



# Potomac Elementary School

Thursday, October 22, 2015

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

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## Events Calendar

10-24 Volleyball Tournament @ Frenchtown  
 10-27 K & 1<sup>st</sup> Fire Safety Puppet Show  
 10-29 End of 1<sup>st</sup> quarter  
 11-2 BBB @ Home vs Hellgate 4:00pm  
 11-5 BBB @ Home vs Bonner 4:00pm  
 11-11~12 Parent / Teacher Conferences  
 11-18 2-Valley Stage Field Trip to Seeley 4<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> gr.  
 11-19 5/6<sup>th</sup> Art Field Trip  
 11-19 Native American Presentation/Jack Gladstone  
 11-25~26 NO SCHOOL  
 12-16 Holiday Program 6:30pm  
 12-18~1-3 Holiday Break  
**School Board Meetings-** 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday each month- 7pm  
 Agendas and minutes are on the website.

## Media Center/ Library Schedule

Public Hours: Tues: 4:30 - 6:30pm  
 Wednesdays 9:00am-4:00pm

## PTC Meeting Schedule

PTC meetings are held on the first Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm in the library! All are encouraged to come.

## Time For Tots

Preschool library program, Wed. from 9:30-11:00am

## Bike-A-Thon

We are still calculating our student's earnings, and will let you know when we have a total. Please send any remaining pledge money in **ASAP**.

## Boxtops

Thank you everyone who saves boxtops for us. We are able to add several hundred dollars to our student accounts each year from this program. We are sending the next batch in at the end of October, so please send in what you have and keep collecting. Thanks

## Help wanted

We are in need of a substitute janitor/maintenance person. Please call the school office. 244-5581

## Boys Basketball

October 26-29 Practice 4:30-6:30pm  
 October 30- Practice 9-11am  
 November 2- Game Hellgate @ Home  
 November 5- Game Bonner @ Home  
 We always need scorekeepers and bookkeepers for each game. To learn how to keep score before the games begin, we will have a scrimmage at practice on Thursday, the 29th @ 5:45 p.m. We would like at least one parent for each player to attend and learn how to keep score and books during games. Thanks for your help!

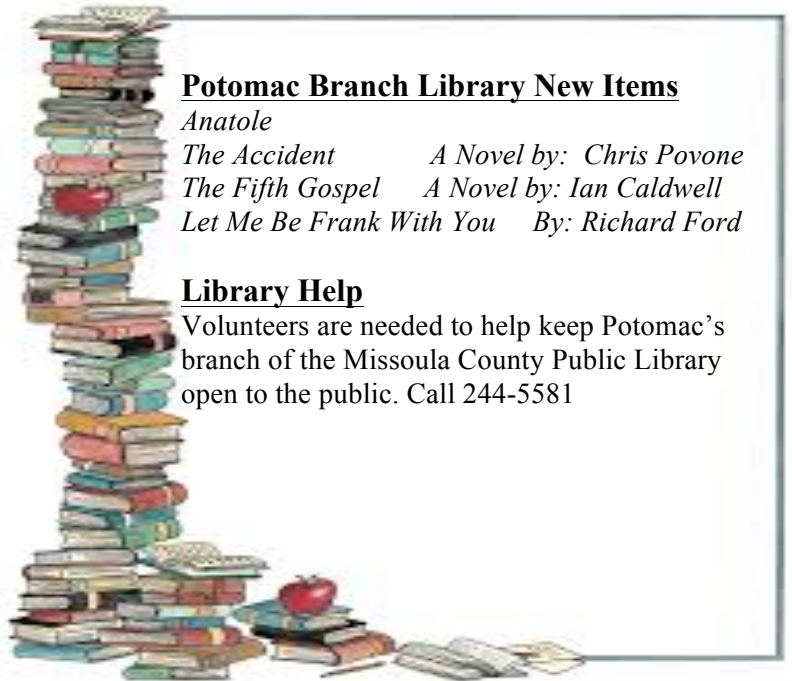


## Potomac Branch Library New Items

*Anatole*  
*The Accident* A Novel by: Chris Povone  
*The Fifth Gospel* A Novel by: Ian Caldwell  
*Let Me Be Frank With You* By: Richard Ford

## Library Help

Volunteers are needed to help keep Potomac's branch of the Missoula County Public Library open to the public. Call 244-5581



## Explorers

Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup> - **Field Trip** U of M Planetarium / Hike M  
 Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> - Day of the Dead workshop/Face painting  
 Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> - Cooking/Make your own cookbook  
 Nov. 13<sup>th</sup> - To Be Determined  
 Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> - Set Design for Holiday Program  
 Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> - **NO EXPLORERS**  
 Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> - **Field Trip** Big Rock Bronze/Zootown Arts  
 Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> - **Field Trip** Ice Skating  
 Dec. 18<sup>th</sup> - The Nutcracker Ballet  
 Check out the link on our website for more Explorer News.

## Garden City Ballet – The Nutcracker

Potomac Students and parents have an opportunity to attend The Nutcracker this Christmas season at a reduced price of \$5 (normal price is \$20). The performance is on Friday, December 18<sup>th</sup> @10:00am. This is an Explorers day. Students wishing to attend may either attend Explorers that day and ride the bus in or be accompanied by a parent and meet us there. Potomac will sit together as a group and we need to let them know as soon as possible how many seats to reserve for us. Please call the school at 244-5581 if you are interested.

## Community News

### PGCC (Community Center) Board Meetings

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



### Friday Family Fun Night

Sponsored by: P/G Community Center

1st & 3rd Friday's of every month 6:30-8:30 pm

Bring the Family and have some fun!!

November 6<sup>th</sup>: Family Relays

November 20<sup>th</sup>: Thanksgiving Fun & Crafts



### Potomac Food Bank- 5-7pm

The Potomac Food Bank hours are the last two Sundays of each month from 5 - 7 p.m. at the Community Center. Non- expired food donations are welcome and can be made by using the drop box located at Cully's. Thank you!

### Blackfoot Home & Community Club

BHCC is a local women's service club that meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month at 7:30 pm at various locations. All are welcome. Call Janelle at 244-6156.

### Blackfoot Peacemakers Quilt

Quilt Guild meets monthly for a sew day at the Community Center from 10am-4pm. The next 2 meetings will be on, November 14<sup>th</sup>, and December 5<sup>th</sup>. All are Welcome!!

### 4-H News

Meetings are on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month at 4:00pm at the Greenough Potomac Community Center.

### Yoga for Moms

I am putting together a yoga class starting soon.

Possibly Tuesdays at 2:00?

Please contact me if you are interested or want private instruction. Connie Erickson [Connie.befit@gmail.com](mailto:Connie.befit@gmail.com)

### To Give Away

Very nice folding treadmill to give away. Call 244-5068



## BUNCO

Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup> @ 2:00pm

Potomac Greenough Community Center

\$10 per person with \$5 going to the Community Center as a Fundraiser

Bunco is a fun dice game that anyone can play. We'll teach you to play if you don't already know how. Card tables will be appreciated if you could bring one. Prizes will be awarded. To ensure that there are enough dice, score sheets, pencils, etc. R.S.V.P. to either Denise @244-1127 or Mona @ 239-2970 by October 21<sup>st</sup>. Bring your own beverage and a snack to share.



### Ovando Old West Christmas Fest

(NEW DATE) December 5<sup>th</sup>

Watch here for details



### Christmas Comes Home 2015

Join us at the

Potomac Greenough Community Center

@ 6pm on December 12<sup>th</sup>

Enjoy lights, trees, refreshments, moonlight rides thru the forest, and more!!!

A special "Outdoorsman" silent auction will take place to benefit the Community Center and Youth in the Outdoors. Outdoors Items for men, women and children Such as Red Ryder BB rifle, various ammunition (22's! too!), Cabela's children sizes clothing, toys, ice fishing, housewares and much more plus lots of free giveaways! Great for Christmas plus gift-wrapping available! Call Ginny Griffin for more info! 224-2260