



CAMPS BAY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

It is difficult to believe that Term 1 is nearly over. It has been a very busy yet successful term. Well done to all our children who produced such glowing Term 1 reports and thank you to all the teachers and staff for their hard work and commitment as well as to all the parents for your positive support.

Enclosed with your child's report at the end of the term for your convenience and planning will be the following document:

- **Term 2 Calendar - School starts Tuesday 2 April 2019.**

SCHOOL CLOSING TIMES FOR NEXT WEEK:

Monday 11th, Tuesday 12th and Wednesday 13th March: normal time at 14h30.

Thursday 14 March: at 1pm.

Friday 15 March: 11am.

REPORTS:

Term 1 reports for **Grades 3 to 7** will be available for collection by parents on **Thursday 14 March 2019** in the **Hall from 1pm – 2pm**. School will close at 1pm on that day.

PARENT/TEACHER MEETINGS:

Teacher/Parent Meetings will take place at the start of term 2 on **Wednesday 3 April 2019 from 13h30 to 17h00**. **Parents can make appointments (10 minute time-slots) with your child's teacher when collecting the report or alternatively bookings can be made at the start of next term with Rene at reception.**

PICNIC/BRAAI SOCIAL:

The weather cleared and it was a perfect evening for the picnic/braai on Friday night. Many parents enjoyed a relaxing picnic and braai on the Camps Bay High School field. It was a great social evening for parents, teachers and friends. The children had an awesome time running wild on the large field and playing soccer. The children enjoyed fun rides on side-cars and had fun with glow-sticks in the dark and some of the older children danced to DJ Prophet's music! **A BIG THANK YOU** to Gillian Pringle and Laura Pronk and the POPS mothers as well as Michelle Fernandes PTA and Tuckshop mothers for all their hard work planning and organising the Picnic/Braai. Thank you to all the parents who assisted to make it such an enjoyable social and fun evening. Well done and special thanks to Jason Abrahams and his team of support staff for setting up and packing away at the end of the event.

SWIMATHON:

Swim your hearts out!

Camps Bay Primary will be holding a Swimathon on **Thursday 14 March 2019** to raise money for an upgrade of the school pool's roof and changing rooms. Get your family, friends and neighbours to sponsor your child for every lap they complete. Parents are invited to join in the fun and swim too. Sponsorship forms were sent home last week. Exciting prizes for classes that raise the most money, as well as students, parents and teachers who complete the most laps! Join in and be a part of this wonderful event.

WCED SYSTEMIC TEST RESULTS: WELL DONE!

I am very pleased to inform you that Camps Bay Primary excelled in the WCED systemic tests written by Grade 3 and Grade 6 last year. These tests are used as performance indicators by the WCED and as benchmarks at the end of each respective phase: Grade 3 at end of Foundation Phase, Grade 6 at the end of Intermediate Phase and Grade 9 at the end of the GET Phase. The results scored by the Grade 3 and 6 classes were excellent this year and I am particularly proud of the efforts of all the teachers (not only the grade 3 & 6 teachers) but all the teachers from Grades R to 6 that have laid the foundation for our children to excel. The WCED Circuit Manager commended the school on the excellent results!

The results are as follows:

Grade 3: Mathematics 89.7% and English 92.3% of children obtained the pass requirement of 50%. The Grade 3 class scored an average of 77.6% in Mathematics and an average of 72.1% in English language.

Grade 6: In Mathematics 80% and in English 83.1% of children obtained the pass requirement of 50%. The Grade 6 class of 2018 obtained averages of 69.1% in Mathematics and 65% in the English Language test. We have compared our results with other schools in quintile 5 which are schools that are similar to our school and CBPS compares extremely favourably.

Well done to Mrs Visagie (Head of Academics), all the teachers and to the learners in Grades 3 & 6 in 2018 – you have made us proud and we will continue to “Strive for the Highest” academically in the classroom.

SUMMER SPORTS PHOTOGRAPHS:

Colin Sunkel will be at the school to take summer sports and class photographs on **Monday 11 March**. **SCHOOL UNIFORM** needs to be worn to school on Monday for the class photographs. Kindly ensure that your child looks neat and tidy and has all of the correct uniform and sports kit at school for the photographs.



ICE LOLLIES/ICE BITES FOR GRADE 7 FAREWELL FUNDRAISER:

Ice lollies/Ice bites will be sold every day after school for R5 each for the Grade 7 Farewell fundraising.

IMPORTANT DATES TO DIARISE FOR THE FOLLOWING TWO WEEKS:



Fri 8 March	No Assembly
Mon 11 March	Summer Sports & class photos
Tues 12 March	Inter-house General Knowledge Quiz
Wed 13 March	Gr 3 Excursion CB Beach 8:30 – 12:30
Thurs 14 March	Reports issued in hall 13h00-14h00
Fri 15 March	Assembly 10h00 School closes 11h00

Please consult Term 2 calendar, enclosed with your child's report, for further dates in Term 2.

SCHOOL CLOSSES on Friday 15 March at 11am.

SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR TERM 2 ON TUESDAY 2 APRIL 2019.

Proudly Camps Bay Primary

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. Collier".

PRINCIPAL

Thought for the week:

“It’s not how much we do, but how much love we put in the doing. It is not how much we give, but how much love we put in the giving”

- Mother Teresa



SELLING BEE

PAWS ON THE PROMENADE DOG WALK:

Furry friends and humans are invited to join the Mdzananda Animal Clinic and Vondi's Holistic Pet Nutrition for a fundraising dog walk along one of Cape Town's most scenic routes - the Sea Point promenade. The walk starts at 9am at the Mouille Point Lighthouse and is a 5km walk to the Sea Point Swimming Pool and back. Various turnaround points will be available for older or injured dogs (or humans).

Last year 300 dogs and 464 humans joined. We hope just as many, or even more, will join us this year.

All funds raised go to the Mdzananda Animal Clinic based in Khayelitsha to treat up to 700 community pets per month.

Tickets are R50 pp / R50 pdog / R25 kids under 12

Dress like your favourite animal or wear something orange

Tickets can be purchased at www.qkt.io/pawsonprom2019, at Vondi's in Sea Point or on the day from 8am.

For more info contact info@mdzananda.co.za

FACILITATOR AND TUTOR:

Experienced Facilitator available to assist your child Improve in class in mornings.

Top Tutor: Afrikaans, English & Maths. All learning areas in afternoons.

City Bowl Vicinity Contact Taryn 079 288 1475

GARDENER LOOKING FOR WORK:

Gardener looking for work on Fridays. Zama has worked for me for many years and is reliable, trustworthy and needs minimal supervision. Please contact him on 081 809 7692. For reference please call Angie on (083) 309-6346.

KYOKUSHIN KARATE:

New classes with Shihan Mike Shuttleworth / Shihan Jason Dawes. Our fully equipped dojo studio at 186 Bree Street (above Switch Gym) has kid's classes on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons 15:00 – 16:00. Two weeks free trial, please quote Camps Bay Advert. Contact Michael 083 3243320 or Jason 083 3998171.

CAMPS BAY SOCIAL NETBALL:

Camps Bay Social Netball are looking to recruit some mums! This fun group meets on Camps Bay Primary courts on Symonds Fields on Monday nights at 5.30pm. All levels (except for complete beginners) are welcome. No problem if you've not played for 20 years!

Cost: R200 for the year (first session is free Contact: Laura at lad22ld@yahoo.co.uk, with 'netball' in the heading)

PLASTERER/PAINTER AND SKIMMER SEEKING WORK:

My name is Tatenda and I am looking for work as plaster, painter and I also do skimming. I have 7 years experience and good references. For more info please do not hesitate to contact me on 073 936 7710 You won't regret it.

I look forward to hearing from you.

HOCKEY STICK & HOCKEY BAG FOR SALE:

R250 for both. Colour of both pink.

In very good condition.

Perfect for beginner.

Contact Natalie Goldie 083 5000499

EXCELLENT CHAR AND COOK AVAILABLE:

Rose cooks very tasty meals, she cleans and tidies energetically, and is well spoken in English. Honest, sweet and has a lovely but quiet personality. I can highly recommend her. Please call me for a ref: Sue 083 325 6779

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DOMESTIC NANNY/CLEANING LADY SEEKING 2 ADDITIONAL DAYS WORK - TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS:

Gcobisa has been working for us since 2012 when my son was 4 years old. She is completely trustworthy, reliable, young at heart and always cheerful. She works hard and cleans energetically.

Please contact Gcobisa directly on 071 489 3693 to arrange a trial day.

Or Beth on 072 847 5075 or bethswanepoel@gmail.com if you would like a reference.

AFFORDABLE HOLIDAY ACCOMMODATION AVAILABLE ON THE GARDEN ROUTE:

Holiday cottage in tranquil village of Sedgefield. Close to the lagoon and walking distance to the beach. R850 per night sleeps 6 (or max 8). A perfect spot to relax after a busy term cycling, hiking, fishing, birdwatching, surfing. Contact Bridget 0823306255 or ofhc@mweb.co.za