Happy 100th Day of School! There are so many fun things happening in classrooms today! I would also have to say that there are some amazingly creative t-shirt designs around the building. I am impressed! Next week, I am hopeful that we can have a full week of school and get back to normalcy. With that being said, please remember that the final student day is now Friday, May 24th and will be a D Day. The Awards Assembly has been scheduled for May 22nd and Fun Day will be May 23rd. Stay warm this weekend and please call if you have any questions.

**Autism Awareness Month:**

April is Autism Awareness month.  Sagewood is going to recognize World Autism Day on Tuesday, April 2nd.  We want to give you the option to purchase a t-shirt for this special day/month.  The shirts cost $7.95. To order a shirt, click on the link below. Follow the link, pick your sizes, and you will be able to pay through the website.  **Orders must be placed by February 21st**.  The shirts will arrive at Sagewood at the end of March, and will then be distributed to your child to bring home.

Any questions, contact Hanna Blum (hblum1@epsne.org) or Michaela Koenig (mkoenig@epsne.org).

You can order your shirt here to participate in this shared order:

<http://www.workplacepro.com/S-COTL?SOSID=2537>

**Spring Conferences:**

Spring conferences will be held February 13th and 14th from 3PM-7PM. Will be using the online sign up again this semester. Attached is the explanation of how and when to sign up for a time.

# SchoolMessenger Alerts

Both the EPS District and each individual building regularly use a parent messaging system called SchoolMessenger to send emails and phone calls to parents, including monthly information about building happenings, as well as school closings.

If you did not receive a phone call and an email regarding our most recent School Cancellations, please reach out to your building secretary.

SchoolMessenger also allows recipients the option to “unsubscribe” from its mailing list; please understand that by “unsubscribing” you are completely removing your email address from ALL lists, including both District and building specific emails.

If you have previously unsubscribed and would like to begin receiving emails again, please let your building secretary know.

# Digital Calendars

As a reminder, all EPS activity and event information can be found by visiting [www.elkhornweb.org](http://www.elkhornweb.org/) and choosing the “Calendar” tab in the header. From there, click the building whose activities you are wanting to view.

Additionally, download the rSchool: Activity Scheduler app for easy mobile access to middle school and high school activities and events.

**Carnival**: Sponsored by Hy-Vee and Taylor Dentistry on May 3, 2019. Step right up and volunteer to chair this fun end of the year event. Contact Jaime at jmpithan@gmail.com for more details.

**PTO Meeting**: We hope you plan on attending the meeting on Monday, January 28th at 6:30pm. The Kindergarten teachers will be presenting. Kindergarten parents please plan on attending to hear the highlights from the teachers and for a chance for your students to earn a pizza party. There is also an attendance incentive to earn a discount on Carnival admission.  Childcare is provided.

**Yearbook**: Order your yearbook online at [www.blossom-books.com](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/hdDZf6WNg_ZdF-PuVaiSaA~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRdWFk_P0QdaHR0cDovL3d3dy5ibG9zc29tLWJvb2tzLmNvbS9XB3NjaG9vbG1CCgAAvyV3W_XYPw1SEWFteWpjNTJAZ21haWwuY29tWAQAAAAB). Click “Order My Yearbook “and use code 9A77965. **Deadline for orders is April 10th**. The link is also posted on the PTO website and the PTO Facebook page with the **Shop Now** button.