

# The AGMS Week at a Glance...



Dear Families,

**Track & Field** - Congratulations to all Avalanche Track team members who competed in the Track and Field season this year. We had great participation from a large group of athletes. Thank you also to all coaches, staff and parent volunteers who made the season a success!

**Grade 8 Recognition Ceremony** - The ceremony will take place at 10:30 am on Monday, June 26. A parent committee is organizing decorations and a lunch for the students afterwards. An email will go out on Monday, June 12 asking for contributions from Grade 8 parents for the student potluck lunch.

**Thank you Parents!** - We want say a huge thanks to all the parents who organized the *Staff Appreciation Luncheon* yesterday. Staff were very grateful for the delicious food at this busy time of year!



### Last Week of School June 26-29

We have an exciting week planned for the last week of school this year. Monday, June 26 will be the *Grade 8 Ceremony*, luncheon, dance, games room and karaoke room. Tuesday morning is *Airband Competition*; Tuesday afternoon is *Avalanche Games II*, an event that features teams playing each other in various snow related games - perfect for June! :) Wednesday is our *Annual Fun Day*, with inflatables and games on the field, and Thursday is *Gyro Beach Day*. Students are dismissed for the year at 2:45 pm that day. We would appreciate parents making sure students are at school to take part in these spirit-building activities this week, and to receive report cards that will be ready on June 29.

Rob Parker, Principal

**Attendance Line** - Please email [attendance62@sd61.bc.ca](mailto:attendance62@sd61.bc.ca) or phone **250-360-0725** and leave a message with your child's name, homeroom teacher and date/time of absence. Thank you.

	YOUR WEEK AT A GLANCE
Monday, June 12	12:06 pm Dance Club - Gym 3:45 pm After-school Monday Yoga Class 12:06 pm GSA Club Meet
Tuesday, June 13	Gr 7's Young Entrepreneurs Event in Gym
Wednesday, June 14	Gr 8 Overnight Music Trip in Vancouver
Thursday, June 15	Gr 8 Music Trip in Vancouver 12:06 pm Art/Cartoon Club
Friday, June 16	11:30 am Summit Strings leave for performance at Board Office



**JUNE 9, 2017**

**TEAM AVALANCHE**

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## **Upcoming Dates to Remember!**

**June 26:** Gr 8 Recognition Ceremony 10:30 am & Celebration

**June 29 :** Last day of school for students and Gyro Beach Day - dismissal is at 2:45 pm



Arbutus International Students experienced the BC woods and marshmallow roast at Goldstream Park this week. We have approximately 20 International Students who come from all over the world. They share their cultures with local students and very much add to our Global Education theme.

## **Outdoor Learning**

The new garden continues to take shape in front of our school. This project is the result of a grant that former Arbutus Sustainable Living teacher, Mme. Grenier, applied for two years ago. It will be a new gathering place for students to sit and enjoy, and will be large enough to hold classes as well.



**Track Team heading to UVic Stadium on Wednesday.**

## **Grade 7 Young Entrepreneurs Show—Tuesday, June 13th**

A reminder for student customers; it would be great to bring coins and small bills to the event. Parents, friends and family are all welcome to come too! Students will be selling from 9:30- 1:20 with regular recess and lunch breaks. There will be over 100 different business stalls!

Thank you!

The Grade 7 Team

