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SAGEVILLE

Sageville Elementary Newsletter

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From the desk of Miss Mac:

Iowa and other states have developed systems of school accountability and support in response to the federal *Every Student Succeeds Act* (ESSA), the K-12 education law replacing *No Child Left Behind*.

ESSA maintains a focus on school accountability and equity for all students but shifts decision-making to states and local school districts. We've been working with our district and Keystone AEA.

Under ESSA, states must develop plans for accountability and support, set achievement goals for all students to reach, identify schools for support and improvement every three years, and publish school report cards with data and information.

There are several measures that are weighted. Student growth is weighted at 47% and academic achievement is weighted at 28%. Depending on a school's score, a school could be identified as Comprehensive or Targeted. The state would provide support to improve the school.

I'm pleased to notify you that Sageville Elementary is not identified as Comprehensive or Targeted, however, we continually strive for school improvement.



Peyton and her mom are ready for movie night!

Calendar of Events

Scrip orders due tomorrow

Monday-January 21

No School Martin Luther King, Jr.

Tuesday-January 22

Gr. 3 Lifeskill Classes

Wednesday-January 23

8:00 Choir

10:00 Drama Quest workshop for Gr. 5

Thursday-January 24

Gr. 2 Two by Two Classes

1:50 PM Gr.s 1 & 3 School Music Performance

6:15 PM Doors open

6:30 Grs. 1 & 3 Music Program

Friday-January 25

Sageville family teams meet to make Valentine's Cards for Stonehill residents

Friday Focus:

- Teachers will be working on the standards-based instruction and analyzing their data from the FAST assessment that was given this Tuesday.



The Martin family came out in full force to movie night!

Sageville's PTC

Thanks to our PTC members for organizing a successful movie night!

Save the date for our next event, a dance marathon, which will be held on Friday, February 8th at 6:00 PM.

More details will be coming!

Dance

DCSD Proclamation

WHEREAS, on Sunday, January 20, 2019, our community will celebrate the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., beginning with a gathering at Jackson Park at 12:30 p.m. and a march to witness the awards in the annual NAACP Tribute Contest; and

WHEREAS, on Monday, January 21, the Annual Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Breakfast will be held at the Grand River Center at 7:30 a.m. when keynote speaker Vincent Bacote, Ph.D. will present "An Antidote for America's Agitation" and

WHEREAS, in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., the King Center is urging people to reject all forms of hatred, bigotry and prejudice while pledging to do everything in their capacity to make America and the world a place where equality and justice, freedom and peace will grow and flourish; and

WHEREAS, we invite all citizens to join in keeping his dream alive by joining in the celebrations, dedicating their lives to creating the community of Dr. King's dream, and pledging a non-violent way of life in their dealings with all people.

Now therefore, I, Tami Ryan, on behalf of the Dubuque Community School District Board of Education, do hereby proclaim January 20 and 21, 2019, as:

Days of Great Celebration in Honor of Martin Luther King, Jr.

Signed this 14th Day of January, 2019.

Tami Ryan, *President* Board of Education



Lots of family smiles!

