

MAY 2025

Potterville Middle & High School

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Upcoming Events

- May 2- TEAM Viking Camp - rescheduled
- May 3- Junior/Senior Prom 8-11
- May 8- Hope Squad - mental health awareness
- May 9- Schools to Tools mobile field trip for grades 7-11
- May 9- Senior Locker Clean Out
- May 12/13 - Senior Exams
- May 13 - Senior Awards - 7pm
- May 15 - NWEA - ELA
- May 19 - NWEA - Math
- May 20 - BizTown for 5th/6th Grade
- May 20 - Graduation Rehearsal at 10am
- May 22 - No School - Staff PD
- May 22 - Graduation - 6pm
- May 23 -26 Memorial Day Break - no school
- May 28 - 8th grade Club/Activity Exploration during WIN to prepare for high school
- May 29 - HS Awards during VV
- May 29 - LCC Advantage Orientation
- May 30 - HS Locker Clean Out
- May 30 - Kona Ice
- June 2 - Hours 6/7 Exams
- June 3 - Hours 4/5 Exams - ½ day, MS Locker Clean Out
- June 4 - Hours 1/2 Exams - ½ day - last day - MS awards



Our 6th grade working on their carousel projects!

GOOD THINGS

We received notice from Capturing Kids' Hearts that we earned National Showcase recognition again!

SUMMER SCHOOL SIGN UP

Summer school sign up went out last week. For the middle school, the sign up is here: <https://forms.gle/8hvSMqMV354Mk7iv6>
For high school students who need credit recovery, the sign up is here: <https://forms.gle/5FWzgCpNXJTRbiSKA>

HS UPCOMING KEY EVENTS

Junior/Senior Prom - May 3 - ticket sales (\$20 before spring break then \$25)
Senior Exams - May 12 & 13 - come when you normally start school
Senior Award Ceremony - 7pm - May 13 for ALL seniors

LIBRARY MATERIALS DUE BY MAY 9

We are approaching the last book exchange opportunities for the school year. All books will need to be returned by May 9th. If books are not returned, you will be responsible for covering the cost to replace them by the last day of school. Please return your overdue books ASAP.

MUSIC BOOSTER NEWS

All music student parents and guardians are invited to participate. The meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 5:30 pm in the music room. Upcoming meeting dates are:

May 13, 2025

June 10, 2025

July 8, 2025

Spring Concerts

The Middle School Spring Concert is scheduled for May 6 , 2025. Student report time is 6:00 pm with a concert start time of 7:00 pm. All students should wear black on the lower half and a spring shirt for the top half or spring dress. Desserts are potluck and will be available after the concert. The Music Booster's will supply a cake. Please donate a snack or dessert for after the concert. All music students should return the assigned concert attire before the concert "cleaned", and consisting of a white tuxedo shirt, a bow tie, and a burgundy vest. Baryames Cleaners offers student discounts for cleaning. Student awards are to be distributed immediately after the concert.

The High School Spring Concert is scheduled for May 12, 2025. Student report time is 6:00 pm with a concert start time of 7:00 pm. All students should wear black on the lower half and a spring shirt for the top half or spring dress. Desserts are potluck and will be available after the concert. The Music Booster's will supply a cake. Please donate a snack or dessert for after the concert. All music students should return the assigned concert attire before the concert "cleaned", and consisting of a white tuxedo shirt, a bow tie, a tuxedo jacket, and tuxedo pants. Baryames Cleaners offers student discounts for cleaning. Student awards are to be distributed immediately after the concert.

Potterville Memorial Parade

Please reserve Monday, May 26, 2025 for the Potterville Memorial Day Parade. Student report time is 9:30 am and the parade starts at 10:00 am. Students who are in the 8 th grade during the 2024-2025 school year are invited to march in the parade. Marching uniforms will be worn as parade attire unless the weather is too warm, then black pants, shoes, and maroon T-shirts as a top will be the warm weather attire. The final parade attire decision is made by Mr. Smith and he will notify all students.

Spring Sports Concession Stand Fundraising

The Music Booster's opportunity to earn funds for instrument repair, uniforms, and to support music program activities is upon us and we cannot do this alone, so we are asking all middle school and high school music parents and guardians to contribute toward fundraising by working a couple of shifts at the concession stand during sporting events this spring. The Sign-Up list has been posted to the TEAM Reach account. If you do not have a TEAM Reach account the link for sign-up for concession stand shifts is:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904094CAEAE2BA1FB6-55870914-concessions>

If the link does not work for you, please contact Dawn Sweeney or Mr. Smith to volunteer. We appreciate any help that is offered. The Pottersville Music Program depends on the funds raised at the concession stand during sporting events. Thank you.

*Buy Your Senior
Ads!*

*The last day to submit
a senior ad, will be
May 5th so be sure you
make this momento for
your senior.*

Jostens.com



Mrs. Leonard's Class working on their carousel projects!



Mrs. Sheirbon's Life Skills Class





The Literacy Lab presents:

BOOKS on



You are invited to attend Books on Broadway
on Thursday, May 8, 2025 5:00-7:00 pm

Some activities that will take place:

Trivia

Create a Playbill

Become a set designer STEM

Reader's Theatre

WICKED good dinner

And more...



Please RSVP by Friday, May 2nd

Please return this slip or scan the QR code
1 per family

Student(s) name(s)	
# of children attending	
# of adults attending	



Is my family protected against Measles?

Are you up-to-date on immunizations?

Infants under 12 months:

- Too young to get vaccinated (unless they are exposed). Make sure close contacts are vaccinated.

Preschool age children (1-3 years):

- First dose of MMR vaccine.

School age children (4+ years):

- Second doses of MMR vaccine.

Individuals are considered immune with any one of the following:

- Have a record of two doses of MMR vaccine.
 - **Note:** If vaccinated before 1997, you may have only received one dose. An additional dose is not needed unless you are exposed or if you will be in a higher risk setting (*traveling internationally, health care workers, college students, etc.*).
- Born before 1957
 - **Note:** Those born before 1957 are likely to have been infected naturally, meeting presumptive evidence of immunity.
- Have evidence of prior measles illness or lab-confirmed immunity.

Exposed high-risk individuals

Immune globulin (Ig) can be effective for high-risk individuals (infants too young for vaccination, pregnant people, and those who are severely immunocompromised) **within 6 days of exposure**.

Were you exposed to measles or do you travel internationally?

Infants under 12 months:

- MMR vaccine can be given starting at 6 months. Vaccine should be given within 72 hours of exposure.

Preschool age children (1-3 years):

- A second dose of MMR vaccine can be given if at least 28 days have passed since first dose. Vaccine should be given within 72 hours of exposure.

School age children (4+ years):

- Fully protected with two appropriately spaced doses. No action needed.
- If not vaccinated, vaccine should be given within 72 hours of exposure.

Adults:

- If considered immune, no action needed.
- If not considered immune, vaccine should be given within 72 hours of exposure.
- If born before 1957, vaccine can be given after discussions with your healthcare provider.

This fact sheet is for information only and is not meant to be used for self-diagnosis or as a substitute for consultation with a health care provider. For more information contact your health care provider.