



THE DOORS ARE OPENING AGAIN

3 July 2020

Hi Friend,

After 3 long months The Swan is re-opening for business. Please read on to see how the 'new normal' will work for the immediate future. In particular:

- Social distancing and cleanliness
- New opening hours
- Bar service

RE-OPENING SATURDAY 4th JULY



It's true, The Swan will be opening again from noon tomorrow! We are looking forward to welcoming you back to the pub but please, for obvious reasons, don't all try to visit at once!

Full details of the steps taken to keep you, our staff and our volunteers safe can be found [here](#). If you are planning to visit on Saturday or Sunday between noon and 5 pm please call The Swan (07458 300026) to book a table.

FRIDAY NIGHT TAKEAWAY



If you can't wait until Saturday why not pop down on Friday to collect a take-out drink or two? The bar will be open between 6-8pm for a great selection of take-out drinks. This will be the last special off-sales evening as the pub re-opens on the 4th.

See the details of our drinks selection [here](#).



The bar is also open for collection of pre-ordered Dublicious food orders. Chris from Dublicious will be there to personally meet you and hand it over.

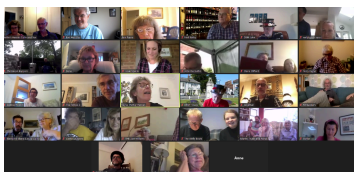
Next week sees the return of the very popular Chunky Chilli Beef or 7 Bean Chilli. To see the range of bakery and deli options, and also to order, please go our [website](#).

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - 11 JULY



The first AGM of The Swan CIC will be held at 5pm on Saturday 11 July. This is open to all Swan Bevy members who will have received a separate email advising on the format and capacity of The Courtyard. If you are a Bevy member and haven't received this detail please let us know.

QUIZ WINNERS



Many thanks to Hettie's Heroes for setting the questions in what we expect will be our last on-line quiz.

Congratulations to our winners:

- Team: The Bacon Bappers
- Household: Lego Winners and SMike
- Individual: Anne Tebbatt

and when we have new quiz arrangements in place we will let you know.

BUILDING UPDATE



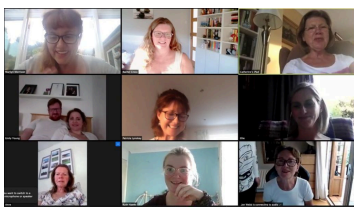
The Jayflex team have continued to make great progress on making The Coach House a safe and exciting venue for use by both Green Room School and Swan activities. We are very lucky to be able to benefit from their skill and generosity.



At the same time our Weekday Warrior volunteers have been equally hard at work helping to get the place ready for re-opening on Saturday.

The beautiful Swan remains a work in progress but the ugly duckling is certainly a thing of the past!

BOOK CLUB



Our next Swan Book Club is 8pm Monday 13th by Zoom. Members are currently reading "Once Upon a River" by Diane Setterfield. There is still time to get hold of this amazing book and discuss it with our group. Please contact [Marilyn and Theresa](#) for more details .

SEWING BEES



The Sewing Bees would like to thank everyone who has been busy making bunting for The Courtyard during lockdown. We are now ready to start collecting this and it can be dropped off at The Swan.

We are holding a competition 4 to 8 year olds and 8-12 year olds for the best bunting. These must be labeled with name, parents contact details and age and dropped to The Swan in a clear folder.

THIS TIME LAST YEAR



Another very busy week saw the completion of a sub-floor in the bar which allowed the electricians and plumbers to get in and do their work. To meet building regulations 100 mm of insulation had to be installed before the tongue and groove floor could be put down. A team of volunteers cut every piece individually which was extremely time consuming. The photo shows just how many pieces were required.



Lino Len dropped in to size up the job for flooring behind the bar and other functional areas. A specialised task as it has to be durable and easy to clean. Hard working plumbers installed all the new plumbing including new hot and cold water tanks, a new boiler, and all the pipework for the radiators in the bar. Take a look at our renovation diary [here](#).

OPPORTUNITY WITH THE SCHOOL



Are you looking for a term time role where your attention to detail, excellent organisation skills, reliability and love of order can be shown off? The School need an assistant to our School Business Director - a financial accounts role and administration duties. More info [here](#).

As usual The Swan has a lot to talk about and a lot to look forward to. We hope to see you there soon.

Warm regards,

The Friends of The Swan

For and on behalf of the The Friends of The Swan



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