



# Potomac Elementary School

Thursday, September 15, 2016

*"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

9-15 Open House 6:30pm  
9-20 Picture Day 8am  
9-21 Hearing and Vision Screening w/ Nurses  
9-27 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Naturalist Field Trip – Maclay Flats  
10-6 Bike-a-Thon  
10-17~19 Artist in Residence 4<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grades  
10-20 No School (PIR Day)  
11-3 End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter  
11-9~10 Parent Teacher Conferences  
11-23~24 No School Holiday Break  
12-21 Holiday Program  
12-26~30 No School Holiday Break  
**School Board Meetings- 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday each month- 7pm**  
*Agendas and minutes are on the website.*



## Media Center/ Library Schedule

Hours Wednesdays 10:00am - 4:00pm

## Time for Tots

Time for Tots Thursdays, 9-11:30am Open to all children under school age. Join Mrs. Weis in the library for fun, learning and books. Parents must attend with children.

## Student Sign Out

Remember to sign your student out in the office if they are leaving early.

## Thank You

On September 15<sup>th</sup>, Maria Wines and her MSU nursing students were here to give free sports physicals to any students who signed up. We appreciate this service and all they do for Potomac School. We would like to thank whoever dropped off the new flags for us. Ours were in need of replacing.

## VolleyBall Schedule

Practice will be Mon.- Thurs. unless games are scheduled  
Sept. 27<sup>th</sup> Lolo @ Potomac 4pm  
Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> Potomac @ Clinton 4pm  
Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> Desmet & Target Range @ Potomac 4pm & 5pm  
Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> Potomac @ Seeley 4pm  
Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> Potomac @ Lolo 4pm

## Speech Screening

On September 28<sup>th</sup> our speech therapist will be doing speech screenings for all kindergarteners and 1<sup>st</sup> graders.

## Open House

*Tonight, Sept 15<sup>th</sup> from 6:30pm - 7:30pm.  
Begin in the Community Center.*

## Map Testing

On Mon., Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> and Tues., Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>, all students will be taking Map Tests. Please make sure your children are in attendance with plenty of sleep and a healthy breakfast.

## 8th Grade Fundraiser Pig Roast!

Oct. 1 Noon at the PGCC. Doors open at 11. \$5/plate, \$20/family of 4+, 5 years old and under free, Face painting; horseshoe games!  
Come support the class train trip across Montana!

## Drop off Time

*Just a reminder that students cannot be dropped off at the school before 7:50am!!  
Teachers are preparing for class and not ready to supervise students at this time.*

## Picture Day

Tuesday, September 20<sup>th</sup> student will have individual and class pictures taken. Packets will be sent home next week. We will also be taking volleyball team pictures.

## Explorers

Friday's for all students, 8am - 4pm Community Center Students must be signed in and out by a parent each time, bring a sack lunch and water bottle, and dress for physical activity and outside play.

9-16 Field Trip Garnet Ghost Town  
9-23 Lego stop motion movies and lego Jell-O  
9-30 Field Trip to Currents Aquatic Center / Bowling

## Bike a thon

This year we will be holding our bike a thon on Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup>. Permission slips were sent home as well as sponsor sheets. This fundraiser helps to pay for MCT, field trips and other student activities.



## Community News

### PGCC (Community Center) Board Meetings

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

### Community Center Coded Key Box

“Call Denise Clark at 244-1127 for access to the Community Center for rental, exercise, open gym, etc. There is a coded lock box and Denise will get you the code for entry. There will not be access to keys from the board or Brad Hall any longer. All entries will be recorded by the scan system in place at the center. Thank you in advance for using the new system!”

### Potomac Food Bank

Open the second to last Sunday of each month at the Community Center in Potomac from 5-7 pm. call 244-3621 for more information.

### Super Bible

Thursdays beginning September 1<sup>st</sup> from 4-6pm  
Call Denise 244-1127, or Pat 244-5545

### Blackfoot Home & Community Club

(A woman's service organization)  
Meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month from Sept. to May  
Call Janelle 244-6156 for more information.

### Square Dance – Ovando School Gym

To benefit *The Ovando Community Endowment*  
Friday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 7pm-10pm  
\$5/family or a donation  
Dessert Auction 8:30pm  
Spaghetti Dinner available at Trixi's from 6pm-7pm  
Call for reservations 793-5611



**Spaghetti  
Dinner**



## Hunters Ed Class

Oct 10<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> 2016 from 6:30 pm-9:00pm.  
The field course is Sat Oct 15<sup>th</sup> 8:00am-12:00pm  
Classes will be held at the community center.  
Steve French # is [406-244-2260](tel:406-244-2260) or Cell [406-396-0864](tel:406-396-0864)

## 4-H News

The first 4-H meeting of the year is on Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup>, at 4pm in the Community Center. New members welcome.

## Community Center Events

Open Gym will be Sunday's from 2-4 pm.

## Potomac Equine Lifetime Inspection Day!

Lifetime equine brand inspections will be completed in Potomac this fall. Please call 244-3621 for more information.

## For sale

African Nigerian Dwarf 6 month old doeling goat.  
Weaned, horned, wattles and good udder. Call 244.3621 if interested

## Kittens

7-week old kittens to give away. Call Kelsy 244-0087

# Fall Festival

 of Fun 

Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup>

From 1:00-4:00 pm

At the Community Center

Pumpkin Painting, Scarecrow Making,  
Apple Launching, Corn Tossing, Apple  
Bobbing, Hay Playing, Pie Eating, &  
More...



Fall Fun for Everyone!!!

