

# **NEWSLETTER**

**27 January 2023** 

### **Upcoming Events**

- World Read Aloud Day 1 February
- Inter-School Gala 3 February
- Inter-School Athletics 6 February
- Junior Gala 16 February
- Open Day 22 February Invite interested friends.

## **EXTRA MURAL START UP 2023**









### FROM THE SPORTS OFFICE

The Primary School in has been a hub of activity with the start of our extramural programme this week. There have been a large number of signups for the various activities and after a week of exposure I trust that all the learners were able to get into the rhythm of all the activities.

We will be sending home the lists showing activity signups so that you have clarity as to which activity your child has been signed up to and attended this week. If there are any discrepancies, please email me at sport@campsbayprimary.co.za.

We will be participating in our first set of fixtures next

week with our Relay Gala taking place on Friday, 3 February at the Wendy Way Aquatic Centre from 2pm - 3:15pm. Another major event taking place for our school is the Inter-Schools Athletics event which will take place on Monday, 6 February at Jan van Riebeeck High School from 8am until approximately 2:30pm.

A friendly reminder that the Prep extramural activities start on THANK YOU! Monday, 30 January.



### THANK YOU FOR THE 26 IPADS!

Thanks to the magnificent work done by our Fund Raising Committee and all of you, our parents, we were able to complete the purchase for the new set of iPad's for the Prep. This is in line with our strategy in terms of widening access to technology at school and leveraging this to assist with relevant and exciting learning. Thank you to all those who supported this initiative.

### PARENT MEETINGS

Thank you to all our parents who attended the meetings held over the last two weeks. Your support and attendance was appreciated.

### **LUNCH BUDDIES**

Our Lunch Buddies Programme is an important part of how our school embraces diversity and enables children of all backgrounds to be a part of the school family.

If you would like to be involved in this initiative, you are encouraged to email Antonia Zechner on antonia@grovation.com



### THE PTA NEEDS YOU!

Please join us on Thursday morning at 8am in the Primary School hall for our first meeting of the year. All parents and guardians are welcome, especially if you have energy, ideas or expertise to offer! (Next term's meeting will be in the evening for any working parents who are keen to join.)

There are many easy ways to support the school if you don't have time to be part of the PTA:

- Join Lunch Buddies and provide a few packed lunches once a term contact Antonia Zechneron 071 151 4961.
- Sign up for a Woolworths MySchool card and make Camps Bay Primary School the beneficiary (or if you already have a Woolworths card ensure CBPS is the beneficiary)
- Email us (<a href="mailto:ptahead@campsbayprimary.co.za">ptahead@campsbayprimary.co.za</a>) with any suggestions, offers to help, useful contacts anything and everything you contribute has a positive impact on CBPS.

Friday 24 February is our annual school picnic - this year it will be on the Prep School field. Bring a blanket, pack a picnic basket and cooler box, and enjoy some relaxed time together. See you there!

### **GRADE 3 First full week in "BIG SCHOOL"**



# Busy with our Number sense 9 cell model: number sense work, mat work and working with manipulatives- Mosaics.



### FIRST ENVIROMENTAL CLUB MEETING

There are lots of exciting activities that we will be doing in the weeks to follow. The aim of this club is to raise awareness of environmental issues such as pollution and to educate as to how to create a more sustainable planet.







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# What happens in an Experi-Buddies class?

The goal during this time is to:

have as much FUN as possible.

give each child an opportunity to do at least one experiment on their OWN.

do at least one experiment that has a "WOW" factor. do experiments that cover various scientific fields such as Chemistry, Physics, Geology, Biology, Meteorology and Astronomy.

give a basic explanation of the science behind each experiment.



At the end of each lesson every child receives an "Experi-Baq" to take home. This consists of:

a weekly letter to parents explaining what we have done in class. This will provide you with the background knowledge to discuss the topic urther at home. a simple experiment with instructions that can be done at home OR the result of an experiment that was done in class.

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Cost: R2 850 (2-month payment plan available)

### FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO BOOK A SPACE:

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**OBJECTIVES** 

**BENEFITS** 

### CLASSES INCLUDE:

"Clay has always been on of her favoured activities and our house is packed full of beautiful creations..." -Patricia

"Just wanted to take this moment to thank you for all the wonderful lessons... we will both treasure our pottery!" - Nicky & Lily

"Thank you so much for last year. Adam thoroughly enjoyed all his classes with you." - Debbie

### Children's quotes

"Can I go wash my hands? They feel funny!"

I am not my usual self today. I am usually more talkative"

"I didn't scratch (the clay), but I was lucky because I

"Can you help me make a ball with this big clay?"

"Why do you always wear that skirt?"

# Sclay creations

### Camps Bay Primary School Prep Campus

Reception Grade & Grade 2 Grade 1 13.30 pm - 14.15 pm 14.15 pm - 15.00 pm

Fees: R1460 / 8 lessons

Outside on the Patio - Reception Grade Campus

Our main objective is for the children to experience the medium of clay, to have fun while learning the techniques of building. The children make functional ware as well as fun pieces - favourite subjects include animals or magical creatures and scenes built on a flat slab. Don't get me started on how much they love painting - "it's about the journey, not the destination!"

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I offer 45 / one-hour lessons with one project being completed each week (we build and paint in the same lesson). The children's glazed work is returned to them every week. (expect at the beginning of term, which takes 2 weeks). Lessons are set out at the beginning of the term and include:

- making pinch pots
- building with coils (sausages)
- working with slabs )flat pieces of clay)

Each project is brought back to my studio to be dried, fired and glazed.



### **CONTACT COLLEEN HULLEY:**

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