



Families Bulletin

Monday 16 June 2025 - Friday 20 June 2025

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Families

It has been lovely to meet so many of our new Year 6 students and their families this week, many of whom I know may already be reading this bulletin as existing Sackville families. I met so many confident young students bursting with energy and excitement about their move up to Sackville, peppered with the understandable nervousness of some. We have been visiting primary schools to learn more about them and have our unique three transition days to look forward to in a couple of weeks time. Thank you in advance to those of you who have students who will be supporting them, mostly from Year 8 and the Sixth Form.

My highlight of the week was watching a recording of two of our fantastic Year 8 students, A Tidy and S King performing their Shakespeare Duologue at the Globe theatre yesterday. I have not yet had the opportunity to see them in person, but they did exceptionally well both in their performance and in reaching these nationals finals of 12 performances from over 130 entries and local competitions. As I have said before, the talents of our young people really are humbling.

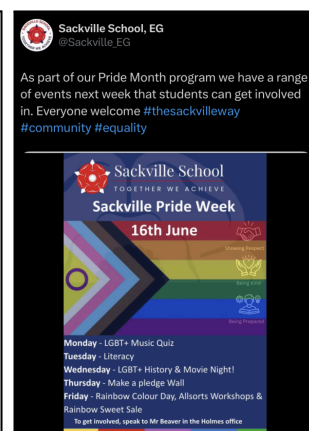
This afternoon our Year 10 students began their end of year exams which will run into next week. Please ensure students arrive in plenty of time, so they begin their day as relaxed and prepared as possible. Year 12 students also have their first mock exams and we wish them all the very best.

This afternoon, we held the inaugural Federation inclusive sports event at Downlands school. This is another example of how we work with our partner schools to provide opportunities that involve students who may not usually have the confidence or opportunity to participate. I am looking forward to hearing all about it on Monday morning!

- Finally, if you do not already do so, please follow us on social media to keep up to date with what we are up to and our student's achievements on a more regular basis. For example, what we have planned next week to celebrate the inclusivity of Pride month, sports reports and photographs.

Have a lovely weekend.

Jo Meloni
Headteacher



Hot Choc With The Head

It was a bumper edition of Hot Chocolate this week, with a group on Monday and Wednesday, from the Holmes and Turing Communities. It was great to spend time with two groups of fantastic students and extra special to have Mr Beaver join us with his Holmes Community on Wednesday.

All of the students had been nominated for demonstrating at least one of our values and it was fantastic to see that so many of them were for showing values of Ambition and achieving success across the curriculum, alongside Kindness and Community and Teamwork.

Well done to all of these students.



Key Dates

Tuesday 17 June 2025

Thursday 19 June 2025

Friday 20 June 2025

Monday 23 June 2025

Wednesday 25 June 2025

Thursday 26 June 2025

Friday 27 June 2025

Monday 30 June 2025

Tuesday 1 July 2025

Wednesday 2 July - Friday 4 July 2025

Thursday 3 July 2025

Friday 4 July 2025

Tuesday 8 July 2025

Wednesday 9 July

Friday 11 July 2025

Monday 14 July - Friday 18 July 2025

Friday 18 July 2025

Wednesday 23 July 2025

Federation Dance Show at Chequer Mead - 6.00pm

CEW Amsterdam Information Evening - 5.30pm

Art Exhibition - 4.00pm - 7.00pm

CEW Paris Information Evening - 5.30pm

Inset Day

Year 11 and 13 Prom

Turing Colour Run - 1.30-3.00pm

St Swithuns Art Festival

Year 10 Art Trip

Year 6 Transition Days

Year 11 into 12 Evening

National STEM competition

Year 5 Taster Day

Sports Day

Families Focus Group - 5.00pm

Year 8 HPV Vaccinations - In School

Year 12 Work Experience

Last Day of School - Early closure

Taylor Made Uniform in School

Notice board

Sackville School Pride Week

Next week we have daily events happening within school in support of Pride Week. Letters went home today to outline this and we hope the students participate in all the fun activities, showing their support.



HPV Vaccinations

A gentle reminder for year 8 parents the HPV vaccinations will be on the Friday 11 July 2025, if you have not done so please complete the consent here <https://www.susseximmunisations.co.uk/Forms/HPV> and when asked for the school code it is SX 126089.

If you have any concerns or questions please contact the team on 01273 696011 ext 2043. Please note the consent line closes on the Tuesday 8 of July 2025 at 11.00am.

On behalf Vaccination team

Sweet Sale - Friday 20 June 2025

As part of Pride Week Celebrations we are looking to hold a Sweet Sale. We are asking students to bring in sweets in the colour of their Community so that we can complete a Rainbow Sweet Sale. We are asking families for donations for this. Please can students bring these in by Wednesday 18 June to their community office. The sweet sale will be held on Friday 20 June 2025 - at break and lunchtime. Students may wish to bring in cash to purchase sweets.

Join the GymStars Coaching Programme – Powered by Gymspire Academy

The *GymStars* Programme is a unique and inspiring initiative designed to develop the next generation of gymnastics coaches. Created by the experienced team at Gymspire Academy, this programme offers free, hands-on training and mentorship, with the potential to progress into a paid coaching role upon completion.

Key Highlights:

- Open to students aged 13 and above
- Training delivered by qualified professionals
- Sessions take place after school and on weekends, making it ideal to fit around school commitments

- Participants earn weekly performance points that can be exchanged for rewards like new trainers or other incentives
- Great for building confidence, responsibility, and leadership skills

We are currently recruiting enthusiastic individuals to join our teams in: **Edenbridge, Tunbridge Wells, East Grinstead, Shirley, Crystal Palace, and Halstead.**

For enquiries or to express interest, students (or parents/guardians) can contact:

jo@gymspireacademy.com

St Swithun Annual Arts Festival

On Monday 30 June 2025, we are delighted to be taking a group of musicians to St Swithun's for their annual Arts Festival. Students in our extra curricular groups will receive an invitation, but all are still welcome - come and see Mr Webb in the music office. Students will rehearse during the school day, and families are invited to come and watch the performance (no tickets required), which will take place at 4.30pm - 5.30pm.

We look forward to seeing you there!



The Festival Art Exhibition
"Creativity takes courage" Henri Matisse.

A school art department is a world of its own. Students devise innovative creative projects which do justice to their ideas. The energy these young people generate as they make drawings or design a product is an inspiration. They produce work of great personality and strength of character, often dealing with themes that touch all of our lives. We are proud to celebrate their achievements. For the Festival of the Arts, we showcase a selection of work from Sackville School's current cohort. They have studied GCSE art, A Level Photography and A Level Fine Art. We hope you enjoy sharing their ideas and witnessing their considerable abilities.

The Art and Photography department at Imberhorne School is delighted to take part in this year's Festival of Arts and has been greatly inspired by the space and surrounding area at St Swithun's Church. Imberhorne School's Sixth Form students have spent time responding to the space, texture and architecture at St Swithun's, whilst looking at and taking inspiration from various artists to inform their pieces. They have undertaken various processes and forms of expression ranging from aspects of realism, texture and light to inform their own original reflections of the space. Each piece has been made especially for the festival and hopes to capture the aesthetic and holy qualities experienced at St Swithun's.

This year's youngest artists are from Ecstots Primary School and we're delighted to have them take part to showcase some of their work. We assure you'll enjoy viewing their pieces as much as they enjoyed creating them!

East Grinstead & District Association for Mental Health is a small, self-funding charity promoting mental health for local people of all ages and runs daytime activities including art, conservation and music. They help fund mental health training for teachers at our local comprehensive and primary schools.

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Friday 27 June

- 8pm - Anna Howie & The Paul Dutton Orchestra

Saturday 28 June

- 11.30am - Organ demonstration recital
- 1pm - Comedy Club for Kids

Sunday 29 June

- 2-4pm - Spinning demonstration
- 6.30pm - Festival Choral Evening with the Choir of St Swithun's and Friends from St Mary's East Grinstead and Holy Trinity Forest Row

Monday 30 June

- 4.30pm - Sackville School musicians
- 7pm - Talk: Beatrix Potter, Mrs Heelis (1866-1943)

Festival thanks go to:

- All our musicians
- Sackville, Imberhorne, and Ecstots Schools
- Oliver Tully
- Caroline Metcalfe
- The Power Arranging Team of St Swithun's
- The East Grinstead Spinners
- East Grinstead Association for Mental Health (contact penny@holandwater.co.uk)
- Our Festival sponsors: Cinestock, Grinstock Comedy Club, Hairs & Graces Hairdressers, and Energie Fitness (this year's main sponsor)

THE PARISH OF ST SWITHUN

FESTIVAL OF ARTS
27 June - 1 July 2025

Celebrate the Creative Arts

Fine art, textiles, photography, music, comedy, floral displays

Free admission to the exhibition
Tickets available for events

Scan here to go to the St Swithun's website Festival page

More information from St Swithun's Parish Office (01342 332026) or from www.stswithun.org.uk

Registered Charity Number: 1011405



Welcome to our 6th Annual Festival of the Arts.

Music making and visual art is so important in our spiritual lives and for our mental well-being. As the host for this Festival, St Swithun's Church offers a unique venue and a warm welcome to everyone. May God bless your visit to the Festival.

Friday 27 June 7.30pm
Anna Howie & The Paul Dutton Orchestra
Prepare for a soul-stirring night of soaring vocals, cinematic soundscapes, and unforgettable energy! Acclaimed Americana star Anna Howie joins forces with the spellbinding Paul Dutton Orchestra, known for their genre-blending style and captivating arrangements. Don't miss your chance to experience two world-class live music acts in a breathtaking venue - scan the QR code for tickets!

Saturday 28 June 11.30am
Organ demonstration recital
Take a whirlwind tour through the sounds and colours of the great St Swithun's pipe organ with a demonstration recital by Director of Music, Adrian Goss. If you've ever wondered how it all works and what's going on 'behind the curtain', all will be revealed! Adrian will take us through the church calendar from Advent to Easter and through the centuries from the 1600s right into more modern times. This is a free event.

Saturday 28 June 1.30pm
Comedy Club for Kids
Grinstock Comedy Club brings its award-winning comedy shows to the little ones! With a fantastic hand-picked line-up of some of the country's leading stand-up comedians, musicians, and even a ventriloquist from the national comedy circuits, expect an outstanding show for the kids and the big kids among us as well. Scan the QR code for more info and tickets.

Saturday 28 June 3.30pm
Spinning demonstration
The East Grinstead Spinners are joining us for the afternoon to demonstrate the traditional craft of spinning and to display some of their beautiful and highly skilled work. This group is celebrating its 30th anniversary this year and from humble beginnings is now a member of the Association of Guilds of Weavers, Spinners and Dyers.

Sunday 29 June 6.30pm
Festival Choral Evening
Enjoy a spiritual and uplifting time at our Festival Choral Evening with the combined choirs of St Swithun's, St Mary's, and Holy Trinity Forest Row, and hear some of finest music the of the Anglican Church tradition.

Monday 30 June 4.30pm
Sackville School Musicians
Expect a lively mixture of music-making from the students of Sackville School. Come along and support some of the up and coming talent in our town.

Monday 30 June 7pm
Beatrix Potter, Mrs Heelis (1866-1943)
A talk by Caroline Metcalfe
There is no local connection to Beatrix Potter, but her Tale endures. Amidst the display of artwork by our local schools and art groups, Caroline will outline the life and work of Beatrix Potter, a talented artist, storyteller and later a conservationist. Through her own work, Beatrix broke away from a restrictive upbringing, to live in and help preserve her beloved Lake District. This is a free event.

Refreshments will be available at our ticketed events from local caterers outside the church, and you may bring your own to our other events, although we would ask you please to take your rubbish away with you.

HAF sessions - Goodwood Education Trust

This year, Goodwood Education Trust is a Provider for the Holiday, Activity and Food (HAF) Programme for summer 2025. The HAF programme offers free activity sessions and hot cooked lunch for children eligible for means-tested Free School Meals. We're offering Forest Adventures, running 9.00am - 3.00pm, with plenty of time for fire lighting, cooking over the campfire, den building, nature trails, hand tools and woodland crafts, and possibly meeting the farm animals. This year we are running separate sessions for children at primary school and children at secondary school.

The Turning Colour Run

The Turing Colour Run returns on Friday 27 of June and we're hoping for a great turn out to raise as much money as we can for our chosen charity St Catherine's Hospice.

We are asking for a £5 donation to take part and this can be paid by MCAS under products and is available for sign up from today.

We really can't wait, Last year's event was amazing and we're sure this year will be even better!



Safeguarding

As always, if you are aware or have any worries regarding the safety of our students then contact our safeguarding team. Contact ...details below:

Safeguarding Leads:

Mr Millican - amillican@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mr Street - pstreet@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mrs Steer - asteer@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mrs Flude - dflude@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Safeguarding Team:

Mr Endersby - jendersby@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mrs Hunt - shunt@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mrs Valentine - hvalentine@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mr Dupoy - jdupoy@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mr Cowlin - pcowlin@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mrs Bull - sbull@sackvilleschool.org.uk

Mr Vallally-Godfrey - avallallygodfrey@sackvilleschool.org.uk



Safeguarding at Sackville
PRIORITISING SAFETY & WELLBEING

Keeping our students safe is everybody's responsibility

If you need to talk to someone about an issue that is worrying you, you can speak to your form tutor, Community Team, or a member of your Safeguarding Team which includes Ms Meloni (Headteacher).

Lead Team:

- Mr Millican - Lead DSL
- Mr Street - Deputy DSL
- Mrs Steer - Deputy DSL and CP Officer
- Mrs Flude - Welfare Officer

Additional members of our Safeguarding Team

- Mr Endersby - CIL PE
- Mrs Hunt - SENCO
- Mr Pearson - CL Newsletter
- Mrs Valentine - Head of 6th Form
- Mr Dupoy - Deputy Head of 6th Form
- Mr Cowlin - Deputy Head
- Mrs Bull - 6th Form Pastoral Support
- Mr Vallally-Godfrey - CIL Computing

Support Messages:

- ...something is bothering you
- ...you feel down or sad
- ...you are worried about something at home
- ...you are concerned about a friend

Central Message: Talk to one of your Safeguarding team or email: safeguarding@sackvilleschool.org.uk if...

Current Vacancies

We have two support staff roles available at the moment. If you would be interested in any of the following or know anyone else who may be, please call Katie Dawson, Headteacher's PA for more information, or apply directly following these links:

- [School Medical and Welfare Officer](#)
- [Educational Welfare Officer](#)
- [Cover Supervisors](#)

Extra Curricular Activities

Summer 2025 Term

Sackville News

For all the latest news here at Sackville, follow the link below to the news section of our website -

[Sackville News](#)

We also publish a half termly newsletter and the latest edition can be seen here: [Sackville Newsletter](#).

Next publication date: **W/B 18 July, 2025**

Futures - Find It Out Thursday

This is a chance for students to explore different professions and learn from those that are in that industry and can give a first hand experience. Different industries are highlighted each week and students have the opportunity to attend one talk per half term. Students have to sign up for the talk they wish to attend using the google form distributed to students. Come along and start to investigate career paths open to you and discover the skills that you will be required to develop to join that industry.

These are the talks that are on offer so far next term:-

19 June 2025	Working in the UK vs Australia
26 June 2025	Police
03 July 2025	Mobile Mechanic/Breakdown recovery

There will be more added when dates have been confirmed.

If you are interested in any of these talks please use this [link](#) to sign up

If you would like to be part of our Find it out Thursday program please contact Helen Smith on hsmith@sackvilleschool.org.uk.

Medication, Illness and Vaccines

Medication

To ensure that we continue to support students when they are unwell, we need to make sure our records are up-to-date. As a school we will continue to administer ad-hoc medication as per the consent slip you have completed. If you wish for this to change, please contact the relevant year team. Should your child be diagnosed with any new medical condition please contact us. In addition, should your child's medical condition change (i.e., they no longer need to use their inhaler) please contact their community team.

We will continue to provide the support and medical assistance you have already agreed to unless we hear from you.

Illness

In order to keep the more vulnerable members of our school community safe, a reminder to inform the school if your child contracts any of the following: Chickenpox, Shingles, Measles or Mumps. Please call the relevant community office, thank you in advance.

Vaccinations

Just a reminder of the following vaccination dates for this year as below:

Friday 11 July 2025 - HPV vaccination for Year 8

The consent will be online and details will be sent out 4-6 weeks prior to these dates. If you have any queries please contact the immunisation team on 01273 696011 ext 2043.

Lost Property



Please could you ensure that all items of school uniform, PE kits and pencil cases are labelled. This will make reuniting property a lot faster, easier and more successful.

We are trialling a new system to help get unlabelled lost property back to students, we have a google document that is updated regularly with any garments that find their way to the lost property, if you believe an item is something you are looking for, please contact

Mrs Hill (shill@sackvilleschool.org.uk).

Lost Property Itinerary [here](#) - as of Friday 13 June 2025.

We advise that if students ever lose any uniform or property then they should visit their community office after they have checked with Mrs Hill if their property has been handed in.

** Please can we ask that if you have any unwanted school uniform - can this be donated back to school for the second hand uniform shop, especially ties and girls blouses and Year 10 and Year 11 uniform - Also PE kits. Many thanks **

External Clubs, Sports, Services and Events

Mind - West Sussex



Parenting Peer Support Drop-ins

Spring/Summer Timetable



If you are a parent or carer to a child or young person who needs some support with their mental health, you may not know where to start and may need some support of your own.

We at West Sussex Mind know how vital it is for people to talk and share their experiences, so we have started Peer Support drop-ins across the county, where you can meet our Parenting Team and other parents who can provide some much needed empathy and understanding.

Online parenting support drop-in:

Zoom
10:00-11:00
• Tuesday 5th May
• Tuesday 17th June
• Tuesday 26th July
• Tuesday 2nd August
• Tuesday 30th Sept

Zoom link: <https://westsussexmind.zoom.us/j/86924376726?pwd=UkRlQURlbnB1bi9kZWVlYXp4OyI=>

Please feel free to drop-in where ever we can chat and get you registered with the service.

Drop-in details please call our Help Point Monday to Friday, 10am until 4pm on 01323 810562

or email info@westsussexmind.org

Come and join us in:

Worthing

The Gateway, 8-10 Durrington Lane, BN13 2QG
15:00 - 16:00

- Tuesday 18th March
- Tuesday 25th April
- Thursday 26th May
- Tuesday 19th July
- Tuesday 2nd September
- Tuesday 14th October
- Tuesday 25th November

Littlehampton

23 Maltavern Drive, BN17 5EY
15:30 - 16:30

- Wednesday 23rd April
- Wednesday 4th June
- Wednesday 16th July
- Wednesday 23rd August
- Wednesday 8th October

Crawley

Bellfield Family Centre, Dorrden Square,
RH11 8XW
10:00-11:00

- Tuesday 16th April
- Tuesday 27th May
- Tuesday 18th August
- Tuesday 23rd September
- Tuesday 4th November

Please note, due to the uncertainty of our discussions, we ask that you attend without your child/young person.

On the evening, please contact parentsupport@westsussexmind.org

Parenting Support Service -
online groups 2025:
every other Wednesday evening



Peer support groups
7:30-9.00pm

- **Weds 2nd April**
- **Weds 30th April**
- **Weds 28th May**
- **Weds 25th June**
- **Weds 23rd July**

Expert by Experience presentation
7:30-9:30pm

- **Weds 16th April - Supporting children/young people with anxiety**
- **Weds 14th May - Supporting children/young people who self harm**
- **Weds 11th June - Exploring attachment**
- **Weds 9th July - Supporting children/young people with Autism and ADHD**

To access the online peer support groups you need to have signed up to our service already. You can do this by calling our **Help Point Monday to Friday, 10am until 4pm** on 03000 3031662 or email, helpoint@westsussexmind.org

We are a friendly group, so feel free to email you share. Always a chance to ask our experts questions too.

To book onto any of our expert by experience presentations please visit our training page on: www.westsussexmind.org

 **West Sussex Mind**



PARENTING MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE

OUR SERVICE IS OPEN TO ANY PARENT OR CARER WHO IS SUPPORTING A CHILD OR YOUNG PERSON BETWEEN THE AGES OF FIVE AND 18 LIVING IN WEST SUSSEX.

WE SUPPORT YOU TO HELP YOU SUPPORT YOUR CHILD OR YOUNG PERSON WITH THEIR MENTAL HEALTH.

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- 1:1 SESSIONS WITH A PEEER SUPPORT WORKER
- CLOSED FACEBOOK GROUP; REGULAR NEWSLETTERS AND ACCESS TO TRAINING, E-LEARNING AND WEBINARS (ON THE WEST SUSSEX MIND WEBSITE).
- PARENTING MENTAL HEALTH COURSES ACROSS WEST SUSSEX

TO SIGN UP, CONTACT OUR HELP POINT

MONDAY TO FRIDAY, 10AM UNTIL 4PM ON 0300 303 5652
OR EMAIL HELPPPOINT@WESTSUSSEXMIND.ORG
OR USE THE FORM ON OUR WEBSITE -
WWW.WESTSUSSEXMIND.ORG

Performing Schools - East Grinstead

SHREK The Musical JR

Based on the DreamWorks Animation Motion Picture and the Book by William Steig
 Book and Lyrics by David Lindsay-Abaire
 Music by Jeanine Tesori

Originally produced on Broadway by DreamWorks Theatricals and Next Stage Productions
 Original Production Directed by Jason Moore and Rob LaFontaine
 Play Adapted by David Lindsay-Abaire

SUMMER WORKSHOP
STAGECOACH EAST GRINSTEAD

We are delighted to announce that this years show will be SHREK JR! There will be the usual mix of songs, characters, fabulous dance numbers and plenty of jazz hands!

Age: 7+ years
 Time: Mon - Fri, 10.00 - 16.00
 Performance: Fri, 17.00
 Cost: £180 (£150 Sibling)
 stagecoach.co.uk/eastgrinstead
 07756 039006

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FACE Timetable

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Autism: Improving Communication
 Raising Self-Esteem
 Supporting Healthy Screen Use
 Supporting Healthy Sleep
 Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness
 What is ACT?
 Introduction to OCD
 Anxiety Explained

Anxiety-Based School Avoidance
 Supporting a Child with ADHD
 Facing Defiance
 Understanding Anger
 Addictive Behaviour
 Understanding the Teenage Brain
 Decreasing Depression
 Improving Family Communication

FACE School Membership Plan
 Give ALL your parents and ALL your staff unlimited free access to ALL the above FACE talks for Parents

info@facefamilyadvice.co.uk
 facefamilyadvice.co.uk

An online talk by Jane Keyworth

Supporting a Child with ADHD

Challenging the stereotypes, offering practical support and explaining more about this condition

June 23rd 7 - 8:30pm
 Talks are recorded and available to watch for up to 48hrs after the session £24

Book online
 facefamilyadvice.co.uk
 go to PARENTS on the Homepage

FACE Summer Timetable
 all sessions delivered live online via zoom £24 each 90 minutes long
 book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk Recordings available for 48 hours

Supporting Healthy Sleep	16 June 10am
Decreasing Depression	16 June 7pm
Raising Self-Esteem	17 June 10am
Understanding the Teenage Brain	17 June 7pm
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	23 June 10am
Supporting a Child with ADHD	23 June 7pm
Improving Family Communication	24 June 10am
Autism Improving Communication	24 June 7pm
Facing Defiance	30 June 10am
Anxiety Based School Avoidance	30 June 7pm
Understanding Anger	1 July 10am
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	1 July 7pm
Introduction to OCD	7 July 10am
What is ACT?	7 July 7pm
Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness	8 July 10am

Football

THE WASPS
 EAST GRINSTEAD TOWN F.C.

East Grinstead Town u13—Saturday Team
2025/2026 Season
 (Secondary school year 8 from September 2025)

After a successful first season in the Horsham District League, we are moving to 11 a side and are looking for experienced players, who are passionate and committed about their growth and development, to join our existing squad.

Why Choose Us?

- An enjoyable and inclusive environment
- FA qualified coaches
- FA Standard Chartered Development Club
- Pathway to Isthmian League Adult Football

Contact
 Manager: Tom Butcher
 tbutcher182@gmail.com / 07514 575378

ASHURST WOOD JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

Current Year 7s wanted for 25/26 Season

We are looking for more players as we move to U13s and 11v11 next season.

The team play matches on Saturday mornings in the Horsham League and training is Thursday evenings, coaches are fully qualified and DBS checked.

For more information and to arrange to attend trial sessions please contact Rachel
 07794548186 rachel.dufeu@sky.com

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EG MEADS FC GIRLS U13*
 *CURRENT YEARS 7

EAST GRINSTEAD MEADS FC GIRLS U13* ARE RUNNING OPEN TRIALS FOR EXPERIENCED PLAYERS LOOKING FOR A NEW CLUB AND THOSE LOOKING TO START THEIR FOOTBALL JOURNEY.

LOOKING FOR A NEW CHALLENGE?
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 East Grinstead
 11-16 Year Olds

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LOOKING FOR EXPERIENCED PLAYERS
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East Grinstead CC

are pleased to welcome new junior members

- Age appropriate training sessions run by our fully-qualified, professional coach on Mon/Wed/Fri (summer) & Tues/Fri (winter)
- 1 to 1 coaching available
- Access to facilities at East Grinstead Sports Club

To book a free taster session please contact
juniors@eastgrinsteadcc.co.uk

www.eastgrinsteadcc.co.uk

DYNAMOS CRICKET

FREE TASTER - bring your mates!
 get in touch to book

Girls only sessions available

dynamicscricket.co.uk

Join us at:
 East Grinstead cricket club

Session dates:
 Friday 9th May - Friday 27th June

Session timings:
 18.00 - 18.30

Contact:
 Jo Botton: juniors@eastgrinsteadcc.co.uk

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Parental Opportunity to work with Dragon and The Breck Foundation

DRAGON
 DEVELOPMENTAL RESEARCH ON CHILD SEXUAL EXPLOITATION

DRAGON-SHIELD

Are you a parent or carer of one or more children aged 9 to 17 who wants to help develop resources for parents/carers about online child sexual exploitation and abuse (OCSEA), particularly online grooming (OG)?

Would you like to advise us on adapting our ground-breaking, research-based DRAGON-Shield training for child-safeguarding practitioners into resources to help parents/carers to build their knowledge about OG communication to better support their children?

How can you help?

Working with the Breck Foundation, we are looking to recruit parents/carers of one or more children aged 9-17 to consult on developing our DRAGON-Shield training for a parent/caregiver audience. You will be invited to:

- Attend a virtual welcome meeting with the DRAGON and Breck Foundation teams (30 minutes) - Monday 19th May 2025
- Complete a brief online survey to help identify current knowledge and perceived needs (15 minutes) - May 2025
- Attend 2 virtual co-creation workshops, led by the DRAGON team with support from the Breck Foundation (4 hours overall) - Monday 19th May and Monday 16th June 2025.

Based on your input, the DRAGON team will then develop DRAGON-Shield for parents/carers: an OG prevention and support-oriented resource for a parent/caregiver audience in a format aimed at widespread dissemination.

What's in it for me?

- Free, exclusive access to ground-breaking research-based training about how communication works in OG.
- Access to advice and support from the DRAGON team, as required.
- To be part of shaping plans for adapting DRAGON-Shield for parents/carers across the world to enhance the protection and support that child victims of OG receive.
- A priority space in a subsequent project to pilot the DRAGON-Shield for parents/carers resource (anticipated September - October 2025)

How do I get involved?

Sign up by 18.05.2025 and join us to realise our aim of safeguarding children from sexual abuse.

Tell me more about DRAGON-Shield for child-safeguarding practitioners

DRAGON (<https://www.swansea.ac.uk/project-dragon-a/>) is a not-for-profit, research programme based at Swansea University. Our mission is to apply our research to protect children from OCSEA through the development of practical tools. DRAGON-Shield for child-safeguarding practitioners is one of our core tools. It is the only training suite in existence that explores the ways groomers and children communicate with each other during OG conversations. You can learn more about DRAGON-Shield in a brief demo video. You can also read more about how DRAGON-Shield for child safeguarding practitioners was developed and the results of its piloting and independent evaluation [here](#).


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Art Exhibition

Sackville School Visuals Arts Exhibition

A selection of
A level & GCSE work
will also be
on display at
St Swithuns
Church
from 28 June -
2 July

Photography by Freddie Mabey Y13



**A Level
Textiles,
Fine Art
& Photography**

D Block Gym
Sackville School
Lewes Road
East Grinstead
RH19 3TY

Private View 4 -7pm Friday 20 June
Bar & snacks will be available

Hairdressing

**FULL TIME
APPRENTICE
REQUIRED**

EMAIL YOUR CV
www.michaeltoddhairdressing@gmail.com
29 HIGH STREET, EAST GRINSTEAD RH19 3AF



MISS MICHAEL TODD

Holiday Activities

westsussex.gov.uk/HAF | Department for Education | west sussex county council

Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) for children

Children and young people aged 4 to 16 who are eligible* for benefits related free school meals can take part in free clubs during the Easter, Summer and Winter holidays. A free nutritious meal is provided as part of the scheme. Visit our website to find activities near you and book your place.

*Check eligibility on the webpage and find information about further support and activities available. Places are limited. Paid-for places may be available, contact individual clubs for availability.

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Duke of Edinburgh

DOFE BRONZE TRAINING SESSIONS

JOIN OUR ESSENTIAL TRAINING SESSIONS TO LEARN EVERYTHING YOU NEED FOR A SUCCESSFUL DOFE BRONZE EXPEDITION

STARTING: TUESDAY 17TH JUNE
WHEN: TUESDAYS AFTER SCHOOL
WHERE: MAIN HALL
TIME: 3-4PM
WHO: ALL STUDENTS SIGNED UP FOR THE BRONZE DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S AWARD

WHAT WE'LL COVER:

WEEK 1: INTRODUCTION TO DOFE/EDOFE
WEEK 2: NAVIGATION BASICS - MAPS & COMPASSES
WEEK 3: ROUTE PLANNING & FIRST AID
WEEK 4: CAMPCRAFT & FOOD
WEEK 5: TEAMWORK, PROBLEM SOLVING & ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS

CONTACT MR PARRY OR MRS PERKINS IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS










Summer Star

Take on a challenge of your choice and become a Jigsaw Summer Star!

jigsaw South East

Read a book, bake a cake or build a new Lego model every week of the school holidays, or perhaps you'd like to do 30 stars jumps or 10 minutes of yoga every day for 6 weeks. The choice is yours!

You'll be having fun as well as helping us to raise vital funds and we'll reward your efforts with a digital certificate. **Summer superstars** who raise over £150 will also receive a Jigsaw South East Medal!

How to take part - it's simple!

- Set up a fundraising page - aim high, set your target at £150!
- Tell all your friends and family what you are up to by sharing your fundraising page and asking them to sponsor you to help you achieve your goal.
- Complete the challenge you have chosen!
- Claim your digital certificate! At the end of the holidays get in touch with us (fundraising@jigsawsoutheast.org.uk) to tell us all about it and we will send you a digital certificate and if you are a summer superstar you'll get a medal too!

Why fundraise for Jigsaw South East?

Jigsaw South East is a small, local charity who supports local children and young people through the death of a loved one. With your support we can help more families through the toughest time.

Scan me to get started!

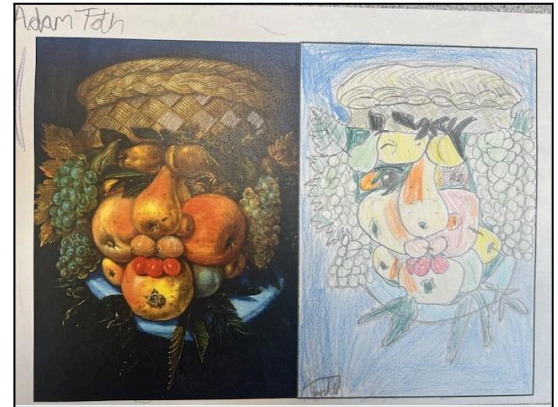
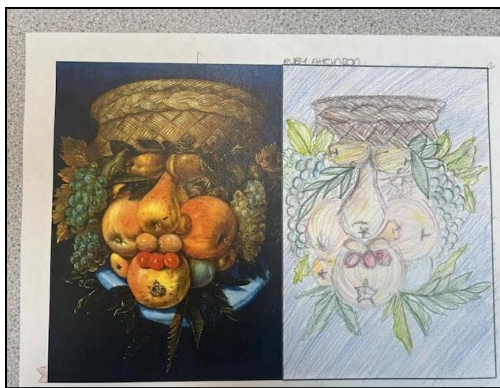
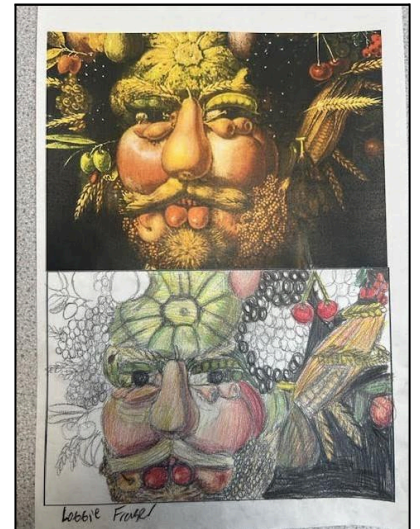
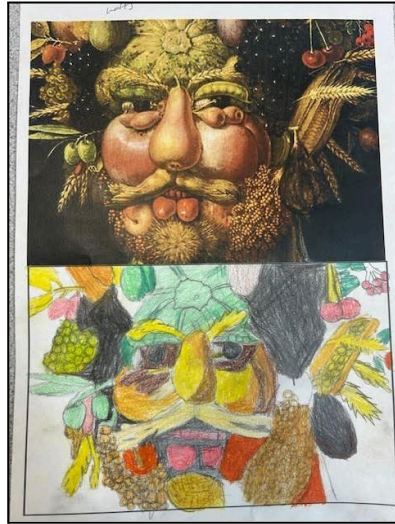
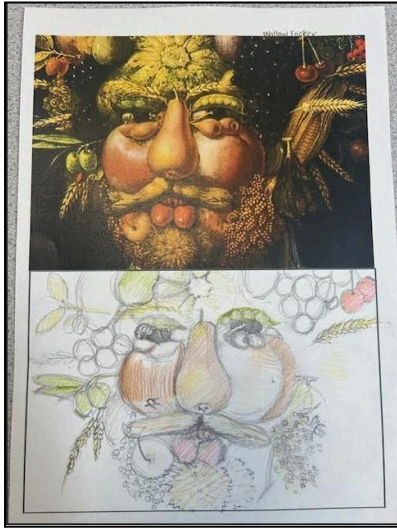


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Art of the Week

Year 9 Arcimboldo drawings - Ruby A, Adam T, Lottie F, Clark W and Willow F.



Lexie P, 9HMY - First layer of repeat pattern lino printing piece



Avy-Mai, 10DSR - Final piece for photography "Objects and Life" project

