

Potomac Elementary School

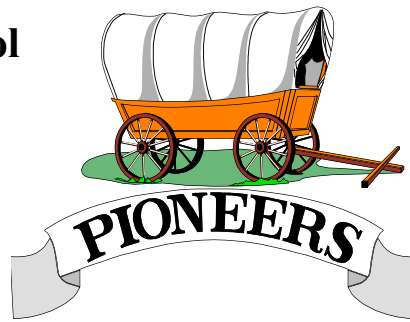
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Bonner, MT 59823

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www.potomacschoolmontana.us



October 31, 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

10-31 Halloween Parade 2:45

(followed by class parties)

11-7 Mt Rep Theater 10:11am

(Love that Dog)

11-27 & 28 Thanksgiving Holiday

(This date was incorrect on the initial school calendar)

School Board Meetings- 2nd Mon. each month- 7pm
Board Agendas/Minutes can be found on our website
www.potomacschoolmontana.us

Board Trustee contact information:

Chair – Cliff Vann cliffvann@outlook.com

Trustee- Kelsy Ployhar kelsy.ployhar@gmail.com

Trustee- Gary Long eckabod@blackfoot.net

Trustee- Steven VanGrinsven law3006@yahoo.com

Trustee- Nichole Zupan nzupan@potomacschoolmontana.us

Potomac branch of the Missoula County Public Library Hours – Wednesdays 1:30pm – 4pm

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

Surplus Items for sale

We have several surplus items at the school for sale from \$2.00 - \$20.00: Folding tables, overhead projector, student desks, plastic student chairs, teacher's desk, chain link fencing, 7' aluminum fence poles, drawer slides, 2 desktop computers, green plastic lawn chairs.

THANK YOU to the EEE (Electronic Equipment in Education) Program for awarding Potomac School with \$600 in grant funds to be used towards needed electronic equipment! With this generous award, we were able to purchase 2 laptop charging/storage stations, a Bluetooth speaker, and an Apple TV remote.

EEE is a joint educational effort with Missoula Electric Cooperative, Energy Partners, and Blackfoot. They are committed to enhancing educational environments for local students by providing funding for electronic equipment.

Potomac 19-20 Boys Basketball Schedule

Nov. 4th- **Home** -vs- Missoula International School

Nov 5th- Potomac -vs-Clinton (*Away*)

Nov. 11th- **Home** -vs- Seeley Lake

Nov. 13th- **Home** -vs- DeSmet

Nov. 19th - **Home** -vs- Clinton

Nov. 25th- Potomac -vs- Seeley Lake (*Away*)

Dec. 2nd- **Home** -vs- DeSmet

Dec. 4th- Potomac -vs- Missoula International School (*Away*)

Tournament TBA

Basketball Volunteers Needed

We need helpers to run the clock and keep the books for home basketball games. Call the office if you can help.

Thank you!!

Dee Curry and The Blackfoot Church of Potomac for the Halloween Treats for our Staff.

Bike-a-Thon money due Tue. Nov. 5th

Explorers our free Friday program, open to all Potomac students, runs from 8am - 4pm. Please sign your student in at the Community Center. Bring a sack lunch, water bottle and all-weather clothing.

Friday Explorers

11-1 Art

11-8 Robotics

8th grade fundraisers

- Join us at **Cully's** for the **Cat/Griz** game **November 23rd @ noon**. Enjoy **dinner specials** and drinks by Cully's.
Help the 8th grade class raise money for their trip.
Bid on amazing **silent auction** items. Purchase **raffle tickets** for a chance to win a Yeti cooler, a rifle with a scope and many more prizes!
- Let's get together before the Holiday rush! Please join the 8th grade class at **The Thomas Meagher Bar** (130 W. Pine St. Missoula). November 25th 6-10pm
20% of the proceeds will generously donated to the 8th grade class by The Thomas Meagher Bar.

Potomac Child Find

Free Developmental Screening for preschool age children ages birth -5years old, will be held on Friday, November 22nd from 9:00-Noon. Walk-ins welcome.

Community News

Mastiff / Rottweiler cross puppies for sale
ready to go, November 5th, call Connie Buresh 244-2248 if interested.

Christmas Comes Home Dec. 14, 2019 5-8 PM

Former Potomac Teacher, Kristy Pohlman and her husband Shawn welcomed identical triplets in September. Following is an opportunity to help with the costs associated with NICU, travel, or where ever they have a need.

Ellinghouse Triplets Challenge -a virtual Fundraiser

Register for 1, 2, or 3 challenges & complete in 30 days.

1. **Run, Walk or Jog a total of 3.2 miles.**
2. **Read at least 5 minutes a day.**
3. **Perform 3 random acts of kindness.**

Pay \$10 per challenge and keep track of your participation and earn medals.

Register at:

<http://form.jotform.com/92534762893166>

Or donate at:

www.paypal.me/ellinghousetriplets

you can also send check In Shawn or Kristy's name to J Iverson ATTN: TTC

210 Swanson Ln Potomac, MT 59823

All funds go directly to Shawn, Kristy & The Ellinghouse girls.

Flyers available at the school office.

Census Takers Needed

Apply online: 2020census.gov/jobs Great pay,
Flexible hours, Weekly pay, Paid training

Potomac Greenough Community Center

Board Meetings: 1st Monday of each month - 7:00pm

Scheduling & Keybox: Call Tom 406-202-2559

Potomac/Greenough Food Bank dates:

Call 244-3621 for questions or donation information.

Clubs and Organizations

Potomac Greenough Volunteer Fire (PDVF)

1st Tuesday of each month 7:30pm

Blackfoot Home and Community Club

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

Blackfoot Peacemakers Quilt Guild

Next sew day, November 16th at the Community Center

All are welcome, bring lunch and a project to work on.

Potomac Valley 4-H

Next meeting: Sunday, Nov. 10th @ 4pm in the C-Center

Community Exercise

Free/ Co-Ed circuit workout Tues and Thurs at 6:30 pm

@ Potomac Community Center. Call 244-6156

