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FRIDAY UPDATE

30th August

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

SATURDAY IS BBQ NIGHT



We are holding the last of our **August BBQs** this Saturday between 5pm and 8pm. As usual we will have a range of delicious meat, vegetarian and vegan options all for a fiver each. Condiments, sauces, onions and cheese slices are all provided. The menu will be pasted on [Facebook](#) shortly.

The Swan Strippers have three full sacks of shiny copper on display in the bar. We are having a competition to guess the weight of them. It is only £1 a go. Funds raised go towards the kitchen. The winner will be announced at the BBQ around 7pm (ish).

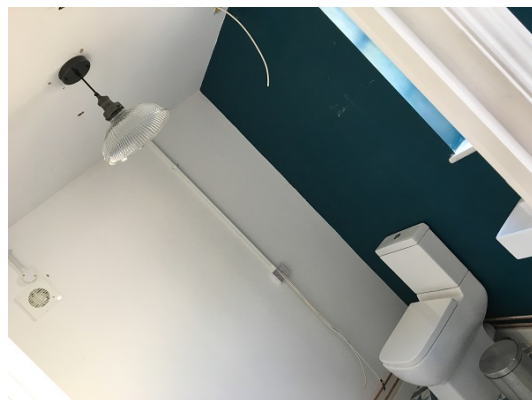


BUILDING UPDATE

You may have noticed today that the courtyard was a hive of activity. The team from The Green Room School were in building the furniture for the school room (aka the Court House). One of the hand-built items is four one metre tables that can be linked to create one huge one.



If you have been in at all, you will have noticed that the electricians have been working away with the second fixing. Main plugs sockets have been connected up, lights added to the walls and ceilings, some changes made in the ladies, new hand dryers added to the ladies and a lot of work in the school room to get it ready for approaching the new term.



Other work has been going on too. Pete our builder has been really busy with the most obvious sign the addition of the new stable door at the bar. The Gents

toilet floor has now been completed; some of the cutting required took the team much longer than expected. We also burned out the electric motor of a specialist tile cutter. However, we are very pleased with the results.



During the week, the girls have been in painting chairs, sanding and oiling tables, evaluating the stock of bench seats. When you are sitting in the courtyard at the BBQ, you are probably sitting in one of their seats.

Work has carried on in the kitchen. Timbers were treated, errant brickwork removed and we were just about to do some remedial work when bang: rot was found. A complete non-load bearing wall has now been removed(it was behind the stainless steel) and we have started treatment.

Photos will be posted in the [diary](#) over the weekend.

ALSO IN THE NEWS

The Swan Football Team is almost up and running. We haven't managed to "take on" The Brewery yet, but we do have a kick-about arranged for Tuesday 3rd so that people can get to know each other. If you are interested, please email Matt, Luke or Connor [here](#) or speak to them at the bar. There is already a Whatsapp group set-up.

The Swan Book Club have announced that their next meeting will be on Wednesday 25th September. More information to follow shortly.

Alex Loveless will be running, walking and crawling FIFTY kilometres of The Thames Path Challenge on 8th September. He is raising funds for the Green Room School and The Swan kitchen (which they will use). He is two-thirds of the way to his target, can you help him to achieve it by sponsoring him? Please have a look [here](#).

There has been set up a **Fantasy Football League** for The Swan. Access it via the official [website](#), sign-up and use the entry code of v9mq4v for The Swan.

Warm regards,

Will and Richard

For and on behalf of the The Friends of The Swan



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