Blackfoot Peacemakers Quilt Guild

3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays, 7:00pm, Library Media Center

## Donations for Orphans

After going on a mission trip to Guatemala, to visit schools and orphanages I have decided to help collect items for a foundation called (un)adopted. I am currently collecting items for (Uganda and China. In Uganda for a deaf school they have needs for school supplies (spiral notebooks, pencils, pens, crayons markers etc) as well as Picture books (with no words) small puzzles with big pieces. In China for their boys and girls homes/orphanages they have needs for *Deodorant, Travel toothbrushes, Formula: Similac Soy Powder Formula, NESTLÉ® NAN® Pro 2 Powder Formula. Vitamins: Gummy Vitamins: Lil Critter Gummy Vites Multi-Vitamin, Poly-Vi-Sol Multivitamin Supplement Drops w/Iron*

Please drop any donations off at the school office with Janette. Call me with any questions 544-1322

Thank you! Amber Ployhar

*The Missoula Public Library Potomac Branch partners with The Greenough Potomac Food Bank to bring you*

### **Food for Fines! Jan. 26<sup>th</sup>, Feb. 1st, 2014**

Bring **food donations** for the Greenough Potomac Food Bank and have your **overdue fines forgiven!**

## 4-H News

Congratulations to all 4H members who competed in the Flathead Archery Shoot!

The following members received awards:

### 9-10 age group

William Philliber - 2nd in Unlimited, 6th in Barebow

Maggie Vann - 3rd in Primitive

### 14 Years and Younger Olympic Recurve

Maggie Vann 4th Place

### 11-12 years old

Wyatt Hudson - 3rd in Barebow, 5th in Limited

### 13-14 years old

Mallory Philliber - 6th in Unlimited,

5th in Barebow

Julia Hudson - 3rd in Limited

Mariah O'Boyle - 4th in Barebow

Rebecca Vann - 1st in Limited,

4th in Unlimited

