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Calendar Of Events

**Tomorrow is the last
day to bring in
BoxTops**

Tuesday-March 1
**Groovy Dress Up Day for
the upcoming Book
Fair.**

Wednesday-March 2
11:00 Gr. 5A DARE
1:00-3:00 Gr. 4 2x2
**4:00 Parent/Teacher/
Student Conferences**
Groovy Book Fair

Thursday-March 3
No School
**10:00 a.m. Parent/
Teacher/Student
Conferences**
Groovy Book Fair

Friday-March 5
No School!

Friday's Professional Learning

Teachers will use their
time Friday morning for
conference preparation.

From the Desk of Miss Mac

Greetings Sageville families,



Get into the Groovy groove
for our upcoming book fair
which will be held in the
gym during conferences next
week. Flower power, tie-
dye, peace signs...bring it on.

Many thanks to Erin Neises
and all of our volunteers
who will make our book fair
a big success!

Mark your calendar...
March 7th is our next PTC
Skate Party!

We are looking forward to
meeting with you next week
at conferences. Before the
conference, ask your child,
how does he/she feel about
school? Does he/she feel
successful about school?
What does he/she think
his/her strengths and weak-
nesses are?

While it's most important
that we talk about your
child's everyday perfor-
mance, teachers will go over
your child's winter scores.

Chapter 62 is a new law in
Iowa which will be in effect
next year in regards to retain-
ing 3rd graders if they are not
proficient in reading. Our
district leaders have been in
Des Moines many times
learning about the upcoming
ramifications of this law.
Summer school again will be
offered for some grade levels
and that will be discussed at
conferences next week.



**Spring Pictures will be taken
on Wednesday, March 9th by
Siebe Studio. Photos are
optional.**



Here's a great group of instrumental students who performed at Tuesday's district string festival!

Mrs. Kaiser's Counselor Corner

During the week of February 22nd – 26th Mr. Dyer and I met with the 4th and 5th grades classes and focused on internet safety and digital literacy. We discussed how everyone has a digital footprint, whenever you are on an electronic device you leave a trace of where you have visited on the internet and how this can be retrieved. We also discussed some precautions to take while you are on the internet; this included how to take a screen shot, the DCSD servers, what to provide on a profile page or share in a chat room, how to stay safe on apps, what to do when you encounter cyberbullying and the law in relation to cyberbullying. Next week I will be working with small groups.

Tips for Parents: Copy and paste the helpful links below for information about cyberbullying and dangerous apps your children may be visiting:

<http://mashable.com/2012/08/24/children-cyberbullying/>

<http://www.witsprogram.ca/schools/cyberbullying/>

<http://www.foreverymom.com/dear-well-meaning-but-ignorant-parents-this-is-what-your-teens-are-really-doing-on-the-internet/>

<http://www.bonbonbreak.com/10-social-apps-every-parent-should-know-about/>