

**AMG Weekly Message**  
**June 17, 2022**

**Grade 5/6 - Aguiar**

Room 26 looked at our last Tough Topic of the year: The Refugee Experience. If you find yourself on the second floor, come check out our artwork. It's based on the book, *The Day the War Came*. This is a story of a young girl who was forced to become a refugee after war came to her town and turned it into rubble. The hashtag took off from the book and has people contributing artwork to show their support for schooling for refugee students. After reading the story, my students were shown the various artwork online and then did their own chair artwork working with mixed mediums, mainly water colours. To make this a cross-curricular topic, the class performed tableaus based on the book for drama class.



**Track and Field Week: June 6, 8, and 10th.**

What a glorious week to run, jump and have fun. On Monday, Wednesday and Friday all students from Grades 1-8 participated in Track and Field Day. It was great to see all the smiling, happy faces. A special shout out to the students in 8B and 8C who helped out as student leaders for the Junior and Primary Track and Field Days. The volunteers and teachers were all impressed with the friendliness and kindness of the Grade 8 leaders. Thank you to all the parents who made this happen.



AMG Council

It's the last parent council meeting of the year!

Agenda can be found [here](#)

Zoom info is below:

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Library Books Due Back! The students had a great year reading what they like and checking out some great library books this year!

Please look around for any library books and send them in!

Next year, we will run a summer borrowing program!

Thanks for all you support! Lori

### **Outdoor Learning Activities**

With summer fast approaching, students will be looking for things to do. Getting outside, where possible, is a great way to enjoy the summer and connect with others.

Parents/caregivers/guardians can help support outdoor learning at school and beyond. Time spent outdoors is beneficial to everyone and improves physical and mental health, and well-being. There are lots of great ways to get outside as a family and enjoy the physical and mental health benefits from being outdoors. Outdoor activities provide a much-needed screen break and can be as simple as taking a walk or sitting outside.

For suggestions on Outdoor Family Activities, check out the TDSB website:

<https://www.tdsb.on.ca/learningoutdoors/Resources-for-your-Family/Outdoor>