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Grade Reception: Learning is fun!



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ASSEMBLY:

Thank you to Ms Nadine Borchardt from NSRI who shared water saving tips and ideas with our children. They were reminded to use these safety measures in the pool, at the river and on the beach. Thank you Nadine! We always enjoy your visits to our school!

WOW READING CERTIFICATES:

We are so proud to have started our Reading Caterpillar in assembly this week! Please help our caterpillar grow weekly along the top of the hall wall by sitting with your child and reading together!



PARENT INFORMATION EVENING FOR ALL GR I and 2 PARENTS:

All **Grade I and 2 parents** are invited to our annual Information Evening at **17h30 today Wednesday**, **23**rd **January** in the school hall. This information meeting is an opportunity for all parents to see some of the work they have completed in the few days they have attended school and most importantly, a chance for you, besides meeting your child's Educator, to hear about the framework of the year's grade work and curriculum, an outline the daily program, Paired Reading procedures, methods of reporting and informing you of our **Class Representatives** (*POPs -Parents of the Prep School*)

We commence in the school hall at 17h30 and then you will proceed to your child's classroom. We look forward to meeting all our parents this evening! The meeting should end by 18h45. Please make use of the Gr R Campus parking (across the road from the school) "Babysitting" will be provided in the Senior Aftercare area.

SGB CONTACT DETAILS:

Please see email addresses of parent SGB governors below for your convenience and if you would like to communicate or contact any of the parent SGB governors.

Chairperson (Vanessa September) sgb-chair@campsbayprimary.co.za

Deputy Chair (Ina Tayler) sgb-communications@campsbayprimary.co.za

Secretary (Cathryn Hodgkinson) sgb-secretary@campsbayprimary.co.za

Treasurer (Nicolette Rotter) <u>sgb-treasurer@campsbayprimary.co.za</u>

Parent Representative (Caroline Krishanlall) sgb-inc.div@campsbayprimary.co.za

Co-Opted Parent member (Ashley Spencer-Smith) sgb-prep@campsbayprimary.co.za

CLASS REPS:

We will be requesting Gr I and 2 parents to volunteer as class reps at our **parent information meeting** this evening. Kindly consider helping us out this year as a class rep for your child's class. Collective and co-operative participation of parents works wonders in our special little school works! We require class reps from each class for each term or for the duration of the year.

Your class teacher will give you pointers as to how you can help us.

 Should you wish to get involved in the Parents Association? Find out more details by emailing sgbprep@campsbayprimary.co.z

POPS

Our first POPS meeting will be on Thurs 31 Jan at 08h00 in the school hall.

We look forward to lots of participation this year! Our first Snack Sale will be held on Thursday 7 February for Gr R Lyons and Gr I Yankelowitz at break time. Funds from these snack sales go directly to the classes for purchasing extra fun learning items and items for the teachers' Dip Boxes.

WELCOME:

We are delighted to welcome **Julianne Sikireta**, **Radhi Rylands** and **Raphael Viana** to our school and look forward to a long and happy association!

AFTERCARE:

Thank you to our dedicated aftercare staff: Vivienne Dlanga, Phillida Dudley, Michelle Fernandes, Eunice Kanyerere, Queen Manona, Evelyn Maradulu, Debbie Odumuko, Adele Potgieter and Shelley van Acker, for settling in all children into their afternoon routine.

The homework class takes place at 15h30 for Gr I and Gr 2 full-time aftercare children. Please have a look at your child's homework and kindly acknowledge their achievements.

Regrettably, aftercare staff cannot leave their posts to heat up food. It is advisable to pack in an extra healthy lunch and include extra water when your child attends aftercare.

EXTRA MURALS:

All extra murals commenced this week. We have a holding class on Tuesdays and Thursdays for the children who need to wait approximately 15 minutes for their extra mural Thank you to Ms Letti for running these classes so proficiently.

Please ensure that your child knows which extra-murals they shall be taking.

MINI-RUGBY: CHANGE OF STARTING DATE-

No lessons on 25th Jan. Lessons will start on Friday, 01 Feb.

SWIMMING:

Swimming starts on Friday, 25th January for all Grade I's and Monday, 28th January for all Gr R's and 2's.



Please ensure that your child has their costume, cap and goggles (optional). Gr I's and 2's may bring flip flops for the walk up to the pool. THANK YOU to all parents who are assisting alongside and in the pool.

Thank you to Wendy Way, Arja de Korte and Cathryn Hodgkinson for coaching our children in every swimming session.



FULL ATTENDANCE CUP:

Week 2 full attendance: Well done to **Gr R NL** (Ms Leeman's class)

Week I full attendance: Well done Gr 2 AP & Gr 2RB (Ms Peter and Mrs Byrnes' class)

WOW CERTIFICATES:

We say well done and keep reading to:

GR R: Shani Botha

GR I: Joshua Cherry (X2)

GR 2: Nemieke Botha, Mikhayla Muetheno, Graydon Swift

COURTESY CUP:

Congratulations to the following children for doing the right thing even when it is hard.

GR R: Eva Bagley, Patrick Maughan, Cataleya Rosenberg

GR 1: Joshua Argirakis, Blake Stempowski, Isabella Wener

GR 2: Lucas D'Ambrosio, Cindy Moyo, Will Tremeer

MONITORS:

We say well done to the following learners as they help to make our school a safe place:

Pablo Augoustides, Farah Barnes, Emma Brownlee, Adrian Bvonyongwa, Kate Hermann, Alex Venter

Wed	23/01	Parent Info Meeting Gr I & 2	17h30 Prep School Hall
Fri	25/01	Swimming starts Gr I	We welcome all parents who are willing to assist in or
			alongside the pool.
Mon	28/01	Swimming starts for Gr R &	We welcome all parents who are willing to assist in or
		Gr 2	alongside the pool.
Thur	31/01	POPS Meeting	08h00 Prep School Hall
Thur	07/02	Snack sale	Gr R Lyons & Gr I Yankelowitz during break
Mon	11/02	Assembly @ 08h00 am	Gr 2 of 2018 will visit our school
Thur	14/02	Civvies Day	Children may come to school wearing hearts/red or
			white and send some money for our Guide Dogs
			Charity
Thur	14/02	Valentine's Day Assembly @	Guide Dog Association will visit our school.
		10h00	

PARENT INFORMATION EVENINGS:

Grade I & 2 parents/guardians will meet on Wednesday, 23rd January at 17:30

These meetings are of **UTMOST IMPORTANCE** to both existing and new families.

You will be addressed by Mr Collier, SGB, Finance Department, our Parents Association and Mrs Murray in the school hall then proceed to your child's class and meet with your child's Educator. Parents with children in more than one class, are welcome to move from class to class to hear both teacher's information. **This is not to discuss individual's progress**-it is a general information evening to guide you in the year forward. In total the evening will last for approximately I and half hours and end before 7pm. Parking is available on the Gr R Campus across the road. Please refrain from parking on the red lines. "Babysitting" will be available for those families who cannot make other arrangements.

DONATIONS NEEDED:

In the interests of keeping the property secure, Tabiso Mdlalo (Mr T), a support staff member presently employed at Camps Bay Primary has relocated and is staying on the former CBBC property after hours as an interim measure. Please could you assist by donating any of the following items: a large fridge/freezer, double bed linen, two plate stove, kettle, crockery and cutlery, x2 bar chairs and television. Please contact Gail Bester on bester@campsbayprimary.co.za if you can assist with any of the items. Thanking you for your support.

BREAD BAG TAGS AND PLASTIC BOTTLE TOPS:

Thank you Rebecca Allderman, Caitlin Allderman, Adam Halliford, Ryan Foster, Siena Mallia (3year old learner from Kids on the Bay), Nevena Milojevic and Declan Tucker for dropping off bread bag tags and bottle tops at reception this week.

PRAYER FOR SCHOOLS: MESSAGE FROM MRS HODGKINSON.

Everyone is welcome to join a group who pray for the Camps Bay Schools, **every Monday morning** at the church across the road (enter from the Central Drive side) from the Prep Campus from **07:45 - 08:30.** Time is flexible so come and go as it suits you.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY:

One who smiles rather than angers is always stronger. - Chinese Proverb -

Best Wishes, Linda Murray Head of the Preparatory Campus



MINI-ADS..... Donation of R30 p/week for an insert. Thank you!

CANVAS CLUB ARTS & CRAFTS CLASSES

Canvas Club encourages innovative thinking and problem solving by taking arts & crafts to the next level. We use a wide variety of materials to take children on a magical creative journey of building explosively awesome crafts such as rockets, robots, fairy wings, musical instruments and many more! Join us for the term at 36 Camp Street, Tamboerskloof. Ages 18 months - 6 years, with adult: Tuesdays 16:00 - 16:45, Wednesdays 10:00 - 10:45 and Thursdays 16:00 - 16:45 Ages 6 - 10, drop off: Mondays 15:00 - 16:00 and Thursdays 14:00 - 15:00 R100 per class, all materials included. Book online: www.canvas.club or mail us at info@canvas.club Visit our website for more info on our classes, arty birthday parties and events: www.canvas.club

GYM WIZARDS:

Gym Wizards offers fun filled gymnastics classes for boys and girls at the German School, Tamboerskloof.

Monday and Wednesday afternoons- call for times and to try it out!

Whatsapp 073 9768577 | Ph: 021 532 1832 | Email admin@gymwizards.co.za

HOME RENOVATIONS AND HANDYMAN SERVICES:

JM Contracting is a home and apartment renovations, maintenance and handyman service company located in Green Point, servicing the Atlantic Seaboard area.

Please contact Julian on 073 805 1822 or julian.mouers@gmail.com for a quote.

KARATE FOR CHILDREN:

Give your child an advantage; counter bullying, create confidence, self-esteem and co-ordination, but above all it has to be fun! Karate classes 5 days a week in Green Point. Boys and girls from 4 years upwards. Phone Shihan Bas van Stenis 021 439 4635 or 083 538 5643 or email bas@kyokushincapetown.co.za Visit website for more info: www.karatekyokushin.za.org — We prefer teaching children at our club as the environment is more conducive to instil the necessary discipline essential in learning martial arts.

KIDS WHO CAN - Teaching children coping skills for life: 8 week course for boys and girls

aged 4 - 6 & 7 - 10 years CITY BOWL (4 - 6): Wednesdays from 2:30pm to 3:30pm, starting 23 January 2019 CITY BOWL (7 - 10): Tuesdays from 4:00pm to 5:30pm, starting 22 January 2019 HOUT BAY (7 - 10): Thursdays from 4:00pm to 5:30pm, starting 29 January 2019 GIRLS WHO CAN - Preparing girls for Adolescence: 8 week course for girls aged 11 - 13 years CAMPS BAY: Wednesdays from 4:30pm to 6:30pm, starting 23 January 2019

<u>BOYS WHO CAN</u> - Preparing boys for Adolescence: 8 week course for boys aged 11 - 13 years CITY BOWL: Tuesdays from 4:30pm to 6:30pm, starting 22 January 2019 For further information, please contact Julie on 084 245 0966 or emailadmin@kidswhocancommunity.co.za or view our website www.kidswhocancommunity.co.za