

# The AGMS Week at a Glance...



Dear Parents/Guardians:

**PAC Staff Appreciation Luncheon:** We are extremely grateful for the wonderful lunch provided by parents yesterday. It was very much appreciated at this busy time of year. Thank you to our PAC and parents for your generosity.



To Mr. Mazza, Mrs. Hill, and our student choir, for making it into the Top 10 Finalists for the **CBC Music Class Challenge!** The winners of the national competition will be announced Tuesday, December 18th!

**Arbutus Music:** Practices before school next week are cancelled. Students are invited to join in the optional Christmas Caroling outside the office each morning.

**Floating Classroom Series:** Thank you to Mr. Maxwell, who has started a new program with the District, to allow classes to do marine tours and lessons with local naturalists in a joint project with Eagle Wing Whale Watching Tours. Several classes from Arbutus will be taking part in this program. We are excited to have another way to explore place-based learning using our local waters.

Rob Parker, Principal



	YOUR WEEK AT A GLANCE
Monday, Dec. 17	12:06 pm Drama Club with Mrs. Forbes
Tuesday, Dec. 18	7:30 - 8:20 am Student Yoga Class in Cafeteria (drop ins welcome)
Wednesday, Dec. 19	1:00 pm APEX Winter Dance and Fun Afternoon Fundraiser for Our Place 3:00 - 4:00 pm Homework Club in Learning Centre (across from gym) Report cards go home
Thursday, Dec. 20	
Friday, Dec. 21	8:00 am Complimentary <i>Hot Chocolate</i> for students— <i>bring your own mug</i> 7:45 - 8:15 am Student Meditation Session in Cafeteria 12:06 pm Cookie Sales 12:06 pm Dance Club in the Gym with Mrs. Forbes
<b>PJ Day!</b>	

**ATTENDANCE** - Please remember to inform the office if your child will be late or absent. You can email to [attendance62@sd61.bc.ca](mailto:attendance62@sd61.bc.ca) or phone and leave a message on our call back line at 250-360-0725.



DECEMBER 14, 2018

TEAM AVALANCHE

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**Arbutus Global:**  
**Celebrating diversity;**  
**Seeking sustainability**



Mon. Jan. 7th  
Mon. Jan. 14th  
Tues. Jan. 15th  
  
Mon. Jan. 21  
Wed. Jan. 23  
  
Fri. Jan. 25  
Jan. 28 - Feb. 1

## January Dates to Remember:

First day back in 2019!  
Late French Immersion Info Night - 6:30 pm Richmond Elem.  
PAC Meeting at 7 pm in the Library, Challenge Program Info Night at Mount Douglas Secondary  
Pro D Day at Arbutus Global  
Music Program tour Campus View and Frank Hobbs, Student-Led Conferences - 11:51 Dismissal, AGMS Open House 7 pm  
Gr. 8 Ski Trip to Mount Washington  
Late French Immersion Registration Week

Our APEX Student Group is hosting a fundraiser **Winter Dance and Fun Afternoon** to raise funds for Our Place.

*Suggested student donation is a loonie or twonie.*

## Important SD61 Dates - Registration & Transfers:

<https://www.sd61.bc.ca/parent-student-resources/registration/registration-transfer-dates/>

## Late French Immersion Info Night and Registration Information:

<https://www.sd61.bc.ca/parent-student-resources/registration/late-french-immersion/>

**PJ Day  
&  
Hot Chocolate  
Fri. Dec. 21st**



**Bring your own Mug!**



Hoop Dancer Performance

Winter Celebrations at AGMS

