

# Potomac Elementary School

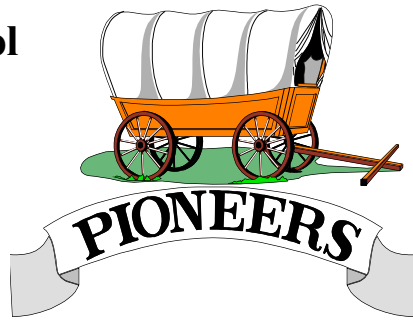
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**January 10, 2019**

## **Vision Statement**

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

## **Events Calendar**

1-14~17. MAP Testing

1-17. End of second quarter

1-14-19 MCT Alice in Wonderland

1-24. Report cards sent home

1- 28<sup>th</sup> ~ 3-15 Girls Basketball Season

2-9 BINGO Hilton Garden Inn

2-18. NO SCHOOL

4-1<sup>st</sup> ~ 5- 17 Track Season

***School Board Meetings- 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon. each month- 7pm***

*Board Agendas/Minutes can be found on our website [www.potomacschoolmontana.us](http://www.potomacschoolmontana.us)*

***Board Trustee contact information:***

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***Potomac branch of the Missoula County Public***

***Library Hours – Wednesdays 10am – 4pm***

## **Preschool – Potomac Early Learning Program**

Mon. and Wed. 10-12 in the library, this is a parent and child program for any children under school age.

## **BINGO News**

February 9<sup>th</sup> is the big day!

- Baskets will be left in the classrooms 1 more week. Until January 16<sup>th</sup>. Please help us fill them with new items.
- Do you have any unwanted baskets? We could use them in all sizes.
- Do you have a business that would like to donate items or sponsor a raffle item at BINGO? Or do you have any contacts with area businesses? We would appreciate your help.

Call Amy at 203-2318.

## **MCT Presents**

### **“Alice in Wonderland”**

- **Try outs- Monday January 14<sup>th</sup> (everyone gets a part)**
- **Practice - January 14<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> (schedules available after tryouts)**
- **Performances - January 19<sup>th</sup> (3:00pm and 5:30pm)**

**All students in grades K-8 are welcome to participate. Students in Grades 5<sup>th</sup> and under need to bring a note to stay after school on Monday.**

## **Thank you**

William and Cynthia McAuley donated \$200.00 towards our Art program. We appreciated their support.

## **Boxtops**

We collect Boxtops coupons year-round. Please help us earn extra money for supplies.

## **Winter Clothing**

If your child needs winter gear, please let us know, we have lots of donated items to give away.

## **EXPLORERS**

*Free Friday Fun for all Potomac students.*

*Greenough/Potomac Community Center 8am-4pm*

*Bring: sack lunch, water bottle, clothing for all weather.*

*Jan. 11 - Ice fishing field trip: Frenchtown Pond*

*Students much come with snow pants, boots, coats, hats and gloves or they will be sent home with parents. They will also need to bring drinks and snacks. **Lunch will be provided.***

*Jan. 18 – MCT **NO EXPLORERS***

## Girls Basketball Schedule

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Coaches: Mrs. Olsen, Mrs. Taillefer and Mrs. Salter

Tuesday	February 5th	St Joe @ Home
Monday	February 11th	Clinton @ Home
Wednesday	February 13th	Potomac @ Seeley
Thursday	February 14th	Desmet @ Home
Wednesday	February 20th	Seeley @ Home
Thursday	February 21st	Hellgate @ Home
Tuesday	February 26th	Potomac @ St. Joe
Wednesday	February 27th	Desmet @ Home
Thursday	February 28th	Potomac @ MIS
Monday	March 4th	MIS @ Home
Wednesday	March 6th	Potomac @ Clinton

Tournament (details to be announced)

### Basketball Volunteers Needed

We are looking for someone who knows how or would be willing to learn how to run the score board and keep score for the girls basketball games. Please call the office if you can help.

### Bonner and Potomac Early Childhood Screening

Where: Bonner School

When: Friday, January 11<sup>th</sup>, 9:00am - 11:30am

Screening for children 0-5 years for developmental concerns in speech and language, vision, hearing, motor skills, social and intellectual development.

Call Hallie at 258-6151 at Bonner School to schedule a screening time for your child.

# 2019

## Community News

*Community Center Board  
is looking to fill a board position.*

### Potomac Greenough Community Center

#### Board Meetings

1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month - 7:00pm

*(seeking people to fill positions on our board)*

**Use of Center/ Scheduling:** Denise 207-4560

**Coded Key Box:** Call Denise for entry

#### Potomac/Greenough Food Bank dates:

Call 244-3621 for questions or donation information.

Food Bank dates: Jan 20, 3-5pm

Feb 24, 3-5pm, Mar 24, 3-5pm

#### Clubs and Organizations

##### Potomac Greenough Volunteer Fire (PDVF)

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

##### Blackfoot Home and Community Club

2<sup>nd</sup> Wed. of ea. month, (Sept.- May) Janelle 244-6156

##### Blackfoot Peacemakers Quilt Guild

Next meeting and sew day: January 26<sup>th</sup>

at the Community Center all are welcome

##### Potomac Valley 4-H

Next meeting: 2-10-19 at 4pm at the Community Center.

*Happy New Year!*

*“Learn from yesterday  
Live for today  
Hope for tomorrow.”  
-Albert Einstein*