



# CAMPS BAY HIGH SCHOOL



## Newsletter # 37\_2018

2 November 2018

Dear Parents,

Last weekend the new Prefects went away for their induction camp. Over their time together at Elgin, they did team building activities as well as spent time planning their year ahead. The two big events that fall to the prefects are, running the 3-day Spectrum Week programme at the end of this term, as well as the Grade 8 Camp next year. I was able to be at the camp for a session where we talked about morals and values.

At the end of the camp, the Prefect group vote for their leaders, the Head Prefect and two Deputies. These positions were then announced on Wednesday in a special Assembly. I am pleased to report that our pupils' leaders for 2019 are:

**Head Prefect:** Hannah Barnes

**Deputy Head Prefect:** Cailin Pearce

**Deputy Head Prefect:** Gia Abbott

At this assembly our outgoing Head and Deputies were able to be present and hand over their badges in a symbolic 'handing over' of the school to a new leadership team. Thimna then led Hannah through saying the Prefects Pledge on behalf of her prefect body. For your interest I include this pledge below:

### Prefects Pledge

*As I assume the responsible office of Head Prefect,  
I promise to do my best:  
To fulfil its high demands,  
To place service before self;  
To act fairly, without bias or favouritism;  
To be fearless in the face of opposition or unpopularity, when I strive for  
what is upright and just;  
And by so doing, to maintain the honour of the School.*



## Staff Appreciation Day (Friday 2 November 2018)

We are all looking forward to this afternoon as there has been a lot of activity preparing for the 'Staff Appreciation Day'. We will close school at 13h00 and meet for a meal and some lucky draws. Thank you for all the parents who responded so generously with 'gift' for the lucky draws. I have just watched in awe as they have all been delivered to the front office. There has been a group of moms who have put everything together. I know they have decorated the venue as I was here last night after 19h00 and they were still busy. What the theme and look is will be a surprise to us later today.

## AGM AND BUDGET APPROVAL MEETING

### NOTIFICATION: BUDGET MEETING

**14 NOVEMBER 2018 at 18h00**

**IN THE SCHOOL HALL**

All parents are invited to attend the budget meeting. At this time the 2019 Budget for Camps Bay High School will be presented and then accepted by the parents who are present.

The proposed school fees for 2019 is **R35 500**. This is a 'just under' 6% increase.

The meeting should be an hour long and so I encourage you to attend.

If you want to have a look at the proposed budget, please feel free to come to the school to view it and have any questions answered by myself or the bursar.

### Clothing Shop

It is that exciting time of the year when we buy or replenish uniforms for our kids. Past experience has shown that parents who delay until the last minute queue for long periods of time which creates much tension and chaos. Where possible, please avoid the last or first days of term to purchase uniform.

To help solve this problem, we have introduced a 'Uniform pre-order system'. If you wish to use the pre-order service, please complete the attached form and return it as instructed on the form. Parents who have pre-ordered uniform will have a dedicated, express queue for collection.

Since its introduction in 2016, we've had very positive feedback from parents who have used the system and been through the process.

We hope that your experience purchasing uniform is a pleasant one. Please feel free to provide feedback and suggestions to *Vanessa Miller* at [cshop@campsbayhigh.co.za](mailto:cshop@campsbayhigh.co.za).

### Operating Hours:

Please take note of the Clothing shop opening hours for end of 2018 and beginning of 2019:

The Clothing shop will close for the holidays on **Monday, 3rd December 2018 at 15h30**. It will re-open on the **7th and 8th January 2019** from **08h00 - 14h00** (doors close at **13h30**).

Thereafter, normal operating hours resume - from **9 January 2018 (Monday to Thursday 07h30 - 15h30)**

### Farewell Assembly & Tea

It was wonderful to see so many old friends at the special farewell Assembly held for *Mr. William Cawood*, *Mrs. Ettie Cronje* and *Mrs. Gail Rose-Innes*.





## Sports Results

### GIRLS WATERPOLO

Our **Waterpolo Girls' Teams** played in a tournament against Bridge House and St. Cyprians last Friday.

A combined team made up of **Under-14** and **Under-16** Girls beat St. Cyprians 3-2 and Bridge House 8 -2. The **Under-19s** beat Bridge House 11 - 0 and lost to St. Cyprians 9 - 1.



### BOYS' WATERPOLO

Our **Waterpolo Boys' Teams** played in the Parklands Waterpolo tournament on **Saturday**. They were the underdog team with players missing at Prefect Camp and most Matrics out due to exams so there were lots of new, up and coming players in a team that had not yet played together. They surprised everyone by beating Fairmont 16-1, Fish Hoek 6 - 3, Paarl Boys 5-3 in the semi-final, before narrowly losing 6-4 to Pinelands in the final



## BOYS' BASKETBALL

The **Under-14 Team** beat Herzlia 17-8, Under 16s lost to Herzlia 4 -22, and the Under 19s lost to DSK 28-79.

## GIRLS' BASKETBALL

The **Under-14s** played against Pinelands High and beat them 20-14. The **Under-16s** played Mfuleni and went down 22-10.

The **Under-19s** played against Pinelands High and lost 21-11.

They surprised everyone by beating Fairmont 16-1, Fish Hoek 6 - 3, Paarl Boys 5-3 in the semi-final, before narrowly losing 6-4 to Pinelands in the final.

## Prefect Camp

The 2019 Prefects spent the weekend at Back to Basics Camp where they enjoyed various team activities



## Mrs. Sehnke on “Afternoon Express”

Mrs. Sehnke appeared on SABC3's Afternoon Express offering tips for handling stress and studying for exams.

In case you missed the interview, you can watch it here on their live stream.

Her interview is on at around about 38 minutes:

<https://youtu.be/5CmxpHZ7dGk>



## Camps Bay Sunset Silent Disco - Friday, 7 December from 16h00

We will be hosting a family fun event to end off the year. In addition to the Silent Disco, there will be food trucks and craft stalls.

If you don't know what a Silent Disco is, click on this link: <https://youtu.be/O6Q-NdVAHtk>

Tickets cost **R80-00** and include the hire of the headphones for the silent discos. They are available at Web tickets and selling fast so don't delay; <https://www.webtickets.co.za/event.aspx?itemid=1484687172>



## French/Spain Cultural Exchange

There has been a very exciting development on the Cultural Exchange to Toulouse, France- the vibrant country of Spain has been added to the itinerary!

The trip will also include a day in the Pyrenees mountains where the students will do a snowshoe hike and build an igloo.

Students will be hosted by French Families and will attend a French School, as well as enjoying some sightseeing around **Toulouse**, visiting a medieval city and **Cite de l'Espace** and the beautiful town of **Albi**.

They will then spend three days in **Barcelona**, Spain where they will do some sightseeing and visit the **Port Aventura Theme Park**.

This 13-day all-inclusive trip costs **R23 000**. Should you be keen to join the trip contact *Mrs. Sehnke* soonest.

Please see proposed itinerary attached.



## End of Year Programme:

There has been some talk about schools closing early, but the WCED has made it clear that this is not allowed. With this in mind our end of term programme is as follows:

**Friday 30 November 2018:**

Final day of exams

**Monday 3 December 2018:**

Papers handed back for checking.  
(Pupils in uniform)

**Tuesday 4 December 2018 – Thursday 6 December 2018:**

Spectrum Week.  
Pupils to come in casual clothes  
and school will close at **13h00** each day.

**Friday 7 December 2018:**

Reports will be issued.  
There will be an Assembly and school will close  
at **11h00** as pupils are expected back at school  
at **17h00** for the 'silent disco'.

**Monday 10 December 2018 – Wednesday 12 December 2018:**

Pupils to come to school in old clothes  
as they will be doing work squad which will  
include covering and repairing library books  
and cleaning gum off desks.

**Wednesday 12 December 2018:**

On **Wednesday** school will close at **11h00**.

**Thursday 12 December 2018 – Friday 14 December 2018:**

Staff will be engaged in a professional  
development course run by INSTIL.  
This will be off campus.

## **The Week Ahead**

**Monday 5 November 2018:**

The start of the school's internal exam session.



A reminder that exam **Session 1** starts at **08h00** and ends at **13h00**.  
The afternoon session, (**Session 2**) will start at **13h15**.

We wish every pupil well for the exams and encourage them to put in a massive effort in these last few weeks of the year.

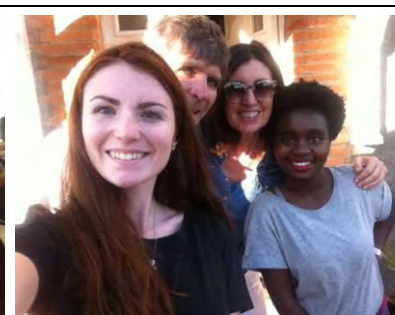
**Yours sincerely,**

**David de Korte**  
**PRINCIPAL**

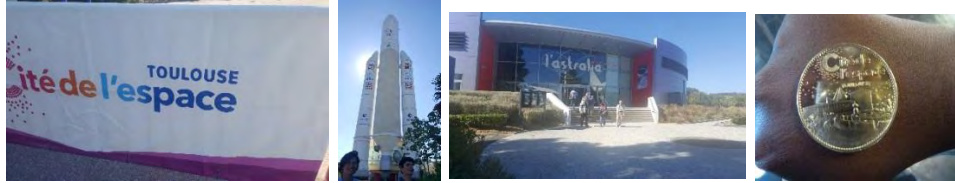
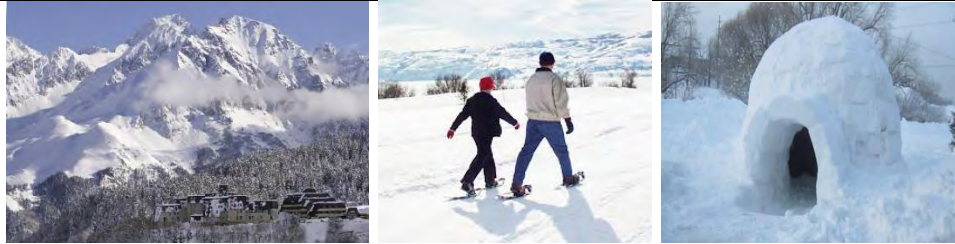

# Proposed itinerary for your visit to France in March 2019

DAY	ACTIVITY	PHOTOS
<p><b>TRAVEL TO FRANCE</b></p> <p>Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p>*Evening: Travel to Toulouse from Cape Town</p>	
<p><b>DAY 1</b></p> <p>Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p>*Arrival in Toulouse</p> <p>*Coach (Bus) to go to Pierre d' Aragon High School, Toulouse and later to the host family</p> <p>*Spend time at school and get to know the host family where you will be staying</p> <p><a href="http://www.pierre-aragon.entmip.fr/">http://www.pierre-aragon.entmip.fr/</a></p>	

<p><b>DAY 2</b> Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p>*Morning: Guided visit of Toulouse- Hop On Hop Off Bus <a href="http://www.toulouse-tourisme.com/">http://www.toulouse-tourisme.com/</a> <a href="http://www.citytour-toulouse.com/">http://www.citytour-toulouse.com/</a></p> <p>*Afternoon: Boating along the Canal du Midi <a href="https://www.bateaux-toulousains.com/">https://www.bateaux-toulousains.com/</a></p>
<p><b>DAY 3</b> Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p>*Carcassonne, Medieval city <a href="http://www.carcassonne.org/">http://www.carcassonne.org/</a></p>
<p><b>DAY 4</b> Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p>*Morning: Visiting a class <a href="http://www.pierre-aragon.entmip.fr/">http://www.pierre-aragon.entmip.fr/</a></p> <p>*Afternoon: Spending time with the host family</p>





<p><b>DAY 5</b> Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March</p>	<p>*Cité de l'espace <a href="http://www.cite-espace.com/">http://www.cite-espace.com/</a></p>	
<p><b>DAY 6</b> Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March</p>	<p>*Day in the Pyrénées mountain (snowshoe hike, learning to build igloos, eating in a yourte) <a href="https://www.french-property.com/reference/pyrenees-mountains-france/">https://www.french-property.com/reference/pyrenees-mountains-france/</a></p>	
<p><b>DAY 7</b> Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March</p>	<p>*Weekend with the host families</p>	

**DAY 8**  
Sunday  
24<sup>th</sup> March

\*Weekend with the host families




**DAY 9**  
Monday  
25<sup>th</sup> March




\*Visit of Albi





<p><b>DAY 10</b> Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p>*Shopping in Toulouse</p>	
<p><b>DAY 11</b> Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p>*Morning: Departure to Barcelona, Spain via train *Checking in at accommodation and exploring Barcelona</p>	



<p><b>DAY 12</b> Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p>*Day in Port Aventura Theme Park <a href="https://www.portaventuraworld.com/en/destination/barcelona">https://www.portaventuraworld.com/en/destination/barcelona</a></p>	
<p><b>DAY 13</b> Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p>*Last minute Shopping in Spain, Barcelona *Evening: Travel to Cape Town from Toulouse</p>	
<p><b>TRAVEL TO CPT</b> Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p>Arrival in Cape Town</p>	







# Camps Bay Sunset Silent Disco

**CAMPS BAY HIGH SCHOOL FIELD**

**FRIDAY, 7 DECEMBER 2018**

*4pm - Sunset Disco from 5pm to 9pm.*

*R80 per person including hire of headphones.*

A family FUNdraiser event presented by Camps Bay High School in conjunction with Silent Events featuring food trucks, gifting craft stalls and lots more.

3 live channels play simultaneously so you can choose your beat to dance to through multi-channel wireless headphones.

One channel features student djs, one will be a request line and the final will be familiar favourites for young and old!

Bring your picnic blanket and find a spot on the field to watch the sun set on an incredible school year!

***Tickets are limited.***

*Click here to purchase your tickets from Webtickets now*

<https://www.webtickets.co.za/event.aspx?itemid=1484687172>



**web tickets**  
AVAILABLE AT **Pick n Pay**



**CAMPS BAY  
HIGH SCHOOL**



# OPEN AIR CINEMA

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY



Screening a variety of smash hits, cult classics and fun family favourites at some of Cape Town's most magnificent venues. Interactive games, local artisanal food market and vibey music set the tone for an unforgettable evening before the start of the movie.

## Featuring awesome venues

Kirstenbosch Gardens - Willowbridge Mall - Central Park - Kenilworth Racecourse - Battery Park  
Glenellen Farm - Meerendal Wine Estate - Rustenburg Girls' High School - Cape Winelands

ALL INFO AND TICKETS AT [WWW.THEGALILEO.CO.ZA](http://WWW.THEGALILEO.CO.ZA)  
071 471 8728 | [HELLO@THEGALILEO.CO.ZA](mailto:HELLO@THEGALILEO.CO.ZA)



# CAN YOU KEEP A SECRET ??

## WE CAN...

Come visit us at the  
**Green Point Community Health Centre**  
where we can help you to:

Confidential HIV counselling and testing  
Free pregnancy tests  
Free condoms

Treatment of sexually transmitted infections  
Free family planning services  
Free TB screening and testing

**Special youth clinic times: every Friday 2:00pm till 3:30 pm**

Age group: 15 to 24 years old

Address: Block B, Portwood Road, Green Point (Behind the Greenpoint Stadium)



health

DEPARTMENT  
OF HEALTH  
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

Enquiries: Dr Neethling  
contact number: 021 431 0288



Western Cape  
Government