

Balfour Primary News

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20th July 2022



NOTES FROM THE HEADTEACHER

I am really proud to announce that after a year gathering evidence and a recent two-day assessment, we have achieved the Inclusion Quality Mark at Balfour Primary School! The Inclusion Quality Mark Award provides UK schools with a nationally recognised validation of their inclusive practice and ongoing commitment to developing educational inclusion.



Simon Davies,
Head teacher



The IQM team helps schools evaluate and measure how they are performing; empowering them to improve and grow. And when they're successful, we recognise their achievement through a system of highly valued awards that provide external validation of their inclusive status.

Inclusion promotes equal opportunities for all pupils, whatever their age, gender, ethnicity, attainment and background. It pays particular attention to the provision made for, and the achievement of, different groups of pupils within a school and any pupils who are at risk of disaffection.

The Inclusion Quality Principles:

- Promotes access and diversity
- Raises achievement for all
- Creates an environment for all to succeed
- Improves the inclusive nature of all schools

Read Write Inc.

Phonics

On another positive note, we are now a Read Write Inc teaching school! We have been recognised as a centre of excellence for our teaching of phonics and our staff will be filmed for Read Write Inc's national online training portal.

And for the hat trick, Balfour was awarded Green Flag status, with distinction! (The distinction bit is quite uncommon!) As just a sample, our award letter said, *"We love the range of activities that you and your Eco-Committee planned for delivery.*

The fact that they cover both indoor (class Energy Monitors, a 'switch-off' campaign, provision of composting bins and the anti-littering poster campaign) and outdoor (litter collections, building Bee homes and bird feeders, tree planting and creating a wild meadow area) activities is excellent"

Balfour got the Green Flag Award



WITH DISTINCTION!

As we draw to the end of this academic year, I would like to thank all of our parents and carers for their ongoing support and wish you a relaxing and enjoyable summer break.

I have thoroughly enjoyed my time at Balfour, working with incredible staff and governors, delightful children and a vibrant and active community.

I know that Mr Gunn will be an excellent leader and continue to drive forward the school's ongoing development and success.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

→ [Can be found on our website.](#)

TERM DATES FOR 2021/2022

Summer Term 2: 7/6/22 – 21/7/22

➤ Summer Holidays: 22 Jul – 31 August

Autumn Term 1: 05/9/22 – 21/10/22 **Autumn Term 2:** 01/11/22 – 16/12/22

➤ Half Term: 24 Oct – 28 Oct

➤ Christmas Break: 19 Dec – 02 Jan

INSET days: 1 & 2 September, 31 October, 3rd January

GOVERNORS

It has been another busy term for governors, rounding off what has been a spectacularly busy and successful year.

Governors met together in person for the first time in 2 and a half years, and it was fantastic to come together and discuss plans for the year ahead as well as saying farewell and thank you to Mr Davies. We have welcomed a new governor to the board, and we are looking forward to a new parent governor joining us in September. We are in the very positive position of having a full governing body, with a broad range of skills and experience.

Of course, lots of governor time in the past two terms has been spent in recruiting our new headteacher, and ensuring a smooth handover for September. We have attended a number of joint meetings with the local authority and feel confident that Mr Gunn will be able to hit the ground running in September.

In the meantime, we have continued to take part in governor monitoring visits and maintain a good understanding of school strategic plans and

progress. Governors have been heavily involved in the One City One World project, and will provide regular updates as we progress.

Finally this term, we would like to say some thankyou's. Firstly, an enormous thank you to Mr Davies, who has worked tirelessly, along with the fantastic school staff, to bring Balfour to the strong position that we are now in. We are very grateful for all of his efforts and hard work and wish him all the very best in his new role. Secondly, to all of the Balfour staff, who have faced yet another challenging year as we recover from pandemic learning. They have created such a warm and welcoming environment for our children, and have provided excellent teaching and learning opportunities for all. And last but not least, to all of the Balfour children and families, for working so hard this year and being the reason that Balfour is such a brilliant place.

Have a wonderful Summer!

If you wish to contact the school governors, the email address is: balfour.governor@balfour.brighton-hove.sch.uk

Governors can also be contacted via the school office who will be happy to forward any correspondence, or to the clerk of governors, Kristina McCulloch:

kristinamcculloch@balfour.brighton-hove.sch.uk

Best Wishes, Katie Wood & Kirstin Baker.

CONGRATULATIONS TO RORY CARASCON IN ORION!

Rory went to the Athletics School Tournament at Withdean a couple of weeks ago.

Well done to Rory – he won Gold in the sprint **and** Gold in the relay, a fantastic achievement!





What have we been up to in school this month to diversify our curriculum?

Reception – This term, Reception have been learning about Around the World. Each week, we have been learning about a country from each of the continents. We have been learning about what food might be eaten, what traditional and modern clothing might be worn and what homes could look like. We have been discussing similarities and differences between the UK and other countries which we have learned about.



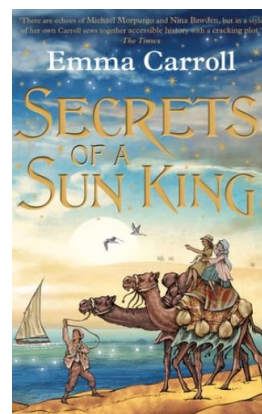
Year 2 - As part of our topic 'Nurturing Nurses' on the history of nursing, Year 2 have been learning about Mary Seacole, a contemporary of Florence Nightingale. We've also been writing biographies of her in our English lessons. As a British Jamaican, Mary Seacole faced many obstacles when she volunteered to help the war effort in the Crimea. We've been inspired to learn how she overcame these challenges with dogged determination and persistence. Although she was forgotten for many years, her story is now recognised as an important part of the history of nursing in the UK.



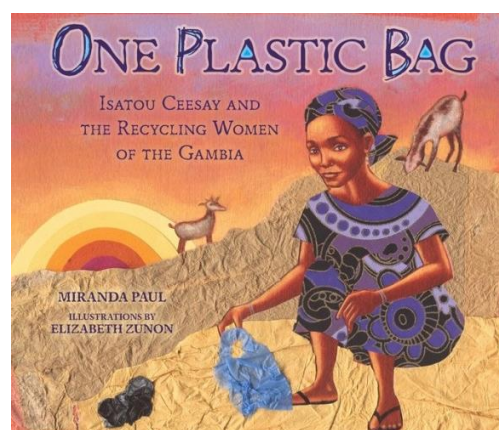
Year 3 – In Year 3 this term, the children have been reading a wide range of biographies during their whole class guided reading sessions. The children have spent lots of time reading and learning about Katherine Johnson who was a famous black mathematician who was critical in the success of the first manned NASA space flights in the early 1950s. The children were shocked by how hard she had to work to ensure she was listened to by the leaders of NASA at the time.



Year 4 - We have continued to read 'Secrets of the Sun King' which challenges racial stereotypes and explores the actions we can take to challenge racist behaviour. We have also explored gender roles in Ancient Egypt, with a focus on Cleopatra and her status with Egyptian society. In RE, we've also learnt about religious art and how Christian stories are represented in different ways around the world.



Year 5 – In year 5 we have been discussing fast fashion in our Global Citizenship lessons where we considered the human costs around the world associated with clothing production. We looked at the motivation for various roles within different international brands in employing people with low pay and dangerous working conditions. We listened to One Plastic Bag: Isatou Ceesay and the recycling women of the Gambia. This is an inspiring true story of how one African woman began a movement to recycle the plastic bags that were polluting her community. Linking with our topic, we went on to discuss the part we can all play in creating a more sustainable future for everyone.



Year 6 – This half term, Year 6 have been learning about the natural and physical features of North America. We have been using the text "The Explorer" in English to support our learning of the Americas. In this, a group of children from England and South America end up trying to survive in the Amazon Rainforest following a plane crash. We have used this text as inspiration for the children to research famous explorers in history in order to write a biography. The children have selected explorers from all over the world (Sacagawea, Zheng He, Amelia Earhart, Neil Armstrong etc.) and have been using the netbooks to make notes about their lives as an explorer.



PUPIL PREMIUM UPDATE

It is hard to believe we are coming to the end of another academic year and it has been so great to complete a full academic year for the first time since 2019.



As part of my Pupil Premium Lead role, I work with Natasha Paling, an EYFS teacher (I'm sure most of you know her!) I am so incredibly grateful for her support and hardworking approach to providing the support needed to our most vulnerable families. She is an amazing teacher and fully dedicated to both her teaching responsibilities and DPP role. I nominated her for a teacher award and unsurprisingly, she **WON!** So **Natasha Paling is officially Outstanding New Teacher of the Year 2022.** We are so lucky to have her!

In other news, we have been looking into the criteria for claiming Free School Meals. Currently, you are unable to claim Universal Credit if your household income is more than £7400 per year. In the current times, this is a very small income to survive on. We have started a petition to change this so we will be sending out the details of this in the new academic year - watch this space!

Due to the ever-increasing food prices, we would like to support our families by setting up a food bank onsite. We will also send out more information about this in the new academic year.

We hope you have a wonderful summer and we look forward to seeing all of the children upon their return to their new classes.

If you have any questions regarding Pupil Premium, please do not hesitate to contact me:

sandramulholland@balfour.brighton-hove.sch.uk



Sandra Mulholland,
Deputy Headteacher

PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) DURING THE 6 WEEKS SUMMER HOLIDAYS 2022

COURTESY OF MONEY SAVING CENTRAL



ASDA CAFE

Kids eat for £1 all day, every day with no adult spend from 25th July - 4th Sept 2022

FUTURE INNS

Under 12's eat for free with any adult meal during the school holidays

TABLE TABLE

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

YO! SUSHI

Kid's eat free from 3pm-5.30pm, Monday to Thursday until 1st September 2022

THE REAL GREEK

Kids eat FREE every Sunday for every £10 spent by an adult

SIZZLING PUBS

Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids' mains are £1 with every adult meal.

BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM

From June 27th kids get 1 mini main, 2 snacks & a drink FREE with every £4 spend

MARKS & SPENCER CAFE

Likely But Not Yet Announced

WHITBREAD INNS

Two kids under 16 eat for FREE with every adult breakfast purchased

MORRISONS

Spend £4.99 after 3pm daily & get one free kids meal (usually all day during half term)

HUNGRY HORSE

Kids eat breakfast free with every adult breakfast, daily from 9am - 12pm.

BELLA ITALIA

Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Monday to Thursday

CAFE ROUGE

Kids eat for £1 when you order one adult's main meal. Excludes Saturdays

SA BRAINS PUBS

Children can eat for £1 with any adult main. Only valid Wednesdays but on all day

ANGUS STEAKHOUSE

One free children's meal per paid adult meal 12-5pm daily throughout the holidays

PRETO

Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto

FARMHOUSE INNS

Likely But Not Yet Announced

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INCLUSION

Celebration of neurodiversity. Did you know?



Simone
Biles and
Will.i.am
have ADHD



Elon Musk
and Greta
Thunberg
are Autistic



Daniel
Radcliffe
and Cara
Delevingne
have
Dyspraxia



Salma
Hayek and
Bill Gates
are
Dyslexic



Billie Eilish has Tourettes



Neurodiversity simply means that there is a range, or diversity, of ways in which human beings think, learn and relate to others.

FAB UPDATE

MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR

The school year has drawn to a close and we have time to take a breath and reflect over the year's events. It seems a long time ago now, but when we kicked off the new school year with the hugely successful Balfour Community Fair, there was still a sense of pandemic-induced uncertainty in the air and we frankly didn't know whether we would have to curtail events again or whether we were indeed returning to some sort of normality.



It turns out it was the latter and thankfully we have seen the Balfour Quiz return (hath man or woman ever seen so much Prosecco consumed in such a short space of time?), a revamped and triumphant Christmas Fair and of course the chocolate frenzy of an egg hunt. We've also had the scavenger hunt, pizza making kits, raffles and, by the time you read this, the Summer Fair.







We of course had one big disappointment, which was the cancellation of the Circus. No one felt this more keenly than us and to have had to inform people only hours before the event was painful. However we can confirm that the circus will return next year.

All of our events contribute greatly to the FAB coffers, a fund that is so vital in going towards enriching the kids' experience at Balfour. To run these events we depend on volunteers not just for the day itself but also in the various committees that organise these things.

We are looking for more people to join us and help make a difference and over the summer we will be putting together a recruitment campaign to bring your many talents on board. But why wait until then? If you have experience or knowledge that you feel will be useful then please drop us a line. We'd love to hear from you!



Before I say goodbye and bid you all a long and happy summer I would like to finish with a very special mention to Jane Davison and Ros Allen who are bowing out as their children move on elsewhere. These two brilliant people have been such stalwarts of the FAB scene for years and they will be missed greatly. From all of us at FAB we would like to say a massive heartfelt **thank you and good luck for the future.**



Have a great summer and see you in September!

UPCOMING EVENTS AND FUNDRAISERS

FAB NEEDS YOU!

Do you have any skills that you think would come in handy? We'd love to hear from you. We have lots of places for parents just like you.



If you have a background in anything, it doesn't matter, we are a diverse bunch at FAB and would gladly welcome you aboard. But if you have some skills in marketing, website design and administration, events management, project management then these are things we will be targeting in a new recruitment drive this coming September. This will include the search for a new treasurer so if you have any relevant skills in this area and think you can spare an hour or two a week then definitely get in touch.

BALFOUR SWIM SCHOOL

The swim school is run for all levels and is priced very keenly to support the children of the school. In light of upwards pressures on costs we may be forced to increase prices slightly in



September however these will be kept as minimal as possible, if they increase at all.

There are some spaces available. Please email balfourswimmingschool@yahoo.co.uk if you're interested, or would like more information.

RAISE MONEY WHILE YOU SHOP

There are three REALLY easy ways to raise money for the school while doing your shopping:

1. Easyfundraising

Join for free at: www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friendsatbalfour/

Then when you shop online, go to easyfundraising.org.uk, find the retailer you want, click through and shop in the normal way. The retailer will automatically make a donation to your cause when you check out.

There's a Donation Reminder you can download so you don't forget. That's all there is to it. There are no catches or hidden charges to you or the school. Just more money to help enhance the children's education.

2. AmazonSmile

AmazonSmile is the same Amazon you know. Same products, same prices, same service. But Amazon donates 0.5% of the net purchase price (excluding VAT, returns and shipping fees) of all eligible purchases to the charitable organisation of your choice.

Just make AmazonSmile your default for your Amazon purchases – go to: <https://smile.amazon.co.uk>

3. Uniform Name Tags

Raising money for school couldn't be easier - next time you're buying name labels for the inevitable lost property why not use mynametags.com. They will donate 24% of the cost price to FAB for each order made using our school ID 20190 (NOT school name) or via this link.

<https://www.mynametags.com/affiliate?id=20190>

Stickers stress-tested by a number of Balfour families and found to survive kids, dishwashers and washing machines!

100 CLUB



The Balfour 100 Club is open to all Balfour parents, carers and staff and costs just £5 per number per month. You need to sign up for at least a year.

Half the monthly takings are given out in prize money; the other half is used for the benefit of the children at school.

Join anytime to help the school raise much-needed funds. To sign up, or for more information, please email fab100club@gmail.com.

GET INVOLVED

If you'd like to be added to our committee email list, drop us a line at info@friendsatbalfour.org. You'll be kept informed of committee meetings, and contacted if we need a little help from time to time.

STAY IN TOUCH

Follow us for the latest information on our events and meetings:



Website: <http://friendsatbalfour.org/>



Facebook: [Friends at Balfour](#)



Twitter: [@FABatBalfour](#)

We also have private Facebook Group pages for each year group.

A free 'Holiday Activities and Food' (HAF) provider



'THE BEST CLUB SHE'S BEEN TO ... IT'S JUST EAT, SLEEP & DRAMA NOW!'

Sussex Parent



SUMMER THEATRE SCHOOL SUSSEX

BRIGHTON & WORTHING AGES 6-16



- ★ prop making
- ★ lunch provided
- ★ family show
- ★ voice confidence
- ★ outside activity



- ★ play in a week
- ★ dance routines
- ★ singing
- ★ theatre masterclasses

BOOK NOW!

1-5 AUGUST & 8-12 AUGUST

email: sussex@helenogradysussex.co.uk

visit our website: www.helenogradysussex.co.uk

or call Gareth:
07980 607139



free places*







*HAF fully funded scholarships - Ts & Cs apply

From
Summer 2022



Brighton | Burgess Hill | Haywards Heath

Dodgeball

Game Consoles

Pool

Table Tennis

Group Challenges

Team Games

Art Projects

Crafting

Chess

ACTIVITIES, FUN & FRIENDS FOR 9-11 YEAR OLDS

Session times
8.30am - 5pm

We accept
Tax-Free Childcare
and Childcare Vouchers



MOVING INTO YEAR 7?

It's a big step. The Hub has dedicated areas and activities for older children to grow and build friendships with others who will be attending local secondary schools.

BOOK TODAY!

FREE HAF PLACES! For pupils who receive means-tested free school meals.

Online at pioneerchildcare.co.uk
For more information call us on 01444 411388
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Summer Holiday activity camp

NON-STOP FUN & ACTIVITIES FOR 4-11 YEAR OLDS
Children go home happy and can't wait to come back!

Sussex | Brighton & Hove | East Grinstead

FREE HAF PLACES!

Join us on Camp for Free Holiday Activities & Food. Available for any pupils who receive means-tested free school meals.

SCHOOL LOCATIONS

Our Activity Camps are held in safe, familiar and local schools. Children benefit from the use of classrooms, halls and great outdoor space that's purpose built for them.

HOLIDAY ACTIVITY CAMP TEAM

Our fun & friendly team include qualified teachers, sports coaches, arts leaders & childcare professionals.

8.30am – 5.00pm
Throughout the Summer Holidays

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Sibling & Multi-day Discounts Available
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per day





HAF Summer Camp

For 4 - 11 year olds



Any eligible child from any school can attend our HAF Summer Camp

HAF Summer Camps are open:
25th July - 31st August 2022

*Excluding Bank Holiday

Session times 8.30am - 5.00pm

Where are HAF Summer Camps held in Brighton & Hove?

- ✓ Fairlight Primary School
- ✓ Balfour Primary School

Come & join in the fun & games this holiday!



FREE ACTIVITIES

- ✓ Team Sports
- ✓ Arts & Crafts
- ✓ Lego!
- ✓ Board Games
- ✓ Group Challenges
- ✓ Outdoor Adventure Games
- ...and much more



PLUS Free Lunch!

Who can attend HAF Summer Camps?

The holiday camps are completely **free of charge** to any pupils who receive means tested **Free School Meals**.



About Pioneer Childcare

Our fun and friendly team include sports coaches, art leaders and childcare professionals. Sessions are planned to cater for children of all ages and abilities.



How do I book?

Online: www.pioneerchildcare.co.uk

Call us: 01444 411388

Email: enquiries@pioneerchildcare.co.uk





South Coast Elite Basketball

Balfour Basketball Club



Learn new skills, build up energy and focus!

Watch your child flourish and increase their confidence!

**Shooting, Dribbling, Passing,
Defense, Competitions.....FUN!!!**



When is it?

Tuesday 7.45-8.45

Who can come?

School Years 3-6

Diary dates

6th Sept- 13th Dec

(Sessions do not run during the Oct Half-Term)

Book your place online today at southcoastelitebasketball.com

We are a community based organization running basketball sessions in schools and delivering basketball camps and independent sessions, as well as working with local basketball clubs.

Our basketball club is tailored to the age group and includes structured basketball skills, drills and games. We aim to have fun, improve general health, fitness, social skills and teamwork, as well as improve overall basketball abilities!

Children of all abilities are welcome to join the club. Our coaches are fully-qualified and DBS certified basketball coaches with basketball experience in Spain and the USA!

Book your place online today, or if you do not have online access use the forms on the reverse.

Contact South Coast Elite Basketball at:

southcoastelitebasketball.com

info.southcoastelite@gmail.com

074901 66600



BOOK ONLINE AT SOUTHCOASTELITEBASKETBALL.COM!

Cheer Stars Camp!

Summer holidays! For girls & boys

Mon 1st & Tues 2nd Aug – Year 3&4, 1-3pm

Wednesday 3rd Aug – Year 5, 1-3pm

Mon 8th & Tues 9th Aug – Year 3&4, 1-3pm

Wednesday 10th Aug – Year 5, 1-3pm



Learn fun cheerleading stunts, jumps, tumbling, dance & lots more!!

In the KS2 Sports hall

£15 per day

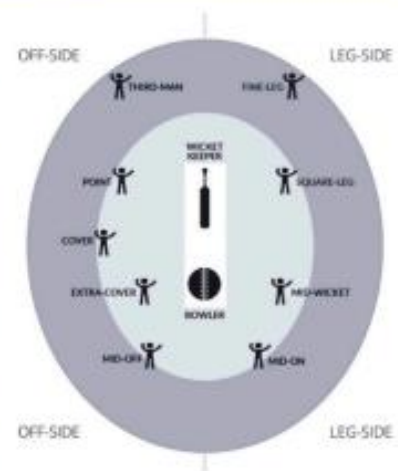
Sessions led by experienced, qualified cheer & gymnastics coach

DBS checked, public liability insurance, First aid qualification

To book a place contact Jo Osborne on Tel: 07867303725

Email: cheerstars25@outlook.com





Balfour Primary After-School Cricket



- Batting, Bowling,
Catching + Fielding
Skills

- Tactics
+ Teamwork

- Games-Based Learning

- Focus on FUN!

Balfour After-School Cricket - YRS 3-6.
Autumn Term 2022, Tuesdays from Sept 6th
(to Nov 29th). End of school- 4.45pm

A cricket club centred around games-based learning with the emphasis on FUN! We take an ecological approach to coaching that encourages children to be creative, expressive and to problem-solve. ECB qualified Level2 coach and All-Stars Activator with vast experience of coaching at Primary level. Enhanced DBS. First-Aid Qualified.

Please text message Dom Ashton for info
07894 332 867

Level 1

CYCLE



TRAINING

at Preston Park
and Hove Park



Friday 5 August

10.00 – 12.30

13.00 – 15.30

Friday 19 August

10.00 – 12.30

13.15 – 15.45

Ages 9 – 15

Level 1 is where you
will learn to control
your bike.

One session course

Riders **must be able** to ride
without stabilisers.

Must wear a helmet.

Places are limited and on a first-
come first-served basis.

Level 1 training costs £20
per person.

To book your place, please visit
www.sports.brighton-hove.gov.uk/events



Brighton & Hove
City Council

Level 1 & Level 2 CYCLE



TRAINING

at Preston Park
and Hove Park



Level 1 is where you will learn to control your bike.

Level 2 is where you start with real traffic, but sticking to quiet roads.

Monday 25 – Thursday 28 July

Monday 1 – Thursday 4 August

Monday 8 – Thursday 11 August

Monday 15 – Thursday 18 August

Monday 22 – Thursday 25 August

Tuesday 30 August – Friday 2 September

Places are limited and on a first-come first-served basis.

Levels 1 & 2 together is £40 per person.

To book your place please visit
www.sports.brighton-hove.gov.uk/events

Ages 9 –15



Brighton & Hove
City Council

Level 3
Mon 25 -

CYCLE



TRAINING

at Preston Park and Hove Park



Monday 25 – Wednesday 27 July
Monday 1 – Wednesday 3 August
Monday 8 – Wednesday 10 August
Monday 15 – Wednesday 17 August
Monday 22 – Wednesday 24 August

Ages 11 – 15

Level 3 is where you learn to cycle safely on busy roads within the city.

Training includes roundabouts, traffic lights and filtering. You must have completed Levels 1 and 2.

Places are limited and on a first-come first-served basis.

Level 3 training costs £45 per person.

To book your place, please visit
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City Council**

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FAMILY FUN DAY

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Sunday 21 August

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- Racing views
- Plenty of bars
& Eateries



**ADULT
£15
TICKET**



B.A. Academy

B.A. ACADEMY EXTRA - CURRICULAR CLUBS!

Friday
Musical Theatre - All Years

BALFOUR
**AUTUMN
TERM**

Key Information

- Autumn Term: From the week commencing 12th September
- 15:15 - 16:15

BOOK NOW TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT!



EXCITEMENT!

About Us

We are one of the country's leading extra curricular club providers and we're happy to say we've now been working with Balfour for 6 years. We provide a wide range of high-quality classes to assist children in widening their knowledge, gaining confidence, and cultivating mindfulness.

Our teachers provide high energy, fun classes and are all DBS checked, Safeguarding trained and First aid trained.



BALFOUR**B.A. Academy**

B.A. Academy Clubs



Musical Theatre

In our musical theatre club, children spend time learning skills such as acting, singing, and dancing. This club is packed full of activities which will help enhance creativity, confidence and improve pupils language abilities.

Summer Holiday Camp

B.A. Academy's summer holiday camp offers an unrivalled package of activities during the school holidays located at Bhasvic College. We are running a performance and a sports camp. Our recommended package is the premium membership - for just £295 your child will have unlimited access to both camps throughout the summer.

**MORE INFO HERE**

Main booking page: <https://www.ba-academy.co.uk/balfour>

Individual booking pages:

MUSICAL THEATRE

[Friday - All Years](#)



VARNDEAN
SCHOOL

OPEN EVENING

Thursday 22nd September 2022, 5:00-8:00pm
(for September 2023 admissions - drop in, no need to book)



We look
forward to
welcoming you
to our school



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BRIGHTON

25-27 July // 1-3 Aug // 8-10 Aug // 15-17 Aug
22-24 Aug // 30 Aug-1 Sept 9am-3pm

Dorothy Stringer School, Loder Road, Brighton, BN1 6PZ.

HOVE

5 Aug // 26 Aug 9am-3pm

Hove Park Upper School,
Hangleton Way, Hove, BN3 8AA.

albioninthecommunity.org.uk

Albion in the Community, American Express Community Stadium, Village Way, Brighton BN1 9BL Tel: 01273 878265.
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The details and booking links, are below.

The special invitation code to make the booking, is: **HAF-2**

Brighton 9am – 3pm

Dorothy Stringer School, Loder Road, Brighton BN1 6PZ

25, 26, 27 July

<https://bookings.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/soccerschools/courses/courses.htm?coursesSearch=search&clientCode=BHASS-DSS-55>

1, 2, 3 August

<https://bookings.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/soccerschools/courses/courses.htm?coursesSearch=search&clientCode=BHASS-DSS-56>

8, 9, 10 August

<https://bookings.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/soccerschools/courses/courses.htm?coursesSearch=search&clientCode=BHASS-DSS-57>

15, 16, 17 August

<https://bookings.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/soccerschools/courses/courses.htm?coursesSearch=search&clientCode=BHASS-DSS-58>

22, 23, 24 August

<https://bookings.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/soccerschools/courses/courses.htm?coursesSearch=search&clientCode=BHASS-DSS-59>

30, 31 August & 1st September

<https://bookings.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/soccerschools/courses/courses.htm?coursesSearch=search&clientCode=BHASS-DSS-60>

Hove 9am – 3pm

Hove Park Upper School, Hangleton Way, Hove, BN3 8AA

5 August

<https://bookings.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/soccerschools/courses/courses.htm?coursesSearch=search&clientCode=BHASS-HPUV-6>

26 August

<https://bookings.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/soccerschools/courses/courses.htm?coursesSearch=search&clientCode=BHASS-HPUV-7>



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Balfour Primary School Club

Wednesdays from 14 September - 14 December (excluding 26 October)
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Reception

<https://bookings.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/soccerschools/courses/courses.htm?coursesSearch=search&clientCode=ASC-BPS-18>

Y1-Y2

<https://bookings.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/soccerschools/courses/courses.htm?coursesSearch=search&clientCode=ASC-BPS-19>



Monday Breakfast Club Gymnastics start time 07.45 to 08.45 am
September term 2022

10 week terms, in school term time. Starting 12th Sept. No gym on Inset day 31st Oct. So last session of term is 28th Nov 2022. Payment can be made in full per term or by standing order throughout the whole year pro rata. On top, you will need insurance with BG and club affiliation fee. Fee info on website. £10 per lesson paid termly or monthly. Open to all ages

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Sessions at: Balfour Primary School

Dates: Friday 16th September - Friday 9th December 2022

Times: 15:20-16:20

Price: £78

Class: KS2

Additional Info: Archery

How to Book...

Go to www.premier-education.com/parents and search for your child's school using our handy school activities finder.



Summer Reading Challenge 2022

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Lego Technic workshop
Friday 22nd July
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3D pen workshop
Wednesday 27th July
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PermaFest 2022

This September marks the first ever PermaFest: a trio of Sundays that are jam-packed with apple-tastic, permaculture-perfect, family-friendly activities & events in our beautiful Stanmer Park.



Scan me!

Permaculture Picnics *Sunday 4th September, from 1pm.*

Walk with us from your nearest community orchard in Brighton to Stanmer Park for a picnic. Guided walks will be leaving from orchards in Bates Estate, Bevendean, Coldean, Hollingdean, Moulsecoomb, Patcham, & Racehill from 1pm. Bring an apple to donate to our special recipe PermaFest Juice! Enjoy the family fun of storytelling & apple juicing with your picnic in our 70-year-old Home Farm Orchard.

Permaculture Discovery* *Sunday 11th Sep, from 1pm.*

Want to learn more about Permaculture? Then this is the day for you! Take an orchard tour, visit our organic growing plot and find out more about our greener lifestyle courses. Additionally, join our exclusive FREE screening of 'Origins of the Apple'. *Part of BHCC's Autumn Arrival event that is running on the 11th September. See reverse for details.

Permaculture Fete *Sunday 18th September, from 1pm.*

A traditional fete fund-raiser in Stanmer Village with food, music, stalls & more. Come and join the family fun!



Join our communities! #PermaFest2022
brightonpermaculture.org.uk/permafest/



Autumn Arrival: *Celebrating the Heritage of Stanmer Park*

Sunday 11th September, 10am to 5pm.

Nestled at the edge of Brighton & Hove, Stanmer Park is the city's gateway to the South Downs National Park. The 18th century designed landscape is being conserved and restored to make it available and meaningful to future generations of residents, businesses and visitors.

The 485-hectare park is home to the Grade I listed Stanmer House, 25 Grade II listed buildings and structures in and around the still vibrant village of Stanmer, and the newly reclaimed walled One Garden Brighton adjacent to Plumpton College's new classrooms.

Join us in celebrating this wonderful project and learn more about the heritage and landscape of Stanmer.

On the day there will be lots of activities for everyone including:

- Historic vehicles.
- Craft exhibitions and demonstrations.
- Local wildlife, conservation & nature-related groups stands.
- Heritage tours, Stanmer Tree tours, storytelling & children's activities.

We look forward to seeing you there!

The project is funded by the National Lottery Heritage Fund, BIG Lottery 'Parks for People' scheme, Brighton & Hove City Council, Plumpton College and South Downs National Park Authority.

