



FRIDAY UPDATE

Dear Friend and <<Partner's First Name>>,

LAST CHANCE TO JOIN THE BEVY!

The last day to make a loan has been locked down to this Sunday, 7th July. Not only do we offer a return of £2 for every £1 loaned (when The Swan is ready to pay out), you also become part of the “Bevy”, the community club for The Swan. If you have any questions speak to [Richard Douglas](#) or check out our [website](#). This is your last chance to join the Bevy before the loan offer closes on Sunday... what are you waiting for?

SWANBOLA PRIZES

We are collecting prizes for the “Swanbola” that we will play when we open our doors. If you have something that you would like to donate as a prize, please bring it along to The Swan during the week and give it to one of the hardworking volunteers on site.

VOLUNTEER DAY

Now that we've mentioned volunteers, thank you so much to those kind people who came down last Sunday. Everyone's help is much appreciated, as we get ready for take off in a couple of weeks.

For those who could not make it, or who would like to help out again, please note that we have another volunteer day this [Saturday 6th July](#). Please come down as there is still a lot to do... The Swan certainly won't be finished when we take off, but it is high time people had the opportunity to quench their thirst at The Swan, without having to go somewhere else!

Note we now have running water and the upstairs toilet is now working!

[Registration Form](#)

BUILDING UPDATE

It has been a very busy week down at The Swan. We are really pleased to say we now have a subfloor down in the bar. Okay, we still have the edges to sort out and it's a bit fluid where the bar is going to be due to continued plumbing work. However, it has allowed the electricians and plumbers in to do their work.



To meet the new building regulations, we had to add 100mm of insulation before laying the tongue and groove. This meant Matt of the building team worked tirelessly with volunteers over last weekend and during this week. Every piece layed had to be individually cut which was extremely time consuming.

But as you can see, it's only when you take a step back (hopefully not onto the insulation!) that you start to see how many pieces were required.

We now have a series of photos covering the the whole bar area. This documents not only the achievement but also that it was done properly.

There was not a single tear as the last bits were put in place and the gullies disappeared for the last time. We have certainly have turned the corner and are on the home straight.



Lino Len dropped in this morning, and has sized up the job for flooring behind the bar and other functional area. It's specialised as it has to be durable and easy to clean. It will keep him busy for a few days for sure!.



Scott (left) is one of our hard working plumbers. They have installed all the new plumbing including the new hot and cold water tanks, the new boiler, and all the pipework for the radiators in the bar. Today he was joined by Keith (right) who is installing all the specialised electric for controls, sensors, etc.

FREE “DOUBLE DONATIONS” ENDS SUNDAY

Easyfundraising is a great way to give to The Swan, for free. Over £300 has now been raised for The Swan by the 35 supporters that have already signed up to Easyfundraising to support The Swan through their online shopping. A big thank you for reaching this milestone! If you have yet to sign up, why not do it today as Easyfundraising are offering “Double Donations” until 7th July. More details are available on the [website](#).

CHEERS!



The Communications & Events team held their regular meeting at The Swan this week, as they work through some of the logistics before take off on Saturday 20th. We are looking forward to a crowd joining us in celebrating our opening weekend.

We know we still have more renovation work to do after we open, but we wanted to start serving you as you've waited long enough for your first drink. Cheers!

Warm regards,

Will & Richard

For and on behalf of the The Friends of The Swan

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