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Life-saving: the bookmarks that will be sold at the Life Cycle Expo.

## Beadwork to aid kids

CYCLISTS from all over South Africa and the rest of the world can do something for Cape Town when they cycle this year's Cape Argus Pick'n Pay Cycle Tour.

They can buy a beautiful, beaded bookmark that will help local HIV-positive mothers care for their infected children.

The mothers, part of the Positive Beadwork Project based at Groote Schuur Hospital, have spent months making the bookmarks and 760 will be on sale during the Lifecycle Expo which opens at the Good Hope Centre today.

The project has earned the 31 HIV-positive mothers involved R75 000 since June.

The mothers, all previously unemployed, have children with HIV and Aids who are

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getting treatment, many of them anti-retrovirals, courtesy of Groote Schuur's paediatric HIV/Aids service.

The women also make Aids ribbons, jewellery and, more recently, company logos out of beads.

● Anyone wanting to support Dr Alan Horn, specialist in the Groote Schuur neonatal intensive care unit who is riding the Cycle Tour to raise funds for the unit, should call him at 021 404 6025/69.

Donations can be deposited directly into the "GSH Nursery Fund", Standard Bank account number 075 080 494 (branch code 024 909).