



Potomac Elementary School

Thursday, May 15, 2014

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

www.potomacschoolmontana.us 244-5581

Menu: May 19th-22th

Breakfast

Mon- Breakfast Bar, Fruit, Milk

Tues- String Cheese, Crackers, Fruit, Milk

Wed- Muffin, Fruit, Milk

Thurs- Breakfast Bar, Fruit, Milk

Lunch

Mon- Chicken Mexican Casserole, Nacho Cheese Sauce, Pretzels, Peas, Pineapple, Sliced Apples, Milk

Tues- Scrambled Eggs w/ Diced Ham, Veggies

Normandy, Pears, Apricots, French Toast Stick, Milk

Wed- Italian Dunkers, Carrot Sticks, Mandarin Oranges, Mixed Fruit, Breadsticks, Milk

Thurs- Fish Nuggets, Green Beans, Sweet Potato Fries, Peaches, Orange Slice, Milk

Events Calendar

5-19 K-4th Trip to Deer Lodge 'Grant Kohrs Ranch'

5-20-22 7th Grade Outdoor School

5-22 4th Grade to McClay Flats w/ Naturalist

5-22 Track (Meet of Champions)

5-23 Lewis and Clark Caverns 5th & 6th Field Trip

5-26 No School

5-29 Last Day of School / Graduation 6:30 pm

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

Yearbooks

Yearbooks can be purchased at the office for \$8
They will be delivered in mid-May.

Media – Center Library Schedule

Tues. ~ 4:00pm – 6:30pm, Wed. ~ 4:30pm-6:30p

Job Openings

Explorers Mentor (Friday program and summer time activities i.e. sports, reading, etc.)

Bike-a-Thon May 8th

Students will have until Monday, May 19th to collect sponsor money for Bike-a-Thon.

Phone If you are missing an LG phone, please contact the school office at 244-5581.

Potomac U Night Books vs Movies

*Read a popular book

*Watch a movie based on the book

*Enjoy Popcorn

*Discuss w/Friends

Thursday, May 15th @ 6:30 pm
Community Center

Summer Camp Info – See Office

- School's Out Blowout June 2nd – 6th (Deadline 5-19th)
- Alpine Artisans Arts Grant (Deadline 5-12)
- Several options from ZooTown Arts

PTC Thanks You

To everyone who contributed to Teacher Appreciation week and the many other events throughout the year, your help and commitment to maintaining a positive school atmosphere is greatly appreciated. From PTC

POTOMAC PIONEER ADDITION

Your child received a permission slip/registration form from his/her PE teacher last month. **Please return it to school with the \$10.00 registration fee and t-shirt information BEFORE June 7th if your child is planning on participating.** They will not get a t-shirt if they register the day of the race. The race begins at 9 a.m. on June 21st.

Explorers

May 16th Take Flight (rockets, kites, etc.)

May 23rd Outdoor Learning Adventure

*May 30th Geocaching & Ropes Course

*Waver must be signed.

June 2 ~6 School's Out Blowout
(Sign up by May 19th)



Student Council News

5th – 8th Grade AR Celebration

Students who met their AR goal in each of the four quarters will be celebrating on Tuesday, May 27th. In the afternoon, they will go to Missoula for swimming at Splash Montana or bowling. (All AR points are due next Thursday, May 22.)

Student Council made some changes with AR celebrations this year. Some of the changes were good; other changes were not successful. Student Council will revisit this in the fall in hopes of improving the AR celebrations.

Student Council will donate \$75.00 to the 8th grade class for their graduation ceremony.



Fall Sports help needed

We will need an assistant coach for flag football. Also, we need volunteers for Booster Club. We will have some home football games with concessions etc. If you can help please call the office at 244-5581.

Track News

Congratulations to the following athletes who will advance to the Meet of Champions based on their finishes at the May 9 qualifier:

Marie S. 5th in 1600 meter run.

Jerek T. 1st in high jump and javelin, 2nd long jump, discus, and high jump,

Bridger H. 6th in discus

Keegan F. 7th in discus

Also, congratulations to the following athletes who finished in the top three for their events at the April 30 track meet:

Jerek T. for 1st in the high jump, javelin, and long jump and 2nd in the shot put

Matthew C. for 3rd in the triple jump

Mallory P. for 1st in the 1600m

Jada M. for 3rd in the discus and 2nd in the shot put

BRINGING HISTORY TO LIFE!

Wednesday, May 28th at the Potomac Library / Learning Center 6:30-8pm

An evening community program with refreshments. Join Clay Scott, creator and producer of *Mountain West Voices* radio program, to learn tips and tools on how to preserve compelling stories in our local history - see equipment available to you at the Learning Center - and hear the result of student interviews conducted through the Explorers program.

Pioneer Festival

Trail runs are scheduled for the morning of June 21st. Please call the school office at 244-5581 if you have ideas for later that day.

Community News

PGCC (Community Center) Board Meetings

1st Monday of each month @7:30pm

Potomac Food Bank

Last 2 Sundays of each month from 5:00pm – 7:00pm.
Potomac-Greenough Community Center.

Blackfoot Peacemakers Quilt Guild

3rd Wednesday, 7:00pm, Media-Center-Library
September – May New members welcome.

Blackfoot Home and Community Club

2nd Wed. at 7:30pm at varying locations.
All are welcome. Call Janelle 244-6156
September - May

Job Available

Kennecott Exploration is seeking up to 4 local hires to perform geology core cutting duties. May – December, weather permitting. 40hrs/week. Previous experience not required. If interested contact: Clinton Roberts at Clinton.Roberts@riotinto.com or (385)-218-1390.

Potomac Community Blood Drive

Monday June 16th 3:00pm – 7:00pm
Call Janelle at 244-6156

Community Yard Sale

Ovando is holding a garage sale event on August 9th. They are wondering if Potomac would like to join in and make it a Blackfoot River Valley Event. If anyone is interested, please contact Ruth at rkweis@gmail.com.



Missoula County Agriculture Open Houses

Missoula County Community and Planning Services along with Collins Planning Associates are hosting a series of Open Houses on development standards for agricultural lands in Missoula County.

Tue, May 27th 6-8pm Orchard Homes

Wed, May 28th 6-8pm Frenchtown High School

Thurs, May 29th 10am – 2pm County Ag Building

Thurs, May 29th 6-8pm Lubrecht Forest

Contact Tim Worley 406-258-4794