



Potomac Elementary School

Thursday, January 11, 2017

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

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Events Calendar

1-8~1-13 MCT - Snow Queen
1-29~3-16 Girls Basketball Season
2-2 Discovery Ski Day
4-13 BINGO
4-17 Nurses here for Body Awareness Talks

MCT

There will be 2 performances of Snow Queen on Saturday January 13th, at 3:00pm and 5:30pm.
❖ Thank you Denise Clark for hosting our actor and actress.

Parents of 8th Graders HS Registrations Are Due

If your 8th grader is planning to attend one of the Missoula County Public School District's high schools next year, you need to submit the enrollment papers to that school by next week. Students planning to attend any of the Missoula County High Schools other than Hellgate High School will need to complete the registration forms and the "Out of Area" form and deliver those to the high school of choice as soon as possible. "Out of Area" students are considered for enrollment on a first-come first-served basis, so get your paperwork in as early next week as possible.

Hellgate Highschool Showcase

Information for incoming freshman, January 17th 2018
6pm-7:30pm in the Hellgate auditorium.

After School Activities

Parents, Please pick your children up **on time** when they stay for sports or any after school activities. Our teachers and volunteers have schedules to keep as well.
Thank you, John

School Board Meetings- 2nd Mon. each month- 7pm
Agendas and minutes are on the website.

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Board Agendas/Minutes can be found on the school website www.potomacschoolmontana.us

Explorer Program's Future

A parent/concerned individuals group is being formed to brainstorm and hopefully come up with a plan for the Explorers program for next year and beyond. There is an open Facebook group (Potomac Explorers Planning Group) that will include updates on any progress we have. If you have questions, comments or ideas please contact Lacey Van Grinsven Goofylutzy@yahoo.com or (307)689-3618. We are also tentatively planning a meeting January 23rd (this date may be subject to change).

Potomac Library Media Center/ Library Schedule

Hours: Wednesdays 10:00am - 4:00pm

4th -8th grade Robotics

Tuesdays through January 30th 4 – 5:30 pm.

Winter Clothing

ALL students, K-8th grade, need proper clothing for their recess time, especially BOOTS and COATS. Students' feet are getting cold/wet with only wearing tennis shoes for recess. If your child does not own boots or a coat, please let us know, and we can help.



Explorers

Fridays for all students, 8am - 4pm Community Center. Students must be signed in and out by a parent each time, bring a sack lunch and water bottle, and dress for physical activity and outside play.

Jan. 12 **NO EXPLORERS** – due to MCT
Jan. 19 **Field Trip** – Insectarium and planetarium
Jan. 26 **TBD**
Feb. 2 **Field Trip 'Discovery Ski'**
(must be pre-registered to attend)
Feb. 9 **TBD**
Feb. 16 **President's Day NO EXPLORERS**

