

# Potomac Elementary School

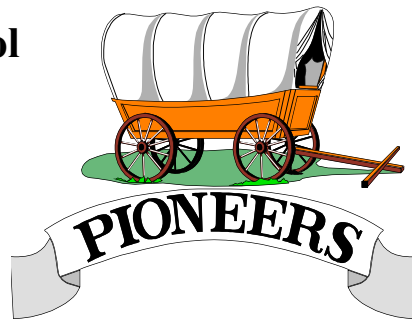
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## Vision Statement

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

## Events Calendar

### **Oct. 22 ~ Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> Boy's Basketball Season**

10-26 Explorers Carnival and Trunk or Treat

11-1 End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter

11-2 Staff Armed Intruder Training

11-5 OMSI

11-7,8 Parent/Teacher Conferences

1-14-19 MCT Alice in Wonderland

Jan. 28<sup>th</sup> ~ Mar. 15<sup>th</sup> Girls Basketball Season

2-9 BINGO Hilton Garden Inn

April 1<sup>st</sup> ~ May 17<sup>th</sup> Track Season

## Boys Basketball Schedule

October 29<sup>th</sup> MIS, (Home)

October 30<sup>th</sup> DeSmet (Home)

November 5<sup>th</sup> at Clinton (Away)

November 15<sup>th</sup> Clinton (Home)

November 19<sup>th</sup> DeSmet (Home)

November 27<sup>th</sup> Seeley (Home)

December 3<sup>rd</sup> Seeley (Away)

December 5<sup>th</sup> MIS (Away)



**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:**

**Chair** – Cliff Vann [cliffvann@outlook.com](mailto:cliffvann@outlook.com)

**Trustee-** Kelsy Ployhar [kelsy.ployhar@gmail.com](mailto:kelsy.ployhar@gmail.com)

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**Trustee-** Steven VanGrinsven [law3006@yahoo.com](mailto:law3006@yahoo.com)

## PTC News

Next meeting 6pm Thurs., Nov. 15 in the library.

## Boxtops

We collect Boxtops coupons year-round.

Please help us earn extra money for supplies.

## Preschool – Potomac Early Learning Program

Mondays and Wednesdays 10:00-12:00 in the library, this is a parent and child program for any children under school age. Come when you can and join the fun.

## Sports coaches/ assistants

If you are interested in coaching or assisting with any of our spring sports (track or girls' basketball), please contact John Rouse at 244-5581 extension 201 or [jrouse@potomacschoolmontana.us](mailto:jrouse@potomacschoolmontana.us) by November 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Explorers Present: POTOMAC Fall Carnival

**When:** Fri. Oct. 26 12:30-4:30pm

**Where:** Community Center

**What:** Carnival booths all Ages

\*2 Tickets for \$0.25

\*Concession available

\*Costumes Contest

### "Trunk or Treat"

**When:** 4:30 – 7:00pm

**Where:** Community Center Parking Lot

**What:** Children will Trick or Treat

at your vehicle or Trunk.

Decorations are optional.

**\$25 gift card to Cully's**

**for the best decorated trunk!**

**(Sponsored by: PTC)**

## EXPLORERS

*Free Friday Fun for all Potomac students.*

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

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

**Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> - Fall Carnival**

**(dress up and bring Trick or Treat buckets)**

*Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> - TBA*

*Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> - Veterans Day Activities*

*Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> - Public Services Field Trip*

## **Bike-a-Thon Success!**

October 17<sup>th</sup> was a wonderful

Day for our bike riders. **76**

**students** rode bikes and scooters and walked laps. With help of sponsors, they were raising money for extra learning experiences such as; poetry, MCT, speakers etc. A total of **1361 miles** were ridden, which is **4083 laps** around the block. Thank you to all who helped out and joined in the fun.

**Please remember to turn in all money by next Tuesday October 30<sup>th</sup>, in order to qualify for prizes.**

**FUN DAY – SEW DAY**

**SATURDAY, 11/10/18**

**8:30AM - 4:30PM**

**POTOMAC COMMUNITY CENTER**



Spend the day sewing, seeing machine demos and shopping.

What a fun way to spend the day – Sewing and sharing lunch with friends. The new Husqvarna sewing machines will be in motion throughout the day. Shop the new fabrics for your next project – holidays are coming! We will be having a potluck lunch for those who can spend the day with us. Bring your sewing supplies, current projects and your favorite dish to share!! Can't come for the whole day? Feel free to stop by and browse. Please come join us .....

Sewing Machine

Demos

New Fabrics

Project Ideas

Embroidery Designs

Door Prizes

Potluck Lunch



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Questions:

Please call:

Brenda 406-360-7965 or

Sheila 406-241-1889

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## **Community News**

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

### **Piano Lessons**

Looking for a piano teacher in the valley.

If you know of anyone,

Please call the school. 244-5581

### **Christmas Comes Home**

The Potomac Greenough Community Center's annual Christmas gathering will be on December 15<sup>th</sup> this year. Their tree will be hanging in the school again with tags for gifts to fill a need. Also, they are seeking musicians of all kinds to perform that evening. Children or adults, individual or groups, instrumental or vocal. Call Jeanne Hall at 244-5213.

### **TO GIVE AWAY:**

10 BAGS OF LEAVES FOR COMPOST OR MULCH.  
CALL OR LEAVE A MESSAGE AT 244-5235.

### **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: Sept 23, 5-7pm, Oct 21, 5-7pm

Nov 18, 5-7pm, Dec 23 3-5pm, 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**

Sew day, October 20<sup>th</sup> @ 10am at the Community Center. Bring a project and lunch. All are welcome.

##### **Potomac Valley 4-H**

Thank you everyone who visited our projects at the Western MT Fair this summer. Your support means a lot to our members.