



# THE SUNBIRD CHIRP

Making a Digital Difference

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A Newsletter for the Sun Valley Group of Schools



## Teach like a Champion

Buoyed by a superb 2011 Matric result in our High School and a full enrolment in our Pre-School, Primary School and High School, our Group of Schools including the Music Academy, Sport Academy and Teaching Academy are set for an exceptional 2012. This year we are going to "Teach like champions!"

Welcome to our Family. The Staff join me in welcoming you to the 2012 Academic Year. This is going to be an exciting year in the history of our school. *Sunbird Pre-School* turns 4, *Sun Valley Primary* celebrates 35 years and *Silvermine Academy* hits a magical, 7. The *Music Academy* turns 11 and the *Sports Academy* has been operational for 5 years.

This year we want our Mons and Dads to *Parent like Champions*, too! One champion behaviour is to make a connection with the Teachers and network with the School Leadership Team. Our Grade R and Grade 1 Parents and all other new parents from Gr2-12 are invited to join us for a New Parents Social

on Thursday evening at 7.30pm in the Group of Schools Hall. Child Care will be available in the Library for those that need care.

### Keep Connected

Make us a friend on **facebook** and follow us on **twitter**. Log onto our website often for photographs and blogs of events and sectors in our Group. The D6 Communicator that was launched last year will be discontinued in favour of our new Grade Blog pages. This should be ready to go live from Wednesday 18 January.

### Calendar

The latest calendar will be available on our website, and a two week hard copy will be sent out each Monday in the Homework Book.

### Music Academy

Full details of our Music Academy are available on our website. Please download the application form or collect one from Reception.

Let's commit ourselves to Champion Parenting, Teaching and Learning in 2012 while we **Make a Digital Difference**.



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NETWORK  
MEET THE  
TEAM

NEW  
PARENTS  
Cocktail  
Party

Thursday  
12 Jan at  
7.30pm

