



# CAMPS BAY HIGH SCHOOL



## Newsletter # 29\_2018

**31 August 2018**

### Dear Parents

We handed out Cultural Awards in assembly on Monday. I was very pleased to see the large number of pupils who received certificates for their performance in the Cultural area of the school. The list will be published in next week's newsletter.

### Grade 11 Fashion Show

Last night, the Grade 11s launched their fashion show, themed 'Mass Media'. I had the privilege of a front row seat and we were treated to a wonderful evening of entertainment.

The Grade 11s had added a 'performance' element to 'each scene' and this kept the audience cheering and clapping. One group followed another, performing their moves to a wide range of music genre's.

We made a ruling years ago that this is a Grade 11 fashion show and so only Grade 11s can participate. This has meant that each and every Grade 11 had to 'man up' and get out there on the ramp. I am so proud of them, many pupils who normally avoid the limelight 'overcame their fears' and participated enthusiastically in this year's wonderful show. If you are still going to see it, believe me you will be thoroughly entertained.

A big thank you to the Grade 11 class for all this hard work. To the Tutors and Grade Heads who have spent hours supervising these practises and to Mrs Bernal and her friend Elana Drago who brought a level of professionalism to each scene that just elevated the entire show. We cannot forget to thank all the grade 11 parents who have also given up their time and expertise.

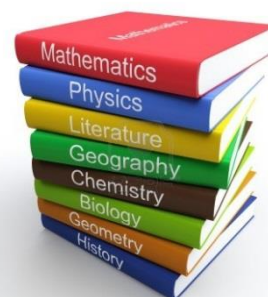


### Matric Prelims

Today is the last 'normal' day for the Matrics as they start their prelim exams on Monday. We wish them every success as they approach the 'last lap' of their high school career. These days there is so much pressure on our Matrics as they compete for places at Universities and other Higher Education Institutions, that stress levels during these exams are high. If you have a Matric in your home, please continue to give them the best support possible.

### Grade 9 Subject Choice Information Evening

All Grade 9 learners and parents are reminded of the compulsory Subject Choice Evening on **Tuesday, 4 September 2018** in the hall, from **17h30 to 18h30**.





This is an opportunity for learners and parents to equip themselves with the necessary information required in assisting them in making such an important decision.

## Groote Schuur Derby

We enjoyed a good morning of sport and cultural competition against Groote Schuur last weekend. The results are included for your interest. Even though the weather was very wet, we really had excellent levels of involvement and support. A big thank you to all the parents who came out and braved the weather to be proudly Camps Bay! The day was sad for our Matrics as many played their last first team match in their winter sports code.

### FULL RESULTS FOR THE DERBY DAY VS. GROOTE SCHUUR:

#### Chess:

lost 2 – 6

#### Hockey Boys:

Under 19 drew 1 – 1

#### Hockey Girls:

Under 14 won 2 - 0

Under 16 won 2 - 0

Under 19 lost 0 - 1

#### Netball:

Under 14A won 26 - 0

Under 14B won 5 - 2

Under 14C won 5 - 4

Under 16A won 32 - 5

Under 16B lost 2 - 15

Under 19A won 32 - 10

#### Rugby:

Under 14 lost 7 - 22

Under 15 won 7 - 5

Under 16 lost 11 - 15

Under 19 lost 30 - 5

#### Soccer Boys:

Under 14 lost 0 - 3

Under 16 won 2 - 1

Under 19 drew 1 - 1

#### Soccer Girls:

Under 19 won 4 - 0

## Behind The Scenes at Derby Day

There are always pupils who put in extra effort to make the day a success. Thank you to the Camps Bay High School Catering Club for the delicious food they made for the staff of Camps Bay High School and Groote Schuur High School, to the Interact Club for the pancake stall, and of course the hard working sound crew.



## Under 14 Girls Hockey are League Champions!

Well done to our Under-14 Hockey Girls who are the champions of the Under 14 Cape Town Grass Hockey League. They beat Melkbosstrand 2 - 0 on Monday to win the league! They also have not conceded a single goal in the last three games they have played! We are so incredibly proud!

## Table Tennis

Congratulations to our Table Tennis team who beat Westerford A 5 - 1 last week!

## CAT Award Winners

Some of our CAT students participated in the National Computer Applications Olympiad. 4 974 pupils participated nationwide and we are very proud of our learners who achieved some incredible results.

*Jamie Shrimpton, Brendan Filmer and Keagan Gill* were awarded **GOLD** certificates scoring higher than 93% of the participants countrywide - only 154 Gold Certificates were issued.

*Christian Byrnes and Stefano Roslen* were awarded **SILVER** certificates scoring higher than 79% of all participants countrywide.

*Declan Isaacs, Robert Sherwood, Matthew Burman, Daniel Coetzee and Cullen Koopman* were all awarded **BRONZE** certificates, scoring higher than 50% of the participants countrywide.

Well done!



## Annual Camps Bay School Magazine:

We are busy putting together the annual Camps Bay Primary School Magazine. This year will be a bumper issue and will combine both Prep and Primary Campuses in one magazine.

**Magazine Page Sponsorship:** To keep the costs of the publication down, we are offering families the opportunity to sponsor pages in the magazine. A page will cost you just **R350-00** to sponsor and in exchange for this sponsorship you will receive a one liner credit on a magazine page thanking you for your sponsorship.

**Magazine Advertising:** This year, we have decided to cut down on the advertising and offer just the inside front cover and back inside cover for advertising.

**Across the Generations Feature** – This is a photographic spread of children with their parents and/or grandparents who were past pupils of the school.

**Keep it in the Family Feature** – This is a page in the magazine that is dedicated to families who have children on more than one of the campuses.

If you would like to take up any of these opportunities, please contact *Carol van der Spuy* at [campsbayschools@gmail.com](mailto:campsbayschools@gmail.com) or **076-359-3286**.

## Camps Bay High School in the News

There was a lovely piece in the Atlantic Sun last week about past pupil, Noluthando Meje's visit to the school.

To read the article, click on this link:

<https://www.atlanticsun.co.za/news/camps-bay-alumnus-returns-to-school-16683043>



## Camps Bay High School Choir Perform at Primary School

The Camps Bay High School Choir performed this morning at the Primary School Assembly and will be performing again at the Prep Campus for their Games Night at **17h30**.

To see part of their performance from this morning, please click on this link:

<https://www.facebook.com/campsbayhighschool/videos/1011077402407055/>

## Three Camps Bay Past Pupils Exhibit at Local Art Exhibition

Three Camps Bay High School past pupils have been selected to show their artworks at a Michaelis Alumni Exhibition entitled, "ReGroup".

The exhibition will open on **14 September 2018** at **18h30** at **Gallery, 196 Victoria Road, Woodstock**. The Camps Bay Past Pupils exhibiting are *Jane Appleby*, *Tanya Bonello* and *Odette Marais*. They would welcome your support at their exhibition opening.

## Camps Bay's Own Supermodel

Congratulations to *Mila-Rose van der Spuy* who has been selected for a Mr. Price advertising campaign and large posters of her can be seen in their store windows countrywide.



## PAST PUPIL, LEWIS PUGH, COMPLETES HIS BIG SWIM.

Camps Bay High School past pupil, Lewis Pugh, completed his swim across the full length of the English Channel and we could not be prouder! We cannot wait to give him a hero's welcome when he comes to visit us, which we are hoping will be soon.

This is his message and his reason for swimming: "I urge the UK Government to properly protect its waters.

Currently, only 7 square km out of 750,000 is fully protected". In the rest of our waters, we have shipping, oil and gas drilling, gunnery exercises, industrial fishing and aggregate removal. Scientists are clear that we need to be protecting at least 30% of our oceans by 2030 if

they are going to be able to stand a chance of recovery and be sustainable. During this swim, I've seen virtually no wildlife – aside from a few birds, a few dolphins and one turtle. It shows that our oceans have been very badly over-fished. I have also seen plastic on every beach from Cornwall to Dover. We have taken the fish out of the ocean and replaced them with plastic. The British government now has to lead. We need urgent action. Our oceans are not a side issue. If we don't act now, we will see the collapse of these ecosystems, they will not be able to recover."



## The Week Ahead

<b>Friday 31 August 2018:</b>	Grade 11 Fashion Show at <b>19h00</b>
<b>Saturday 1 September 2018:</b>	Grade 11 Fashion Show at <b>19h00</b>
<b>Monday 3 September 2018:</b>	Prelim exams start for all Matrics.
<b>Tuesday 4 September 2018:</b>	Grade 9 subject choice evening <b>17h30 – 18h30</b>

Have a good weekend.

Yours sincerely,

**David De Korte**  
**PRINCIPAL**



# NIPPER OPEN DAY 2018

**SUNDAY  
9  
SEPTEMBER  
and  
30  
SEPTEMBER**

**10h00-12h30**

**AGES  
5-13!**



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Improve Social Skills & Team Building

Beach Safety & Sun Sense

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**We will be running a 1 day group Food Styling and Photography  
Workshop on:**

**25th Aug 2018 and 1 Sept 2018**

If you would like to attend either of these workshops, you can simply go to

**[www.theproproom.co.za](http://www.theproproom.co.za)** click on the **Workshops** tab

or email: **[info@theproproom.co.za](mailto:info@theproproom.co.za)** or contact **Mark on 079 5699779**

There you will find all you need to know about time, place, price and what to bring.

Lunch, Drinks & Goodie bags will be provided



## SEPTEMBER SCHOOL HOLIDAY IN SEDGEFIELD

One week holiday rental at the Baywater Village Resort in Sedgefield available for only **R8,000-00**.

Enjoy 7 nights at this quality resort from 28/9 to 5/10.

Self-catering unit sleeps four people. Only 20 minutes to Knysna.

[https://www.qvc.co.za/resorts/baywater\\_village.php](https://www.qvc.co.za/resorts/baywater_village.php)

Contact **Diane** on **079-875-2307** or [dstclairmoor@gmail.com](mailto:dstclairmoor@gmail.com) if you're interested.

### Maths Workshops

**Week 1:** 18 August  
Functions

**Week 2:** 25 August  
Calculus

**Week 3:** 1 September  
Trigonometry

**Week 3:** 2 September  
Euclidean Geometry

**Time:** 15h00 – 17h00

**Venue:** Camps Bay Primary School

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