Potomac Elementary School

29750 Potomac Rd Bonner, MT 59823 Principal: John Rouse 406-244-5581

www.potomacschoolmontana.us



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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

9-9~9-12 MAP testing 9-12 Open House 6:30-7:30 9-18 Vision and Hearing Screening

10-9 Parent/Family night/Dinner

10-15 Picture Day

10-16 Bike a Thon

10-17 NO SCHOOL

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 <u>cliffvann@outlook.com</u>

Trustee- Kelsy Ployhar <u>kelsy.ployhar@gmail.com</u>

Trustee- Gary Long eckabod@blackfoot.net

Trustee- Steven VanGrinsven law3006@yahoo.com

Trustee- Nichole Zupan <u>nzupan@potomacschoolmontana.us</u>

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

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

Parent & Family Engagement Night Pizza Dinner Wednesday, October 9th

Pizza will be available in the cafeteria/gym starting at 5:45pm. At 6pm we will start our program. Childcare and activities for children will be available form 6-7pm. Starting at 6, parents will rotate through four 15-minute presentations on various topics presented by our teachers.

Thank you

Thank you, Missoula Electric Coop for collecting school supplies to donate to our school. It is all very much appreciated.

Thank you

Thank you, PTC

- for paying for our Art program, \$3100.00,
- for the lettering on the fence, \$350.00, &
- for the concrete 4 square pad, \$4000.00

Paid for with money raised at our BINGO Mark your calendars: BINGO 2-29-2020

Welcome Back!

Jill Thornton

Our School Clerk, Jill Thornton, is retiring effective the end of December after serving our school district since 2005. We appreciate Jill's hard work and dedication and wish her the best in her retirement.

Potomac School District Notice of Position Opening

- Business Manager/District Clerk: This is a yearround, part-time position. The business manager/clerk performs a variety of tasks for the Board of Trustees and works closely with the principal to ensure the fiscal integrity of the district.
- Prior payroll accounting experience is required. School accounting experience is preferred.
- Salary and benefits will be negotiated based on experience and education.
- Interested candidates should submit a letter of interest, district application, and resume to:

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jrouse@potomacschoolmontana.us

- Start Date for this position: October 15, 2019 or nearest date thereafter
- Position open until filled.
- Potomac School District is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Explorers

9-6 NO EXPLORERS

9-13 Craft projects

9-20 **Music**

9-27 Tribal Games

The Potomac School Explorers Parent Group encourages you to stop by their table at Open House and learn all about Explorers and what it does for our students on Fridays. We are currently signing up community, parent, grandparent volunteers. Please contact Mrs. Taillefer for sign up information.

Due to a family situation with our preschool teacher, we have not yet scheduled for this year. Watch future newsletters for a start date.



Weekly Newsletter

This week, newsletters will go home with all students. Starting next week, they will come by email if you have it. Please let us know if you are not receiving it. Thanks

Community News

Message from your local Post Office

Please be vigilant about getting your mail every day. There have been quite a few thefts from mailboxes on Morrison and Swanson Lanes over the last month or so.

Free Kittens

Call 244-5575 ready in two weeks

Potomac Greenough Community Center

<u>Board Meetings:</u> 1st Monday of each month - 7:00pm (seeking people to fill positions on our board)

Scheduling & Keybox: Call Denise 207-4560

Potomac/Greenough Food Bank dates:

Call 244-3621 for questions or donation information. Food Bank dates (6-23), (7-21), (8-18) 5pm-7pm The Potomac Food Bank volunteers would like to extend a tremendous thank you to the community of Potomac. The donations and support from families, businesses and individuals had been amazing, heartfelt and gracious. Thank you Potomac!!

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 September 21st Community Center All are welcome, bring a project and a lunch.

Potomac Valley 4-H

Next meeting: Sunday, September 8th, 4pm

Community Exercise

Free/ Co-Ed circuit workout Tues and Thurs at 6:30 pm @ Potomac Community Center. Call 244-6156

Outdoor Life Ministries

Sunday Service 11am 406-239-1972 Sunday School <u>outdoorlifeministries@gmail.com</u> Children's' activities



HARVEST DINNER

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2019, 6:00 PM AT POTOMAC COMMUNITY CENTER

Share in the potluck according to your last name:

A–M Salad N–Z Side Dish

Blackfoot Home

Community Club provides: Meat, Beverages, and Desserts

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