



FROM IONA TO GHANA THE SWAN MAKES IT'S MARK

25 February 2022

Hi Friend,

With Covid restrictions lifted and storm Eunice blowing away there is much to look forward to for the entire community at The Swan. Read on to see what is on offer this week and locally and how we are reaching out far beyond Windsor.

COVID GUIDELINES AT THE SWAN



All remaining legal Covid restrictions have been removed in England. People are no longer legally required to self-isolate if they test positive for Covid - although they are still advised to do so. Take a look [here](#) for more detail about how The Swan is moving forward.

BAR SPECIALS



Guest ale and even more specials available at The Swan. Take a look [here](#) to see the full range and find even more reasons to pay us a visit any day of the week. Keep a look out for more special offers during 6 Nations matches.

SATURDAY CYCLE HUB



After receiving some bike TLC at the Kitchen, Rev Rosie, Rector of nearby St Andrews Church set off with Nicky and Rebecca for a tour around town. Rosie, on her first cycle from the Hub, thought a trip in the rain would be good training for her sabbatical which includes a swim in Loch Ness en-route to Iona. The Cycle Hub are back again at The Swan at 11:00 on Sat. See [here](#) for full details.

6 NATIONS RUGBY



After a weekend off the Rugby 6 Nations is back and all games will be shown live at The Swan.

Sat.26: SCO v FRA (14:25) & ENG v WAL (16:45).

Sun.27: IRE v ITA (15:00).

TUESDAY CRIBBAGE



It's never too late to learn a new skill, or to take things to a higher level. Why not join Ian and others as they practice the fascinating game of Cribbage? No previous experience required as others are on hand to help and explain. This informal group meets Tue 1 Mar at 7:30 in The Bar.

THURSDAY STAMMTISCH



The second Stammtisch post Covid will meet at 7:30 on Thu 3 Mar. This is a traditional German monthly meet up and any proficient German speakers are welcome. The idea is to have a monthly connect, to practice German and keep a very German tradition alive in our favourite local. If you want to practice some rusty German you are most welcome too.

FRIDAY TAKEAWAY



Fri Mar 4th is Bourguignon Night. Choose between Beef, Wild Mushroom or Provençal bourride (Fish Stew). Follow [this link](#) for full menu details and how to order.

QUIZ WINNERS



With Quiz questions on Flowers, Fives, Firsts, Films and February it was perhaps a surprise that we didn't have a Five Way tie for the winners. '3 Is The Magic Number' won after a tiebreak as they knew the total mileage of the M25. Better luck next time to those who made it to the medal podium, and all those who took part. We go again on Wed 9th March.

GR6 IN GHANA



It's half term for GR6 but work continued for Lexie and Joe during their visit to Mankoadze in Ghana. They worked closely with staff and students in the kindergarten, primary school and vocational college and attended their graduation and opening ceremony for the boys dormitory - which the construction students had built themselves!



Lexie worked with the local tailor, Godfred, who is part of the college alumni. His wonderfully colourful creations are sold by the GR6 at Epic Thursdays. Be sure to pop in next week to see the new wares. A big thank you to those who collected donations of clothes, books and shoes to take to support the schools and community. The work that [Teabag charity](#) is doing is instrumental in improving the education of young people in the community and we are proud to have GR students linked to the work that is being carried out there.

BUILDING UPDATE



Taking advantage of the half-term absence of GR pupils the Warriors have insulated and soundproofed the extractor which passes up from The Kitchen and through the School Room. Not wasting anytime after her return from Ghana, Lexie was soon busy applying a finishing coat of paint to the steel installed long before the tiling and grouting reached such an advanced stage of nearing completion.

A full report from another busy week. Why not join us and be part of the story?

Warm regards,

The Friends of The Swan

For and on behalf of the The Friends of The Swan



[View this email in your browser](#)

The Friends of The Swan · Clewer · Windsor, Berkshire SL4 5EN · United Kingdom

Friend, this email was sent to <<Email Address>>.

We respect your right to privacy - our [Privacy Policy](#)

[Why did I get this?](#) [Unsubscribe](#) [Subscribe](#)

Add us to your [address book](#).

