



**CAMPS BAY  
HIGH SCHOOL**

# NEWSLETTER

**4 June 2021**

*Dear parents, guardians and learners,*

## ATPs and Assessments

A number of parents and learners have expressed concern with regards to the stress levels of the learners, the volume of work they need to cover and the number of assessments needing to be completed.

We are bound by a plan which we are supposed to be following. The WCED have Annual Teaching Plans (ATPs) which dictate week by week which topics and sections of work need to be covered and the assessments that need to be completed. The Subject Advisors are in constant contact with the school to find out if we are adhering to these ATPs. For most subjects we are totally on track, and for a few we are working at a pace we feel is in our learner's best interests. We have a plan in place and will complete all the required work.

## Parent Meeting for Grade 12 Parents

We would like to thank those parents who managed to come and see the educators on Tuesday 1 June and hope the meeting with the subject teachers proved worthwhile.

## Top 20 in Grades 10 – 12

Below and on the next page, you will find the Top 20 in each of the senior grades. The marks in all three of these grades for the Top 20 range from 80% to 95%. Well done to all of these learners, and to those who did not make it onto the list, but achieved marks they are proud of, well done to you too. It is worth noting that we value all learners and recognise and celebrate any achievement the learner is proud of, even if this is obtaining a pass mark for the first time in a long while.

## TOP 20: GRADE 12 - TERM 1 2021

1 Justine Braaf  
2 Taneal Dougall  
2 Lola-May Dunn  
3 Nina-Karoo Hofmeyr  
4 Ruby Berg  
4 Jana Kemp  
4 Aurora Blumberg  
5 Jules Keohane

6 Amy Bysshe  
7 Neleya Pendlebury  
8 Zara Ariu  
9 Mia Altbeker  
9 Kiera Kresfelder  
10 Kayla Kohn  
11 Sinozuko Lamani  
11 Gina Marks

11 Teia Massey  
12 Carmen Nuss  
13 Catherine Crane  
13 Liam Hooton  
14 Diego Jacobs  
14 Stella Thorne  
15 Mia O'Dwyer  
15 Ridha Esau

16 Aasim Ellis  
16 Cathrine Madzatunya  
17 Shuraih Adams  
18 Joshua Birkholtz  
19 Jasper Thomson  
19 Sophia Eiki  
20 Azraa Ariefdien  
20 Ruby Roderick

## TOP 20: GRADE 11 - TERM 1 2021

1 Nishaat Williams	6 Jana Steyn	11 Helena Laubscher	16 Jorja Hewitt
2 Emma Blomerus	7 Ailing Guan	11 Thuwaybah Bassier	17 Rafe Tayler
3 Jade Wakeford	8 Anan Viljoen Ventura	12 Nicholas Haupt	18 Casey Bloomberg
4 Kate Blomerus	9 Amy October	13 Ben Stoltzman	19 Daniel Bridgeford
5 Zoe Brand	10 Matthew Pape	14 Dominic Holling	20 Alice Cowley Owen
		15 Tessa Sirin	

## TOP 20: GRADE 10 - TERM 1 2021

1 Daniella Segall	6 Jude Roderick	12 Alexzandria	16 Kayley Cronje
2 Mila Young	7 Isabella Lubczonok	Letizia	17 Zia Francis Diedericks
3 Benjamin Pienaar	8 Xavier Rebelo	13 Kayla Gilmour	18 Iyaad Isaacs
4 Chiara Ariu	9 Imaan Jakoet	13 Richard	18 Michaela Smith-Howe
5 Lili Louw	10 Georgina Woodburn	Gruneberg	19 Kirstina Streeten
	11 Ella Goddard	14 Jensen Smith	20 Ntando Mambukwe
		15 Mateo Joubert	

### Exams or no exams?

By now, many of you would realise that the WCED and DBE are constantly changing things. As we are a government school, we must abide by all the regulations.

Camps Bay High contacted the WCED more than 3 weeks ago to obtain permission to write exams, as we felt it was in the best interests of the learners in the long run. The WCED has been delaying giving us permission. We finally received permission verbally on Tuesday this week to go ahead and when I asked for this to be confirmed in writing, we were told a few hours later that we would have to wait for the go-ahead as discussions with Head Office were underway.

While we wait for permission, we are producing alternative plans in the background to ensure we can continue in some form or another. The WCED has assured us that we should know by Tuesday next week.





## Parking

A request is made to all parents using the stop-and drop after school to please be considerate to all the other parents also trying to fetch their children. Please park as close as possible to other vehicles and do not block the entrances and exits.

## Prefects spread message of kindness

On Thursday this week, the Camps Bay High School Prefects visited the Camps Bay Primary School Prep Campus in what has become a tradition at the school. Every year the Prefects from the high school visit the youngest learners of Camps Bay Schools to spread the message of the importance of always being kind! There is always a very special visit from the Kindness Fairy.

This year is quite a special year for us as we celebrate 115 years of Camps Bay Schools. We pride ourselves on being, above all else, a caring and collaborative learning community that embraces South Africa's diversity and these opportunities give all the learners from all the campuses a sense of belonging.





## Isabella Lubczonok's Memorial Service

A memorial service for Isabella Lubczonok will be held at Camps Bay High School at 15:00 for 15:15 on Tuesday, 15 June 2021. Details regarding the venue and service will be released next week.

## Update on Leeane Osner (Grade 12) – some good news!

One of our Grade 12 learners, Leeane Osner was diagnosed with Hodgkin's Lymphoma in early December last year. She started with her treatment later that same month. She has not been at school up to now as she is receiving treatment and we have missed having her around.

Last Friday, she went for her last session of Chemotherapy and the Grade 12 class prepared this short video to wish her well with her last treatment:  
<https://youtu.be/cZ76bxZlvcg>.

Leeane has responded very well to the treatment and we were delighted to find out that her blood count was good at the last visit to the hospital. The doctors are confident that she will be able to return to school in July. We wish her well as she regains her strength and look forward to seeing her back again.



## Staff appreciation moment

A number of parents got together and surprised the staff with some lovely scones and treats yesterday during break. This was a lovely gesture and the staff would like to say thank you to all those parents who contributed. It was enjoyed by all staff on campus.

Simone Segall, mother of Nathan (Gr 9) and Daniella (Gr 10), heads up the Parent Liaison Body at Camps Bay High School. If you would like to get involved with parent activities at school, please email Simone on [segallsimone@gmail.com](mailto:segallsimone@gmail.com)



## A good news story

It is always nice to relay some good news in these times and here is a past pupil of Camps Bay High whom we are very proud of.

One of the learners in Camps Bay Primary was in trouble and he had lost his bag with all of his money in it. He was stuck in Observatory and had no way to get to school. One of our past pupils, from the 2013 Matric Class, saw this child walking next to the road at 07:00 and recognised the uniform. This past pupil assisted the child, put him on a taxi, paid for the taxi fare and told the driver to take him to Camps Bay Primary School. The ex-learner then phoned the school some time later to make sure the child had arrived safely.

Tasia- Lee Harrison, we are very proud of you for going out of your way to help a child in need and you have made us very proud.



**Wishing all our learners and their families a restful weekend.**

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "L. Mostert.".

**MR LOUIS MOSTERT**  
**PRINCIPAL**



## Lochlan Williamson gets his CBHS Honours Blazer

Earlier this week Matric Learner, Lochlan Williamson from Hout Bay, received his Honours Blazer from Camps Bay High School Principal, Mr Louis Mostert, at a special Assembly for Matric Learners.

The Sports Honours Blazer is the highest honour a learner at Camps Bay High School can receive and is only awarded to learners who have achieved in a sport on a National level. The school is very proud of Lochlan who has shown true dedication to becoming one of the best Squash players in the country.

Having also excelled on the cricket field as a member of the Western Province U16 Cricket team, Lochlan decided to focus on Squash last year and has quickly risen through the ranks and is currently ranked as #11 in the Country. Three months ago he was ranked #25 so this indicates just how far he has come in a short period of time.

This incredible achievement has secured Lochlan's place on the SA School Squash Team for 2021. He is still hoping to break into the Top 10 if July's Inter-Provincial Tournament can go ahead.



## Camps Bay High School Mountain Biking

We are hoping to start a Mountain Biking Team at Camps Bay High School, should there be enough interest from learners. Hoerskool Jan van Riebeeck have a new Mountain Biking Course and they have offered us the opportunity to use this course for training. They are also keen on joint ventures where mountain bikers from both schools can train together.

Mr Becker is an avid Mountain Biker and will work with the Mountain Bikers at CBHS. We also have one of the top Mountain Bikers in the Western Cape, Morgan Louw in Gr 11 (pictured here) who is keen to get this going as a school sport. Note: you will need to have your own mountain bike and safety equipment.

If you are interested in joining the Mountain Biking Team, please fill in this google form: <https://forms.gle/By3e8TNhu5i5mbEUA>





## Chess Team draw against Herschel

Shortly before the changes in regulations with regards to matches, Camps Bay High School's Chess Team managed to get in a match against Herschel Girls School.

The match proved to be very tight, with the teams from Camps Bay High School and Herschel eventually drawing 4-4.



## CBHS dancers rehearse for Artscape Show

18 Camps Bay High School dancers were at Artscape on Saturday, rehearsing for the Born Frees show which is scheduled to take place there on 18 and 19 June. The show is choreographed by Marlin Zoutman and Celeste Botha.

Camps Bay High School's Head of Dance, Ms Teva Scarborough says that she was very proud of how focused they were and how they picked up on the choreography so quickly.





## Environmental Club cleans up and tracks litter

The Camps Bay High School Environmental Club hosts regular clean ups in the Camps Bay area. Last week, the Club cleaned up in the Maiden's Cove area and made use of the Marine Debris Tracker App to report the litter that they found.

By collecting data about where litter is seen and found - be it in the ocean or on your doorstep - ordinary citizens can contribute to critical scientific research.

The data collected helps scientists and researchers better understand the big picture of the plastic pollution crisis. The free Marine Debris Tracker app is an open data citizen movement, powered by Morgan Stanley and is available in both the Apple and Google Play Stores.

Good Things Guy heard about the CBHS Environmental Clubs endeavours and did a story about their efforts: [https://www.goodthingsguy.com/environment/camps-bay-high-leads-the-charge-against-rubbish/?fbclid=IwAR1MEjwkjY3fWL\\_allFACiQYcq9\\_NqJ3KtH1rQatc5d-uxl\\_hUToyhNU320](https://www.goodthingsguy.com/environment/camps-bay-high-leads-the-charge-against-rubbish/?fbclid=IwAR1MEjwkjY3fWL_allFACiQYcq9_NqJ3KtH1rQatc5d-uxl_hUToyhNU320)





## Camps Bay High's Interact Team take iKhaya Le Themba to the Aquarium

Recently, Camps Bay High School's Interact Society hosted the Grade 4s from iKhaya Le Themba in Imizamo Yethu, Hout Bay to a special day out at the Two Oceans Aquarium.

Together they explored the Two Oceans Aquarium learning about the incredible diversity of marine life found around the Southern African Coast.



## Environmental Club launches Glass Bank

The Environmental Club is excited to announce that Camps Bay High School now has its very own glass recycling bank! We ask all learners to please start bringing CLEAN glass bottles and jars to either Ms Drew or Mr van Gruting's class from Monday.

Every bottle you bring will count towards house points and all funds received from The Glass Recycling Co for our collected glass will go towards making the school more environmentally friendly.





## How can Digimune.com help you keep your Kids safe Online

### What is Cyberbullying?



Stalkers and Bullies have always existed, but their strategies have changed over the years to take full advantage of the anonymity provided by the Internet.

Cyberstalking/CyberBullying is the technological (via the Internet and devices) harassment aimed towards a specific individual.

It may involve many incidents, such as emails, text messages, social media platforms, and search engines, over time to cause another person, or group of people, to fear for their safety.

Cyberbullying often involves an attack on an individual's privacy and can be emotionally devastating to its victims.

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### **Tips for parents**

- Talk to your child about online shaming on social media. Find out what they know and ask them their opinion.
- Remind your child to avoid posting something that could be taken the wrong way. If it is a joke they are about to make that could be misinterpreted, it is probably best not to post it publicly.
- Stress that any unkind comment that they make on social media about something someone else has posted will affect the person on the receiving end.
- Remind your children that they should only say something online that they would be happy to say offline and face-to-face. Remind them that what they do or say online can have real-life consequences.
- Talk to your children about being digitally savvy and check the facts before they add their thoughts. Things that are said or done online can often be misinterpreted.
- Talk to your child about their digital footprint and remind them that any unkind comment they post online will always be out there.

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*Lisa Schatz*

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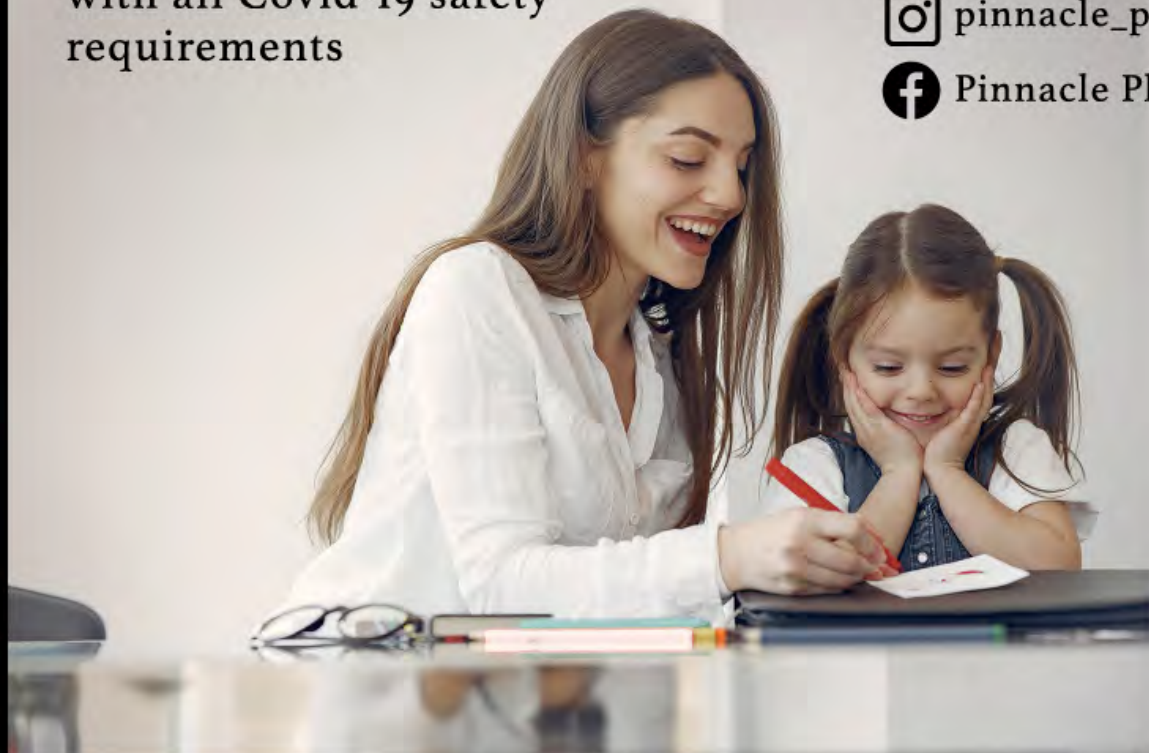
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## JOB VACANCY: SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKER - SGB POST

*Camps Bay High School is a caring and collaborative learning community that embraces South Africa's diversity while blazing a trail in Service, Academia, Sport and Culture. Our school ensures that learners achieve intellectual and personal excellence and are well prepared for a global community as responsible, productive and engaged citizens.*

We are seeking to appoint a dynamic, hardworking and empathetic individual as a **full time Social Worker** at Camps Bay High School. The position is ideally **effective from July 2021** however start dates are negotiable should the candidate of choice only be available from August 2021.

### The successful candidate will:

- have Tertiary Qualifications in Clinical Social Work;
- be registered with the South African Council of Social Service Professions (SACSSP) or be registered as a counsellor with HPCSA;
- have a minimum of 5 years experience in a similar position;
- have therapeutic training and/or qualifications to work with adolescents/young adults;
- have experience in counselling adolescents and young adults as well as working in a school context;
- be able to provide individual and/or group therapy;
- be able to communicate confidently and competently in English, both spoken and written. Competency in isiXhosa and/or Afrikaans is advantageous;
- be able to provide confidential assessment, mediation and counselling services to learners and offer advice and support to staff and parents;
- be able to contribute to professional development programmes with educators when required;
- be part of the Discipline Sub-Committee of the SGB, if needed;
- have excellent administrative skills and be fully computer literate;
- be a self starter and be able to run with the portfolio independently;
- be able to work effectively as a member of a team dedicated to the development and care of all learners;
- have exceptional interpersonal skills with a natural ability to build strategic relationships and interact with individuals of different backgrounds; and
- enjoy teamwork and community-based interventions.

### The application must include:

- A full CV noting experience and qualifications,
- Certified copies of qualifications,
- Copy of ID Document, and
- Names of at least two contactable references.

**CLOSING DATE: 15 JUNE 2021**





## JOB VACANCY: UNIFORM SHOP MANAGER - SGB POST

*Camps Bay High School is a caring and collaborative learning community that embraces South Africa's diversity while blazing a trail in Service, Academia, Sport and Culture. Our school ensures that learners achieve intellectual and personal excellence and are well prepared for a global community as responsible, productive and engaged citizens.*

We are seeking to appoint a dynamic, hardworking and friendly individual as the **Uniform Shop Manager** at Camps Bay High School. The purpose of this role is to be responsible for the effective and efficient operation of the Uniform Shop, providing exceptional customer service and fostering positive relationships within the Camps Bay Schools community.

The position is effective from **July 2021**.

### **The intended hours of operation of the uniform shop are:**

- Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays during school terms: 07:00 - 11:00;
- Tuesdays and Thursdays during school terms: 13:30 - 17:30;
- First Saturday of every month during school terms from 09:00 - 13:00; and
- Open between 08:00 and 17:00 from Monday to Saturday the week prior to school starting in January.
- At the end of the year, the shop must stay open, up to and including the last day of term 4.
- The manager must be available for 3 working days after the end of the second term and end of the fourth term for stock take.

### **The successful candidate will:**

- have exceptional interpersonal, communication, presentation and negotiation skills with an ability to work and interact with individuals of different backgrounds;
- have exceptional customer service skills;
- be able to communicate confidently and competently in English, both spoken and written. Competency in isiXhosa and/or Afrikaans is advantageous;
- have POS retailing system skills;
- have good administrative skills and be fully computer literate;
- be a self starter and be able to work autonomously; and
- be able to work effectively as a member of a team - reporting to the Bursar.

### **Ideally, the successful candidate will have:**

- Relevant retail management experience; and
- an understanding of school uniform manufacturing.



**Key Areas of Responsibility would be:**

- Opening and operating the Uniform Shop at designated times with flexibility to extend trading hours during busy periods.
- Maintaining the Uniform Shop in a clean, tidy and well-presented condition at all times.
- Communicating with parents, staff and learners in a positive and professional manner.
- Maintaining accurate records of stock sold and payments received.
- Placing orders with suppliers of uniform items and maintaining necessary stock of each item.
- Efficiently receiving and processing stock.
- Processing second-hand uniforms for sale.
- Balancing daily takings and depositing with the School Finance Department.
- Regular review of stock prices and suppliers.
- Conducting a full stock take at the end of Term 2 and Term 4 every year.
- Actively participating in the Uniform Committee.
- Overseeing and managing learners who help out in the Uniform Shop.
- Managing the roster of learners helping out in the Uniform Shop in conjunction with the school's Marketing Manager.

**The application must include:**

- A full CV noting experience and qualifications;
- Certified copies of qualifications,
- Copy of ID Document, and
- Names of at least two contactable references.

**CLOSING DATE: 15 JUNE 2021**

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