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# Sageville Elementary

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## Calendar Of Events

### Friday, November 6

9:45 Late Start for Professional Learning  
Sassy Scramble & Miss Mac Math Attack! Bring a dollar for Special Olympics!  
Scrip orders due

### Monday, November 9

3:30 Volleyball

### Tuesday, November 10

6:30 Grades 4 & 5 Music Program in the gym

### Wednesday, November 11

We salute Veterans today  
3:30 Volleyball

### Thursday, November 12

Sparky's Fire House for PreK, K & Gr. 1 students

### Friday, November 13

9:45 Late Start for Professional Learning  
Deputy Sheriff Synder gets his head shaved today

## Friday's Professional Learning

The staff is wrapping up our fall book study, "The Morning Meeting" focusing on morning messages and group activities. They will also work in their collaborative inquiry groups on student learning & instruction.

## From the Desk of Miss Mac

Greetings Sageville families & friends,

I'm looking forward to the PTC steak dinner at the Barn this Sunday. They are serving 5:00-8:00 p.m. 205 steak and 59 chicken dinners were sold. Thank you to the Barn & Sageville families for helping out our school!

Don't forget to have the fourth and fifth graders' musical program on your calendar next week. It's called November's Bounty! I've enjoyed seeing them enthusiastically get ready for this program. Students should be here by 6:00 PM and the program begins at 6:30 PM.

For your advanced planning, when the snow starts to fly students will need snow pants and boots in order to play beyond the blacktop area. If you have any boots that your children have outgrown, consider dropping them off at school for children who may need them. Thank you!

These books were purchased for three classrooms that brought in the most Box Tops! Mr. Mach, Mrs. Willenborg and Mrs. Klinkner.

Our Book Fair was a great success. Thank you to our chairs Jess Olechowski and Erin Neises and their super troop of volunteers. Sales were over \$3000.00. Eighty-six new books were purchased for our library with \$400.00 more to spend. Thank you!

For many years Sageville School has partnered with the Dubuque County Sheriff Department and their efforts to raise funds for Special Olympics. We are proud to continue the tradition. Our Sassy Scramble and Miss Mac Math Attack will be held during the lunch time. We hope to raise \$400.00. Please send \$1 for your child if you can. Thank you!

We had 100% attendance at conferences. I am not surprised by our parent support. Thank you for your efforts to be here. A special shout-out to our PTC and parents who provided a meal for the staff!



### Junior Student Council:

Second Grade	
Natalee <u>Koopman</u>	Maggie Tharp
Wyatt Licht	Haylee Ehrlich
Kassidy Buchenau	Landen Schmitt
First Grade	
Jaxon Frazier	Wyatt Crosby
McKenzie <u>Ostola</u>	<u>Julietta</u> McCarthy
Abby Schmitt	
Kindergarten	
Lucas Schumacher	Reed Licht
<u>Matava</u> Bahl	Keira Griffin
Wade Splinter	

### Sageville Student Council:

5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Finals	
President: Ava Naab	
Vice President: Frankie Crestsinger	
Representative: Matthew Nebel	
Representative Lauren Schmitt	
Fourth Grade	
Alyssa Jeager	Ellie Hermiston
Monica Knepper	Katlyn Brokus
Carly Breiner	
Third Grade	
Lindsey Freiburger	Brody Schmitt
Kaylie Brehm	Sophia Beecher

Ms. Huinker and Mrs. Walsh are thrilled to be working with such a fantastic group of student leaders! They've got great things in store for Sageville School and our community. They are excited for the Sassy Scramble and the Miss Mac Math Attack which will be held this Friday during lunch. Bring \$1.00

## Counselor Corner-Mrs. Kaiser

During the week of November 2nd – 6th I have been in kindergarten thru second grade. For the month of November our focus will be on collaboration skills. In kindergarten we generated a list of characteristics of what makes a good teammate. The students were then broken into small groups and were to solve a puzzle as a group. We later discussed if they were able to use the characteristics that we generated as a group.

In first grade the students did a whole group activity called pass the hula hoop, they then were broken into small groups and were to do the activity human knot. The students discussed what their team excelled at and what they still

need to improve on when pertaining to teamwork.

In second grade the students put together a puzzle of the United States as a whole group. The students were to play off the piece that was previous played and were able to show and utilize some of their collaboration skills. Next week I will be in grades 3 – 5 we will continue to work on collaboration skills.

**Tips for Parents: Teamwork divides the task and multiplies the success.**

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### School Attendance is habit forming!

Whether your child is in Preschool or High School, regular daily attendance makes a huge difference! Every day, your child is learning something new and valuable! If he/she misses just 1-2 days per month, your child will develop a chronic absenteeism problem! What might your child miss out on at school?

**Preschool/Kindergarten:** Your child is learning a new word or sound, a new math skill, and is making new friends!

**Elementary:** Your child is learning a new math skill or science concept! Your child goes from "learning to read" to "reading to learn!" They are learning to become independent, responsible and are continually learning to work with others!

Help your child develop good attendance habits! Our kids are THE FUTURE! It's never too early to start asking your child what he/she dreams of becoming! The sky is the limit! Make every second count!