



Sageville Elementary

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Calendar Of Events

Friday, January 9

Scrip orders due
9:45 Late Start for Professional Learning

Monday, January 12

7:00 PTC meeting

Tuesday, January 13

8:00 Lego League Practice

Thursday, January 15

3:00 Lego League Practice
4:30 Site Council

Friday, January 16

9:45 Late start for Professional Learning
9:45-1:00 PM Gr. 5 Eagle Watch
10:30 Visiting Artist
Dubuque Chamber Players

Friday's Professional Learning

Engage in the data driven process to examine student work as we deep our understanding of the specific skills, knowledge and concepts that students do and do not understand.

From the Desk of Miss Mac

Greetings Sageville families & friends,

Molly Louise Jane Feehan arrived at 3:20 p.m. on Tuesday, January 6th to Mr. and Mrs. Feehan. Baby and mom are doing well. She was 6 lbs. 10 oz. and 21.5 inches long. Miss Danielle Kniep is Mrs. Feehan's long-term substitute.

SAVE the DATE:

PTC Movie Night will be held on Friday, January 23rd at 7:00 p.m. Doors will be open at 6:45 p.m. There is no charge for the movie but there will be concessions available for a small fee. The featured movie will be announced next week.

Preschool registration for the 2015-2016 school year will be **Monday, February 2nd**. It is on a **first come-first serve basis**. There are 10 slots in the a.m. class (8:45-11:20) and 10 slots in the p.m. class (12:50-3:30).



The next PTC meeting is Monday, January 12th at 7:00 p.m. PTC is already starting the process of planning Spring Fling. Lots of enthusiastic volunteers will be needed to make this fantastic event happen. Please consider attending if you haven't come before. If you've attended Spring Fling in the past, you know how wonderful it is and it doesn't happen without an army of help!

The Cookie Dough/Yankee Candle top selling winners are:

1st Place \$50 Scrip card Dylan Smith with total sales of \$850.00
2nd Place \$30 Scrip card Jake Wehrspann total sales of \$552.00
3rd Place \$20 Scrip card Dalton Runde total sales of \$528.00

Winners of the \$50 Scrip drawings are:

Jennifer Noel
Denice Genthe
Kristina Herr

5th grader, Sam, loves his role as a preschool helper!

**A new ebook collection is now available for grades K-8!
StarWalk Kids Media**

http://www.aea1.k12.ia.us/en/online_resources/starwalk_kids_media_ebooks/

FEATURES:

- 109 emerging readers
- Fiction and nonfiction
- Simultaneous access so all students can login with the same generic Keystone online resources username and password to read any book at any time
- Apps for Android and iPad available (called SWKids Reader)
- Currently 520 titles - 120 to be added in February

THREE WAYS TO INTERACT WITH THE EBOOKS:

1. Read to Me: the child listens to the book read aloud and manually turns the pages. Eighty percent of the titles are read aloud
2. Let Me Read: the read aloud is turned off so the child reads and turns the pages himself
3. Auto Play: the reader lets the computer do the work - reads aloud and turns the pages automatically

SAMPLE SUBJECTS/TITLES/AUTHORS:

- Seymour Simon science titles
- 109 emerging readers
- historical fiction
- multicultural studies
- chapter readers
- Peter Spier
- Jane Yolen
- Critter Series by Doug Cushman
- Spanish language & currently ten read aloud titles

LOGIN:

- Student login: use the generic online resources login
- User Name: kaea015 Password: kaea01



Counselor Corner-Mrs. Kaiser

During the week of January 5th – 9th I have been in pre-school thru second grade. In preschool we read and discussed the book *Cool Down and Work Through Anger*. In Kindergarten, we worked on self-control. We discussed as a class what self-control looks like and how we keep ourselves in control. In first grade, we played feelings charades and the audience had to guess which feeling the students were acting out. We ended class with a feeling thermometer and discussed how every-

one has different feelings with the same experience and that's okay. In second grade, we did the activity bug bag and came up with coping skills we can utilize when we are feeling "bugged". Next week I will be in grades third thru fifth.

Don't forget: Join us at the end of the month for our celebration assembly! Your child may be nominated by their teacher for good character.

Tips for Parents: Share with your children what healthy coping skills you utilized when needed.



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Spring Pictures

March 10th