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Sageville Elementary

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Calendar Of Events

Tonight! 6:30 PM Grades 4 & 5 Music Program

Friday, October 31

9:45 Late Start Scrip orders are due

Tuesday, November 4

8:00 Lego League Practice 4:00 Team B Volleyball game at Audubon School

Thursday, November 6

4:30 Site Council

Friday, November 7

7:35 PM Fighting Saints Hockey Game Sageville Night Tickets on sale in the office

Sunday, November 9

5:00-8:00 PM

Steak Feed at The Barn

Friday's Professional Learning

Kari Bappe from the district's social emotional intervention team will present six research based strategies about behavior to our staff tomorrow.

From the Desk of Miss Mac

Greetings Sageville families & friends,

Thank you for 100% attendance at conferences last week. The connection between home and school is important. I encourage parents and our staff to keep the lines of communication open. Trimister 1 progress reports will go home on November 20th.

The PTC officers, Tina Smith, Lindsey Schreiber, Jenny Calonder and Kelly Kieffer made sure that the staff had a fabulous meal during conferences. We appreciate their hospitality very much. Thank you to Jeff Breitbach from The Barn for the delicious soup!

Please note the change for the Grades 2 & 3 musical program in December. It will be held on Tuesday, December 9th at 6:30 p.m.

Thank you for turning in the Box Tops! Mrs. Herr's Grade 1 won the pizza party, Mrs. Willenborg's Grade 3 won the popcorn party and Mrs. Atencio's Grade 5 won the extra recess. We received over \$700.00 for our recent turn in!

Mrs. Murray is taking printer cartridges, ink cartridges, cell phones, digital cameras, etc. for recycling that turns into cash for our school library. Please send them to school. Thank you!

Y-Care families: Please do not send gum with your children in the morning. There have been several issues with our gym floor. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Our Fall Book Fair was a great success. You can still order online from Scholastic until November 11th. Any books purchased would be shipped to the school at no cost, but you do have to pay tax. Here is the link:

http:// onlinebookfairs.scholastic.com/ default.aspx?f=3316879

I hope to see lots of our Sageville parents and students at The Barn next Sunday night for the Steak Feed. One of our greatest strengths as a school is the community that we have. It's unique to anything that I have ever experienced as a principal. We have lots to be thankful for!



The Dubuque Fighting Saints presented their "Live Like a Saint" program at Sageville this past Monday. Over 1000 young men try-out for the hockey team each year for the coveted 23 spots. Recruitment focuses on their athletic ability as well as their character in the following areas: respect, citizenship, cooperation, empathy.

Two Fighting Saints assist
Olivia with the gear that they
wear. Tickets are still available
for the November 7th game for
\$9.25 at the school office!

lowa Tests, formerly known as the lowa Test of Basic Skills will be given to students in Grades 3-5 on the following dates: November 11-13 & November 18-20. It's important for students to be at school so that all of these tests can be administered.

You will receive an informational brochure about these tests next week.



Counselor Corner-Mrs. Kaiser

During the week of October 27th-31st I have been working with numerous small groups. My first grade groups are learning how to put effort into school, what to do when distracted, and how to problem solve with many different solutions. Second grade groups are working on selfesteem and motivation to meet their goals in school. My third grade group is learning about peer pressure and how to resist the urge to follow. Fifth grade groups are working on selfesteem and positive selfconcepts. Next week I will be in preschool thru second grade, we will be focusing on collaboration

skills.

Don't forget: Here are the students who received our October character awards; Kenzie Kieffer, Nic Kintzle, Tate Breiner, Caitlyn Neuwoehner, Maggie Banwarth, Marshall Pfeiler, Brody Schmitt, Molly Slover, Alyssa Jaeger, Isabel Fullbright, Sofia Kane, Andrew Tharp, Lia Olechowski, and Claire Lahey. CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Tips for Parents: Every 7 minutes a student is bullied. Please keep lines of communication open between your child and their school to help stop bullying.

www.bullyingstatistics.org

PTC NEWS

\$3000.00 was made during the fall book fair. Our library also received 109 new books. Thank you to all of the parent volunteers.

Cookie, Yankee Candle and PTC discount card monies are due today if you'd like your child eligible for prizes.

The Steak Feed at the Barn will be held on Sunday, November 9th, 5:00-8:00 p.m. Please turn in all unused tickets and monies by Monday, November 3rd.