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Sageville Elementary

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April 7, 2016

Calendar Of Events

Week of the Young Child

National Library Week

<u>Monday, April 11</u> School Garden Day

Tuesday-April 12 3:30-5:00 Girls & Boys Track 6:30 Grs. K & 2 Music Program 7:00 Washington Open House

<u>Thursday-April 14</u> 9:30 Gr. 3 Field Trip to River Museum 3:30-5:00 Girls & Boys Track

<u>Friday-April 15</u> Scrip Orders Due 9:45 Late Start for Professional Learning 10:30 Gr. 2 EB Lyons & Mines of Spain 11:30 Pre-K & K Picnic 2:15 Gr. 4H Prezi Presentations

Friday's Professional Learning

Our focus will be on writing Close reading lessons.

From the Desk of Miss Mac

Greetings Sageville families,

Next week we celebrate two national events: Week of the Young Child and National Library Week. We celebrate all of the staff who work in those positions!

On Monday, April 11th, several students will be working on the school garden. They should wear older clothing and shoes. Thank you!

On Tuesday we look forward to the musical program that our Kindergarten and second graders will preform. They should arrive to school by 6:00 PM.

If you have any baskets which could be used for our Spring Fling auction, please send them to school. Our next PTC meeting is Monday, April 18th, 7:00 PM. You are welcome to attend. We are so excited to meet our next year's kindergarten and preschool students. Our Open House will be held on Tuesday, April 19th, 6:30-7:30 PM in the gym! See you there.

In two weeks all of our K students will take the FAST reading assessment and all 1-5 students will take the DIBELS reading assessment. Students whose scores are significantly discrepant in grades 1 & 2 will be invited to the district's summer literacy program. Our district is being proactive in response to the new lowa law Chapter 62 which will retain third graders if they are not proficient in reading in 2017.





Gr. 5 Potato Heads

Mrs. Kaiser's Counselor Corner

During the week of April 4th – 8th I have been in grades kindergarten thru second. During the month of April our focus during guidance class will be careers. In kindergarten the students share their favorite and least favorite chores and responsibilities they do at home and at school. In first grade the students discuss what they are interested in learning more about and if it is already a strength for them. In second grade the students learn the difference between an interest and an activity and at times they overlap. The students are then introduced to the 6 career paths (business, creative, nature, fixing & building technology, helping, and health) and they have to put their interests and activities in the appropriate career path. Once they have put each interest/activity in its career path the students then discuss which career path(s) they fit into. Next week I will be in grades 3-5 and the focus will remain on careers.

Tips for Parents: Discuss with your child(ren) the characteristics and skills you utilize in your everyday work.