



## Chia Laguna, Sardinia, Announces Football Academies for Summer 2017



### *Football Fun for Kids with World's Best Footballers including Andy Cole, Darren Anderton & Yannick Bolasie*

January 2017...// [Chia Laguna](#), Italian Hospitality Collection's luxurious five-star resort in beautiful Sardinia, has the perfect remedy for parents looking to entertain energetic children this summer.... not one but two Football Academies in May half-term and throughout the summer holidays!

As jaded parents kick back and relax in one of the most beautiful settings in the Mediterranean, restless children can take part in an unforgettable football coaching experience picking up skills from some of their heroes including Andrew Johnson, Mark Philips, Tony Gale and Darren Anderton.

### **Campioni Football Academy with English Premier League Footballers:** *27<sup>th</sup> May to 3<sup>rd</sup> June and 1<sup>st</sup> July to 4<sup>th</sup> August 2017*

Kicking-off in May half term, and then again in the first half of the summer holidays, the Campioni Football Academy invites children aged 6 – 15 to join leading ex and current Premier League players to brush up their ball skills.

Under the expert guidance of hosts **Andrew Johnson, Mark Phillips and Tony Gale**, children will enjoy five fun-filled days of training to help improve their technical skills as well as their physical and mental game.

Other big names lined up to join the coaching team during the course include **Andy Cole** (*the Premier League's 3rd top scorer ever, England International and Manchester United*), **Darren Anderton** (*Tottenham Hotspur, capped for England 30 times – Spurs premier league appearance record holder!*) and **Yannick Bolasie** (*current Everton player, Crystal Palace*).

Coaching sessions take place Monday to Friday from 10 – 11.30am and 5 – 6pm. The week concludes with a celebratory presentation night attended by the participants and

coaches. Each child receives a Campioni training kit and video footage of their training just like the professionals. *Price: €550.00 per child per week.*

### **Juventus Training Experience:**

*5<sup>th</sup> August to 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2017*

Fans of top Italian team, Juventus, will relish the chance to play in the much-lauded black and white Juventus strip. The footballers will be split into different groups according to their age, and allocated two inspiring coaches who will mentor, guide and encourage them through their exhilarating week-long session.

Running Monday to Friday, there will be morning and afternoon coaching sessions, combined with theory sessions, with focus on skills and techniques, nutrition and match play. Participants receive the Adidas Juventus Training Experience kit. *Price: €550.00 per child per week.*

When families aren't totting up their goals, they can enjoy one of the most beautiful coastal resorts in Italy. Chia Laguna - part of Italian Hospitality Collection - is comprised of three luxurious hotels and villas set on the unspoilt turquoise water of Chia Bay on the south coast of the island of Sardinia. It's the ideal place for families to soak up the generous Italian hospitality in a charming five-star setting.

*For bookings and further information visit Chia Laguna ([chialagunaresort.com](http://chialagunaresort.com); [travel@chialagunaresort.com](mailto:travel@chialagunaresort.com); tel. 0039 070 92393431)*

*Nightly rates at Chia Laguna start from €490 based on a family of three (1 child 0-12 years) sharing a Classic Room on a half-board basis. Rates also include Wi-Fi, access to fitness facilities and beach service. For further information or to book please email [travel@chialagunaresort.com](mailto:travel@chialagunaresort.com) or call +39 070 932393431.*

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## Chia Laguna, Sardinia, Announces all-new Campioni Dance Academy for Summer 2017



### *Daily Dance Classes for Children, Ideal for Those Inspired by La La Land*

January 2017...// New for the 2017 summer season, Italian Hospitality Collection's [Chia Laguna](#), Sardinia, is launching an all-new Campioni Dance Academy for children to run in May half-term and the summer holidays.

Held by Brit Academy trained Alexandra Gale, multiple dance classes including street dance and dancercise will run twice daily for five to sixteen year olds.

Specialising in all forms of modern dance, Alexandra will put wannabe Maddie Zieglers through their paces and teach children street, hip hop and lyrical dance-styles.

A firm believer in learning through fun, Alexandra keeps her classes light-hearted and upbeat for mini Ryan Goslings and Emma Stones: *'After experiencing many different approaches in the world of dance and fitness it is so clear to me that the best way to learn and progress is by having fun. Inputting the fun factor lightens the learning process and helps you escape the realisation of the exercise that you are enduring, making things that you couldn't imagine possible within both dance and fitness achievable for all'*.

The Campioni Dance Academy is the most recent addition to the resort's ever-growing list of family friendly accolades. Summer 2017 will also see two football academies separately run by ex-Premier League footballers & Juventus FC, along with numerous kid's club activities including sports competitions, pizza parties, water sports and theatre. Chia Laguna even caters to picky palates at the Bimbi children's restaurant, where kids eat in a fun and informal environment.

While kids strut their stuff, parents can take advantage of their time and visit the resort's serene spa, stroll vast stretches of fine golden-sand beaches, or take a dip in one of the turquoise-hued pools.

This summer will also see numerous refurbishments to Chia's Laguna's Hotel Baia, including new restaurants, a new bar, a semi-Olympic pool and 77 new rooms.

*The Campioni Dance Academy is available at a cost of €350 per child (aged 4 to 15 years), which includes two dance sessions per day for five days and an exclusive dance kit. The Campioni Dance Academy will run from 27th May to 3rd June 2017 and from the 1st July to 4th August 2017. For bookings and further information please visit [www.chialagunaresort.com](http://www.chialagunaresort.com), send an e-mail to [travel@chialagunaresort.com](mailto:travel@chialagunaresort.com) or call +39 070 932393431.*

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**About Chia Laguna:**

A collection of four hotels and private villas in the picturesque Chia Bay, five-star Chia Laguna is the epitome of Italian style. With pampering spa treatments, crystal clear waters, golden sandy beaches, endless activities for children, water sports galore and no less than nine restaurants serving a vast range of gastronomic choices from local Sardinian and Mediterranean dishes, freshly caught seafood to more international flavours, Chia Laguna offers a one-of-a-kind luxury holiday for all members of the family.