



A very warm welcome back to amazing children (and families). It has been wonderful to have the children back in the ARK, having full use of the playgrounds (even if the weather hasn't been kind!) and simply being back together.

We are all excited about the 'new season' ahead and can't wait to see what this year will bring.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Mr Lincoln and the Senior Leadership Team.

1. COMMUNICATION

- **Website:** please check the website for answers to queries before contacting the office. General information can be found under the Parents & Carers tab. Bulletins/letters are under Parents & Carers > News & Events.
- **Email:** office@stnm.org.uk - please do not email staff directly (unless agreed previously).
- **Calendar:** term dates, events. Follow the link for instructions on how to [use](#) or [subscribe](#) to the calendar.

2. UPCOMING DATES AND EVENTS:

here are the upcoming events for the next few weeks. Please see the dates list [here](#) for events happening later in the term.

- Monday 9th September: Year 4 Storyteller
- Thursday 19th September: Y5 Swimming
- Wednesday 25th September: Y5 Greek Workshop
- Thursday 27th September: Y2 - Y6 African Workshop
- Friday 27th September: INSET day - School closed for children



3. REQUESTS, REMINDERS AND GENERAL NOTES

- **New children and parents/carers:** A very warm welcome to our new Reception, Little Fishes and older children that have joined the school this September.
- **PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT:** We are very excited this year to have put together a calendar of events for our parents, to look to engage your views about key areas of school life and importantly support you in

supporting your children at home to reach their full educational potential. In next week's parent bulletin we will share the initial outline plans for our monthly events.

- **School systems:** Please take the opportunity to familiarise yourself with our new systems, further details can be found [here](#).
- **Study Bugs:** We encourage [parents to use the StudyBugs app for informing the school of any absences due to illness. Please inform the school by 8am should your child be too ill to attend school.

4. **AFTER SCHOOL CLUB ART:** After School Club Children's artwork on show in St Nicolas Church: Children from our After School Club have created some exciting artworks inspired by Old Shoreham which are on show in the special art exhibition, 'New Art for Old Shoreham' in St Nicolas Church. The exhibition begins on Saturday 7th September and details of opening times can be found in the attached flyer. The children worked together to produce works in different media inspired by the architecture and landscape of Old Shoreham including the Toll Bridge, Church and Old School House. We hope that you will be able to take time to visit the exhibition with your families.
5. **COOL MILK:** Cool Milk will increase the price of a portion of milk for children aged 5 or over. Under-5 children will continue to receive milk free-of-charge. Price increase **from 28p to 31p** per child per day.



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To all Parents/Carers of pupils in **Years 5 and 6 (2024/25)**
attending **Shoreham and Southwick Primary Schools**

Shoreham Academy Open Evening Thursday 26th September 2024 from 6pm until 8.30pm

**Presentations in the Main Hall at 6.30pm and repeated at 7.15pm
by Mr Jim Coupe, Shoreham Academy Principal**

Presentations will last approximately 30 minutes
We estimate that you will need about 1 hour to tour the Academy
Refreshments will be available for the evening
Please plan your tour to fit around the presentations

- ALSO -

Shoreham Academy Open Mornings at 9.00 am on:

Friday 4th October 2024
Monday 7th October 2024
Tuesday 15th October 2024
Wednesday 23rd October 2024

Attend with your children if possible

To book your place for an **open morning** please contact:
vicki.pearson@shoreham-academy.org
(NO BOOKING REQUIRED FOR THE OPEN EVENING)

We look forward to meeting you all!

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Thank you so much for introducing my daughter to this wonderful art form. She absolutely loves harmonica and will keep playing forever!

Woodingdean Primary School

Why learn harmonica?

- ✓ It sounds great
- ✓ It's affordable
- ✓ It's portable
- ✓ It's cool for boys & girls
- ✓ Free taster session
- ✓ Performance opportunities
- ✓ Music aids wider learning

Musical Enrichment with Harp Academy

We provide daytime harmonica classes at your school for groups of up to 8 children. Each session is half an hour and we provide ten sessions per term. We also offer individual tuition on request. Lesson content includes fun warm-up activities, instrument skills, exploring musical elements from the national curriculum and learning songs for enjoyment and performance. Our teachers are professional musicians, with DBS certification, safeguarding and first aid training.



Free Taster Session

Why not take advantage of a **FREE TASTER SESSION**? We'll provide a harmonica and music sheet to get you started. Dates and times for our termly 10 week schedule are advertised on the Harp Academy website. To register, simply click the **Gold Harmonica** on our homepage and we will email you further details. Subscription for further sessions is just **£40.00 per half term**. That's a third of the price for private music tuition. Further information is on our website.



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Come and have a look at our school

OPEN MORNINGS 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th September 9.00am - 11.00am

OPEN EVENING 1st October 5.00pm - 7.00pm

Presentation and Headteacher talks 5.30pm - 6.30pm

For further details: www.davison.w-sussex.sch.uk

We are delighted to be able to invite you to our forthcoming open events
for admissions in September 2025

Please come along and have a look at our school, the preferred date for families of your primary school to attend the Open Morning is **Friday 27th September** and there is no need to book.

Please see the link below to our e-prospectus for more information:

<https://www.davison.w-sussex.sch.uk/admissions/prospectus/>

We are very much looking forward to meeting you.

Davison CE High School for Girls

BOUNCE BACK TO SCHOOL

FRIDAY 13 SEP FROM 3PM



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£8 FIRST CHILD

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Is your child due to transfer to secondary school in September 2025?

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It's simple, convenient and time-saving. If your application is received after the deadline, your chance of securing a place at one of your preference schools could be seriously affected.

You can apply online from **Monday 2 September 2024**. If you would like further advice or information, phone: 03330 142 903.

Deadline: Thursday 31 October 2024

Free Internet access to apply online is available at all West Sussex libraries.



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Year 7, Year 9 and Sixth Form Entry

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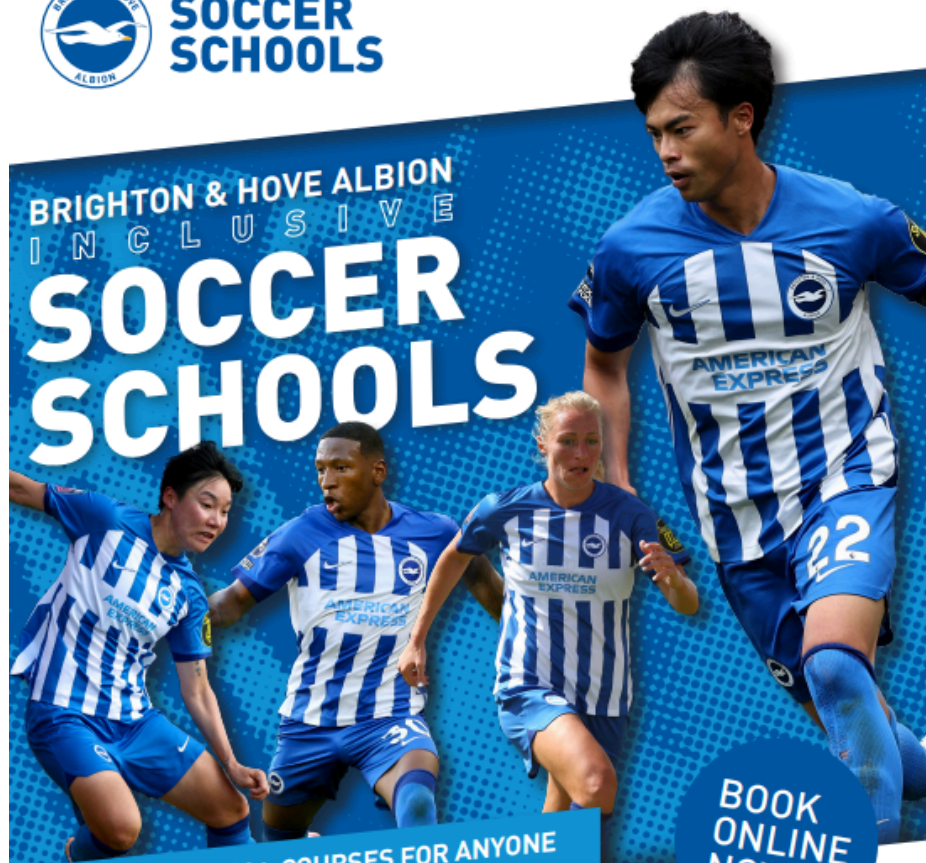
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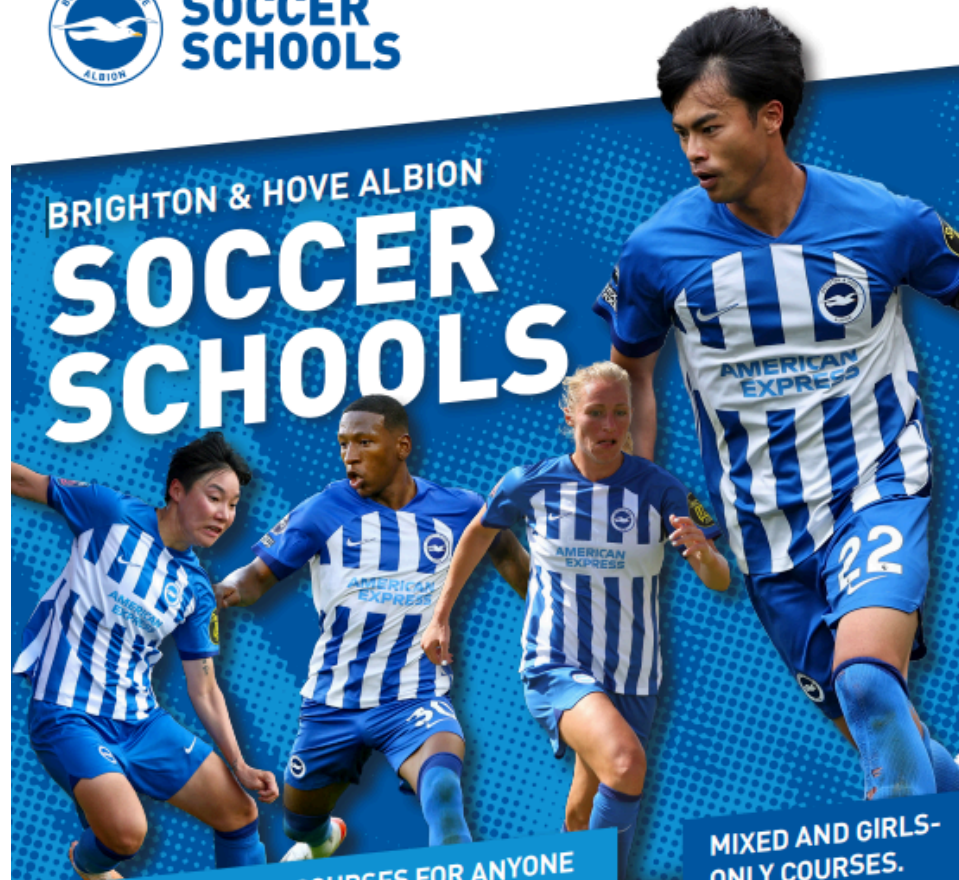
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NEW ACTIVITIES FOR THIS TERM INCLUDE:

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WILD WEST COWBOY NERF
AMONG US SQUISHIES & SCAVENGER HUNT
RANDOMISER: 7 SECRET TRIALS
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CONFIDENCE GROW &
NEW FRIENDSHIPS FORM
AT OUR CLUBS IS ONE OF
THE MOST REWARDING
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WEDNESDAYS 3:30 - 4:30PM
YEARS 1 - 6

CLUB RUNS 11TH SEP - 18TH DEC 2024
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