



IT'S BARBECUE SEASON!

16 June 2023

Hi Friend,

It's our best time of year with the sun shining, our courtyard packed and loads going on, so there's no better time to come and soak up the vibe at The Swan - Windsor's #1 Community Pub!

FATHER'S DAY FEAST



Dad's unite around the BBQ on Sun 18th! Locally sourced burgers, hot dogs and pork chops from a Windsor farm shop carefully and expertly prepared, as well as tasty veggie burgers, all served with salad and slaw on the side. Serving from 12noon - 6pm. Hope to see you there!

LAST WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS



After all our hard work, the results of the Pubs in Bloom competition were announced at Saturday's Royal Windsor Flower Show. Whilst we missed out on the Johnnie Walker Cup, the judges had lots of praise for our entry, including the "very warm welcome from the hydrangeas stationed at the front doors", a "jolly selection of pots adding spots of colour" and "hanging baskets that will fill out over the summer ahead". Thanks to everyone involved and many congratulations to the deserved winners, The Two Brewers.

Also this week, we welcomed the Slough, Windsor & Maidenhead CAMRA branch who chose to hold their meeting in the Coach House, and The Clewer Clogs won their first ever quiz! Visit our **Events Diary** [here](#) for pics and to see what else been occurring recently at your favourite community pub!

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Saturday 17th: Windsor Cycle Hub



This week's guided ride from WCH is a Level 3 Explorer which adds a little more pace and distance, setting off at 11.30am sharp - see more details and book your place [here](#). The Bike Kitchen will also be here from 11am for pre-booked repairs and maintenance.

And if cycling's not your thing, settle down in the pub to watch the King's first official Birthday Parade and Trooping of the Colour, showing on our TVs from opening at 11am.

Tuesday 20th: Clubs Galore



On Tuesday, our popular Cribbage Club is back, meeting in the bar from 7.30pm, whilst the Windsor Ukulele Band will be making music once more in the School House at 7pm. In the Coach House, our adult Warhammer Club meets from 7.30pm (booking required). All three groups welcome new members and you can find out more about each on our **Future Events Page** [here](#).

Wednesday 21st: Chatter or Paint



Our regular Chatter and Natter Table is back this Weds between 1pm and 3pm. The hosted, dedicated table aims to provide a non-intimidating space to get together with others for a coffee and a light hearted and informal chat. Why not pop in, there's no pressure to stay any longer than you want to. One of our regulars, Mirella Paul, went on **BBC Berkshire** this week to talk about the scheme – have a listen to what she said [here](#).



Also on Wednesday, it's the start of the new summer painting and drawing course from Local Creatives. The course lasts for six weeks, but if you're not sure whether it's for you, why not try a trial session for just £20? For more details and to book contact Dean at lcreativesuk@outlook.com or call 07557 226263.

Thursday 22nd: Epic Brunch and Mindfulness



Epic Thursday's great new build-your-own breakfast menu went down a storm last week and GRC's ever popular kitchen takeover is back on Thurs between 11am and 1pm. Read more about Epic Thursdays on our website [here](#).

And in the evening, the School House becomes an oasis of peace and happiness at our weekly Mindfulness session – book at the bar or via pub.manager@theswanwindsor.co.uk

Friday 23rd: Friday Feast Takeaway

The Dublicious Delivers takeaway on Fri 23rd celebrates The Royal Ascot Picnic. Choose from Coronation Chicken, Seared Beef or Tuna, or vegetarian Herb Pie, all with an array of delicious salad accompaniments. For details and to order click [here](#).

COMING SOON.....



It's almost the end of June already - where did that go...?! To celebrate getting half way through the year, the Friends of The Swan Fundraising BBQ is back! From noon Sat 24th and Sun 25th. On Sunday there's also the monthly **Mini-Market** and Debs Larson's **photography exhibition**: do come along to see her wonderful work. More details in our social posts and newsletter next week, but pen it in your diary now!

GR6 UPDATE

Another great week in GRC, saw the team getting ready for the culmination of our summer term! Colourful preparations for our annual festival are well underway and legs are nearly ready to conquer Scafell next week. If you'd like

a spot of colour yourself, our range of Godfred's Goodies clothing and accessories, hand made in Ghana are now on Vinted (thank you George!) To peruse the range click [here](#) or drop by the Epic Emporium on Thursdays!

NEW KITCHEN HOURS

As holiday season begins we will be changing our kitchen hours from next week to match anticipated demand. From Monday 19th our new hours will be:

- Friday - Saturday: 12noon-3pm and 5-9pm
- Sunday: 12noon-6pm
- Monday - Thursday: closed

Sunday roasts will be replaced by sizzling BBQs throughout the summer - please do come and try our locally sourced meat, fruit and veg: 90% of our menu is sourced from within a 15 mile radius - veg out of the ground the day before you eat it, what could be better!

There's plenty to keep you entertained at The Swan this week and as we move into the busy summer months ahead, we hope to see you soon!

Warm regards,

The Friends of The Swan



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