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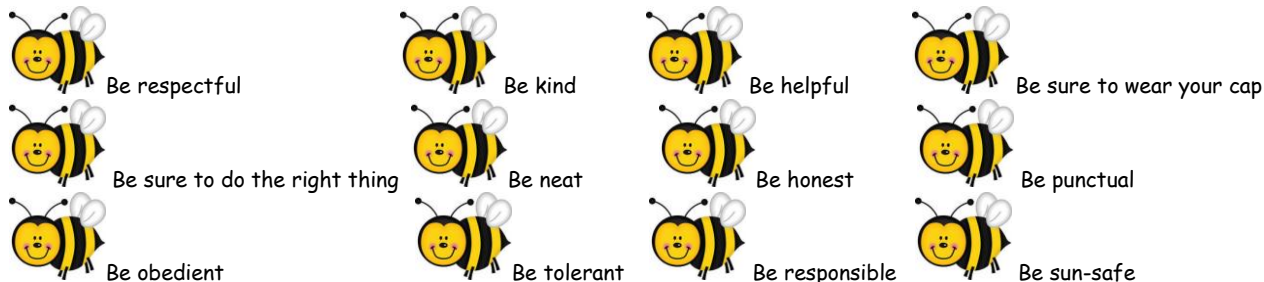
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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Thank you to all the Grade 1 and 2 parents who attended our Parent Information Evening last Wednesday. We at Camps Bay Prep have a close working relationship between teacher and parents and guardians; we both have the common goal of happy, fun filled learning and self-fulfilled content children.

In assembly we went over our school “bee” rules. We help our children “do the right thing” by having 12 simple bee rules:



Please assist us in helping our children adopt these skills, attitudes and values that are not only school rules but life skills applicable beyond the school gate.

**THANK YOU:**

To ALL our class reps for distributing our first electronic 2017 newsletter.  
*Hard copies are available to families who require this format.*

**CLASS REPS:**

Our first POPs meeting will be on **Thurs 2 Feb at 08h00** in the prep school hall.  
*We look forward to lots of participation this year! Please join us!*

**SIBLINGS TO BE ENROLLED FOR 2018:**

Our enrolment process of new learners into our school for 2018 will commence from Monday, 06 Feb. If you have a child (sibling) who is age appropriate for our school i.e. 5 turning 6 for Grade R or 6 turning 7 for Grade 1, *please collect an application form from the secretary’s office, alternatively request a form by emailing [admin@campsbayprep.co.za](mailto:admin@campsbayprep.co.za) to be sure that your child’s name is included on our list.*



**VALENTINES DAY:**

Please diarise **Tuesday 14th February as our Valentines Civvies Day.**

We support The Guide Dog Association as our Term 1 charity. Our children may come dressed in red and white civvies or/and wearing hearts for this occasion. On Wednesday 15 February we will meet Ms Cairie and her guide dog “Willa” at 10h00 in a mini assembly in our school hall, in which we will hand over our donations to the Guide Dog Association.



Thank you to Ms Pereira for co-ordinating our Valentine’s Day Charity Day.

We encourage you to please send a donation with your child for this charity on *Tuesday, 14th February.*

**EXTRA MURALS:**

As we enter week 2 of our full and very varied Extra Mural Program, please ensure that your child knows **what they do and what day they do it on.** We have listings of all our children’s extra murals and always assist when they are confused or unsure of where to go.

**SWIMMING:**



Thank you to the many parents who are assisting us in and out of the pool with these very important and essential lessons. Thank you to Wendy Way and her coaches for their expertise, patience and time with our 242 children every week!! We can’t do it without you!!

## SCHOOL INDIVIDUAL PHOTOGRAPHS:

- Our school photographer will be taking individual photographs of our **Gr 1** children on **Monday, 13/02**.
- **Gr R & Gr 2** photographs will be taken on **Friday, 17/02**.

Please send your child's FAVOURITE TOY with them to school for these photographs. You will be reminded in the homework book (Gr 1's & 2's and Message book Gr R's). Full correct uniform Gr 1's & 2's is to be worn as there is NO sport/swimming on Mondays and Fridays during curriculum time for these particular grades photograph dates.

## MONITORS:

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

**Elijah Day, Francis Gray, Gia Roberts, Alessandro Rosolen, Hannah Segal, Darya Yatsenka**

## WOW CERTIFICATES - We say well done and keep reading to -

GR R: **Iriyana Adams, Keane Barkley, Jamie Botha, Andrew Collins, Sarah Dzitiro, Michaan Naylor**

GR 1: **Nikita Kjellqvist, Safiyah Variawa (X10)**

GR 2: **Amy McWilliam (X2), Caleb Pillay, Gia Roberts, Blake Slabber**

## COURTESY CUP:

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

GR R: **Georgia Mackenzie, Mikhayla Muetheno, Michaan Naylor**

GR 1: **Nikita Kjellqvist, Roxy Lezar, David Tshenodi**

GR 2: **Sebastian Bohm, Adam Edwards, Sebastian Strong**



## GREEN CARDS:

Well done to the following boys and girls for completing 10 sets of right choices in earning green discipline card!

GR 1: **Anisha Bowry, Ethan Chidavarume, Nia-Logan Damons, Samuel Graham, Oscar Legrux, Kieran Lucas, David Tshenodi**

GR 2: **Christian Bohm, Sebastian Bohm, Joshua Chadwick, Siloh Ferguson, Nelio Gaultier, Finlay Johnstone, Liam Kliche, Seheil Krishanlall, Loveness Madzatunya, Benjamin McKay (X2), Daniella Muyombo, Blake Slabber, Oliver Smith, Sebastian Strong, Hunter Tait, Scott Yeoman**

## BIRTHDAY BOOKS:

Thank you so much **Joshua Chadwick** (Gr 2RB)) for donating 8 birthday books to our Library.

We are going to enjoy sharing these lovely books with all your friends at school.

## MARKING POSSESSIONS:

**Please mark clearly ALL articles of clothing (including socks, shoes, caps, swimming costumes, towels and underwear), as well as all other personal items with your child's name, especially lunch boxes and juice bottles. Many items land up in lost property cupboard on the front veranda.**

**All un-named and unclaimed items get donated at the end of each term. Let's endeavour to keep lost items to a minimum.**

## DATES TO DIARISE:

Thu	02/02	POPS meeting	08:00 in our Prep School Hall
Tue	07/02	SGB Meeting	17:15 at Camps Bay Primary School-Principal's office
Mon	13/02	Individual photograph's	Gr 1 learners
Tue	14/02	Valentine's Day	Dress in red/white or hearts and send a donation for Guide Dogs Charity.
Wed	15/02	Guide dog charity	At assembly 10:00-10:30 in the school hall.
Fri	17/02	Individual photograph's	Gr R and Gr 2 learners
Fri	24/02	Prep and Primary picnic/braai	Camps Bay High School field from 16h00 onwards

## BREAD BAG TAGS:

Thank you to all who have been saving them and dropping them off at the office. Thank you **Justine Drake** for sending huge packets of bread-tags to the office. Remember 50kg of bread tags = 1 wheelchair for a disabled child.

### ➤ 9 HABITS OF PARENTS WHOSE KIDS THRIVE AT SCHOOL:

#### Habit 1: They Create a Learning Rich Environment at home:

Children who are read to learn a lot about reading long before they learn to read. Children learn everything from... which direction words are read on a page.... to pronunciation and... context, from being read to.

Children benefit from having books slightly beyond their reading level read to them.



**Talking** with your child regularly provides further language skills. It also gives you child an emotional connection with you. You can share your wisdom and experience with your child. You get to see into their world when you talk with them. Regular conversation with you teaches them valuable conversation skills, including how to relate to people outside of their own age group. Effective parents also build early maths and science skills in their children. Doing home activities that require math skills, like cooking, gardening, putting in petrol, supermarket prices, counting knives /forks etc help children to feel confident and enhance learning.

Best Wishes,  
Linda Murray

Head of the Preparatory Campus

**MINI-ADS.....** Donation of R30 p/week for an insert'

**ATTENTION ALL AIR BNB OWNERS:**

Kiff Kombi Tours (072 213 3888) has just launched in early 2017 and has already been rated top 10 Day Tours in Cape Town by [CapeTownMagazine.Com](http://CapeTownMagazine.Com). Please get into contact with Drew ([drew@kiffkombitours.co.za](mailto:drew@kiffkombitours.co.za)) who can supply flyers for your air bnb guests. Scheduled and private tours available!

**CABLE CONNECTION:**

DSTV installations, HD conversions, soundbars, home theatre and Internet. Contact Rouvaun Cornelius 082 499 0232.

**CAMPS BAY SALES & RENTALS:** Please call Tane on 078 488 0404 or email [collinspropertiesforsale@gmail.com](mailto:collinspropertiesforsale@gmail.com) or [collinspropertiesforrent@gmail.com](mailto:collinspropertiesforrent@gmail.com)

1) Camps Bay House for Rent: 3 beds, 2 baths, separate living/dining area. Garden & double lock up garage. Pet friendly, beautiful views. Available 1 Feb 2017 for long lease. Unfurnished. R33,000 per month.

2) Camps Bay House Wanted For Buyer.

3 Beds & garden. Budget: R10 Million.

3) Camps Bay House For Sale: R22 Million. Spectacular 3/4 Bed home with sea, beach & mountain views plus separate studio.

4) Camps Bay Vacant Land For Sale: R7.9 Million. Stunning sea views.

5) Camps Bay House For Sale: R11.995 Million. 4 Beds 3 Baths. Separate apartment. Pool & garden. Lease in place. Vacant occupation: 1 Jan 2018.

*A donation will be made to a school-related cause for every property transaction referred by the school, their staff or their parents.*

**CHILDHOOD NUTRITION:**

Food habits and nutritional knowledge parallel cognitive development as the relationship with food is established in childhood and carried into adult life.

**Thomas Sheehy** is a natural health practitioner specializing in diet, nutrition and lifestyle education. He offers practical advice on how to deliver adequate nutrition and establish positive food habits for children from infancy through to adolescence. [www.naturalhealth21.com](http://www.naturalhealth21.com) / 071 877 0019

**ERA ROPE ACCESS:**

Era Rope Access (Pty) Ltd. offers the following Services Interior and Exterior decoration: \*Rigging \*Painting \*Signage \*Bolt Torqueing \*High Pressure Cleaning \*Electrical Installation \*Birds Proofing \*Sand Blasting \*Joint Sealing \*Dusting. Safety. Quality. Affordable. Reasonable. Returns  
Contact 0788 231 038, Email: [ibrahimathuman@yahoo.com](mailto:ibrahimathuman@yahoo.com)

**GYM WIZARDS:**

Gym Wizards Gymnastics - for Stronger, Fitter, Smarter Kids!!

Gym Wizards offers recreational gymnastics that involves tumbling and trampoline for children from the age of 4 years and up to develop their discipline, co-ordination, motor learning, physical strength, social skills as well as new friendships.

Classes offered in CAMPS BAY [From age 4 up] and TAMBOERSKLOOF [From Grade 1 up]. Contact us to book a Trial lesson today!

Call 021 785 2003 Email: [capetown@gymwizards.co.za](mailto:capetown@gymwizards.co.za) / [www.gymwizards.co.za](http://www.gymwizards.co.za)

**HOUSE-KEEPER'S/ AU-PAIRS AVAILABLE:**

- Kindly contact Zonke Nogemane 071 980 3153 or 073 657 0074 (*resides in Hout Bay, with references*), available full-time.

- Lucy available to assist in Camps Bay area (has references), 078 743 3881 / 079 432 2645.

- Juliet Tigere (Micheyla Mabheka's aunt – has references) 084 886 0060, cooking and first-aid experience.

**KARATE FOR CHILDREN:**

Give your child an advantage, counter-bullying, create confidence, self-esteem, but above all it has to be FUN! Karate classes 5 days a week in Green Point. Boys and girls from 4 years upwards. Contact Shihan Bas van Stenis 021 439 4635 or 083 538 5643. R850 per term. Visit the website [www.karatekyokushin.za.org](http://www.karatekyokushin.za.org). Lessons are taught at the club as the environment is more conducive to instil the necessary discipline essential in learning martial arts.

**KIDZ DISCOVERY:**

Kidz Discovery's registered Bridging BrightStart School for 2,5 to 5,5 year olds (including Pre-R) have some spaces left for 2018 in our school in The Drive Camps Bay. Please apply early to avoid disappointment. We also offer age-appropriate, dynamic full Child Development programs and weekly Baby, Toddler and Pre-School Preparedness classes (school-with-mom afternoon classes for those not ready), with a passion for fun learning. Our multi-medium Art classes for 6 to 12 year olds are offered as an extra mural on Tuesday afternoons 3h30 to 5pm. Please contact Kathy on 0836542494 and email your details to [info@kidzdiscovery.co.za](mailto:info@kidzdiscovery.co.za). We invite the Camps Bay community and all ex-Kidz Discovery parents over the years to celebrate Kidz Discovery's 18<sup>th</sup> birthday at our Kiddies Fun(d)Raiser Festival on Sunday 26 March from 11 am in the Camps Bay tennis and Bowling clubs. Stall owners are also welcome to contact us.

**SPARKLE PARTIES FOR GIRLS:**

Sparkle Parties offers fabulous age-appropriate Pamper Parties and Disney Princess entertainers for children aged between 3-13, held at your home. We have a range of different party packages to suit your needs, plus decor and cakes available. Please visit our website [www.sparkleparties.co.za](http://www.sparkleparties.co.za), email [info@sparkleparties.co.za](mailto:info@sparkleparties.co.za) or phone us on 061 369 0919 for more details.