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# Sageville Elementary

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## **Calendar Of Events**

Scrip orders due tomorrow

K-5 students will take FAST/DIBELS assessments next week.

Monday-April 18 7:00 PTC meeting

<u>Tuesday-April 19</u> 3:30-5:00 Track 6:30-7:30 Preschool & Kindergarten Open House

<u>Wednesday-April 20</u> 9:00 Gr. 5 Human Body Bee @ Clarke University

<u>Thursday-April 21</u> 3:30-5:00 Track

<u>Friday-April 22</u> 9:45 Late Arrival for Professional Learning

Friday's Professional Learning

Teachers will be working on Close Reading and the Collaborative Inquiry process.

## From the Desk of Miss Mac

## Greetings Sageville families,

Kudos to Miss Scholtes, vocal music director and our kindergarten and second grade students for their performance Tuesday evening. I'd also like to acknowledge all of the staff who supported our students! Mark your calendar for Tuesday, May 10th, 6:30 PM. Our first and third graders will perform as well as our choir.

Students and staff made a dent in the wood chips on Monday. All throughout the day there were many hands working. It was an investment made by all for our school garden!

Earth Day is Friday, April 22nd. In honor of this special day, consider gifting our garden a bag of compost. Just drop it by anytime in back lot near the garden. We'll need a lot of black dirt for our raised garden beds that we plan to get in soon.



Families are invited to attend the Dubuque Area Family STEM Festival on Saturday, April 16 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Alumni **Campus Center, Loras Col**lege in Dubuque. The festival is free and open to the public. The goals of the festival are to promote, inspire and engage youth in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) activities and to introduce children and parents to STEM careers in their local communities. Our three student teachers from Clarke University have been STEM champions and have assisted in making this upcoming event a success.

Our third, fourth and fifth graders will be going to Albrecht Acres on Monday, May 2nd for our annual service trip getting the grounds ready for summer campers. More details about our trip will come home next week.





Sageville's student teachers this spring are Miss Clark, Miss Ina and Miss Turnis from Clarke University. They are STEM champions. They've assisted in making this Saturday's festival at Loras College happen!

## Mrs. Kaiser's Counselor Corner

During the week of April 11th – 15th I have been in grades 3 thru 5 with the focus on careers. In third grade the students were put into pairs and had to place specific subjects and skills in the appropriate career paths (helping, health, nature, creative, business and fixing building & technology). In fourth and fifth grade the students took an interest assessment which then generated a list of careers that would best fit them. The students then researched that career; some facts they needed to research included what they do? What subjects and skills do you need? How many years of college is required? And why or why not would like to do this career? Next week I will be working with small groups.

**Tips for Parents:** If you would like to visit the website that we used in fourth and fifth grade please go to the Sage-ville webstie, go to the student tab and click on the guidance link. Once you are in the guidance link click on career one stop.

SAVE THE DATE: Grade 5 Movie Premier

Space School: Lost in the Galaxy will be shown at school on Tuesday, May 31st at 1:30 PM.

Join us at Mindframe for a free showing at 7:00 PM.

Doors open at 6:30 PM. Concessions will be available for purchase.