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Sageville Elementary Newsletter

January 12, 2017

From the desk of Miss Mac:

Next week is a busy week and a short one! MAP testing will continue due to the weather-related release. Student Council is very excited for our Penny Wars to support the Hunter family. It's boys vs. girls. Check out our website or Facebook page for their touching video promotion for this event.

Our PTC is gearing up for our annual Movie Night. The doors will open on **Friday, January 20th at 6:15 PM.** The movie, "The Secret Life of Pets" will start promptly at 6:30 PM. There will be a raffle to give a copy of the DVD away. Come dressed in your jammies and bring a chair or blanket. There is no fee for admittance but concessions will be provided for a small fee. Students need to be accompanied by an adult.

Preschool registration will be held on a first-come, first-serve basis on Monday, **February 6th beginning at 7:30 AM.** Our morning classes are 8:45-11:20 AM and our afternoon classes are 12:50-3:30 PM. There are 10 slots each for morning and afternoon. Registration materials will be available on the district website soon or available in the school office. Students need to be age 4 on or before September 15, 2017.

Kindergarten Kick-Off will be held on April 4th, more details will be coming later.

Calendar of Events

MAP tests continue

Monday-January 16

No School
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Tuesday-January 17

Penny Wars starts for Hunter Family (Boys vs. Girls)
7:00 PTC meeting

Thursday-January 19

12:30 Two by Two 2K

Friday-January 20

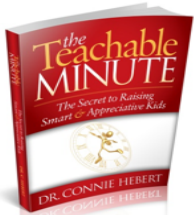
9:45 Late Start
PTC Movie Night
"Secret Life of Pets"
6:15 Doors Open
6:30 Movie Starts
No admission fee! Students need to be accompanied by an adult. Wear your pajamas and bring a blanket or chair. Concessions available for purchase.



The Lego table in Preschool is a big hit during station time!

Friday Focus:

- Teachers will be working on a variety of strategies to support students in mastering basic addition and subtraction facts.



JOIN US . . .

We invite you to attend a special night for parents . . .

CATCHING TEACHABLE MINUTES WITH KIDS

The Secret to Raising Smart AND Appreciative Kids

PRESENTED BY: Dr. Connie Hebert



National Literacy Consultant/Author/Parent

WHEN: Thursday, April 20th

TIME: 6:30-7:15 PM

WHERE: Sageville School gym

SAVE THE DATE! THURSDAY, APRIL 20th, 6:30 PM in our school gym!

Recycle those old electronics!

Do you have an old TV, computer, VCR, set of holiday lights, vacuum cleaner or small appliance that you no longer use? Electronics and small appliances can be recycled through the Dubuque Metropolitan Area Solid Waste Agency's Electronics Recycling Program at 14501 Highway 20 West (DMASWA Landfill). Drop off for these items is between 7:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday. No appointment is needed.

The DMASWA does not allow the burial of electronics in the landfill. Therefore, electronics cannot be placed in garbage cans/bags, dumpsters, or roll-off containers destined for landfill disposal.

Electronics recycled through the DMASWA facility are sent to a secure processing facility in Davenport. The costs charged to the Agency by the Davenport contractor for this service are passed back by the Agency to its customers.

Current Electronics Recycling Fees:
\$10.00 each: Computer monitors, TVs, and laptop computers
No Charge : All other electronics and accessories

The fee for recycling monitors, TVs, and laptop computers will be increasing to \$15 each as of July 1, 2017.

For more information, call 563-557-8220 or go to www.dmaswa.org.



Counselor Corner...Mrs. Kaiser

During the week of January 9th – 13th I have been in grades 3 thru 5. Our focus continues to be on self-regulation skills. In third grade we discussed how our bodies feel when we are not calm and what healthy coping skills we can utilize to achieve a calm body. In fourth grade we played Jeopardy, the students learned some key definitions including healthy/unhealthy coping skills, aggressive, passive and assertive behaviors, escalation, de-escalation and different scenarios for a conflict. In fifth grade the students did the activity, Am I Balanced? The students weighed themselves in 5 areas extracurricular activities, friendship activities, my needs, school commitments and family responsibilities. Students then decided if all areas were balanced or if they needed to arrange some of their time in different areas. Next week I will be working with small groups.

Tips for Parents: For coping skills to use at home please visit my counselor website at <http://sagevillecounselor.weebly.com/helpful-tips.html>

Wonder Workshop started up again for our 4th graders. There was so much interest that we have two groups.

The goal is for the 4th graders learn the basics of Wonderbots, so next year, they can start the challenge off easily.

Thank you to Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. Huinker and Mr. Dyer for providing this workshop for our students.

