



GETTING READY TO PARTY!

6 May 2022

Hi Friend,

The sun is shining and there is a definite sense of imminent celebration at The Swan. Platinum Jubilee is rapidly approaching and there are even more reasons to be cheerful thanks to the work of so many. Read on for all the details.

SATURDAY CYCLE HUB



The first Saturday in the month sees members of Windsor Cycle Hub leading a Gentle Guided Ride departing from The Swan at 11:30. Before that members of the team will be on hand from 11:00 to run the Cycle Hub where they check and advise on all things cycle related. Take a look [here](#) for more details.

WINDSOR CYCLE HUB VOLUNTEERS



The members of Windsor Cycle Hub have shared their love of cycling with the people of Windsor for almost year. They are all volunteers and to support their visitors they need more volunteers to help with Guided Rides. If you are interested please join them at The Swan at 7pm on Tue 10 May, and then then every 2ndTue. Visit [WCH website](#) for more information.

TUESDAY CRIBBAGE



The Cribbage Club will be back at 7:30 on Tue 10 May with a very warm welcome for anyone wishing to join them. Regardless of your skill level and previous experience all are equally welcome. Experienced players will be on hand to explain the intricacies of this fascinating game. Why not give it a try?

WEDNESDAY QUIZ



More fantastic brain teasers as resident quiz master Martin returns on Wed evening at 7:30. For full details of our famous quiz nights please take a look [here](#). For those who wish to prepare themselves in advance of Wed evening we hope to give a clue as to the subjects for each round before the main event.

EPIC THURSDAY



On Thursday GR6 opened The Swan gates for their first Summer term Epic Thursday, In keeping with the Star Wars theme of 'May the 4th be with you', they styled the day Revenge of the 5th, and served Wookiee Cookies, Yoda sodas and Jabba The Hutt Dogs to name a few of the great menu items. The Next Epic Thu on May 12th is called Taco Cato and the students will be serving Mexican food, so make a date in your diary.

FA CUP FINAL



Red or Blue? Whoever you support the 2022 FA Cup Final has the potential to be a tremendous game of football. Kick Off at 4:45 on Saturday 14 May and it will be live on the screens at The Swan.

PLATINUM JUBILEE



We are looking forward to the Platinum Jubilee celebrations at The Swan where we are looking to create our very own Street Party style event. We need your help to bring together all elements of a good old fashioned 'village' fete. There will be afternoon tea and games for the young and young at heart. There will be live music on both Thu and Fri evenings. We are looking for bunting to help decorate the bar, Courtyard and all places in between. Have you got some? Could you make some? Please bring your creations to The Swan on or around Mon 30 May. Keep the date in your diary with full details next week.



Did you know that the coronation of Queen Elizabeth II, on 2 Jun 1953, was the first to be televised. Cameras were allowed into Westminster Abbey and the ceremony was broadcast to an estimated 277 million around the world. Many people purchased their first TV set specially for the occasion.

GR6 UPDATE



GR6 started their week with another training walk in preparation for their ascent of Snowdon in June. This time they took in the sights of Virginia Water and clocked up just under 6 miles. On Wednesday they welcomed back a Swan Elders regular, Reverend Rosie, who took time out of her day to show staff and students around the wonderful St Andrews Church in Clewer. It was fascinating to learn about the building, its history as well as how it's still used as a place of worship, community and learning.

Students left messages of peace on the peace tree in the graveyard. Rosie was the original Swan Elder and has shared so much of her experience with GR6. If you'd like to get involved and can spare 45 minutes on a Wednesday, please get in touch with a message or email.

BUILDING UPDATE



A big thank you to McFarlane Telfer for coming out to us this week to fit the final parts to the kitchen equipment and make us fully operational. The last piece of the puzzle is the dishwasher extraction hood being fitted by Ron today. There's been a big tidy and rearrange of the dry store in preparation of food orders and

on Sunday there will be an intensive commercial clean to make the place glisten and shine. It is SO close! Watch this space...!

The wait is nearly over. Whether you celebrate 70 years of Queen Elizabeth II, or 3 years of dedicated volunteering, there is plenty to get excited about at The Swan .

Warm regards,

The Friends of The Swan

For and on behalf of the The Friends of The Swan



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