



DRINK AND EAT FOR VICTORY!

2nd May 2025

Hi Friend,

It's set to be a great Bank Holiday weekend and, here at The Swan, we'll be fundraising to help repair and smarten up our award-winning Community Pub, while celebrating the 80th Anniversary of VE Day.

WHAT'S ON AT THE SWAN



Breweries' Month is back at The Swan for May! We'll be having some great beers on our guest taps all month, starting this weekend with: Renegade's Mr Chubb's; Burning Sky's Plateau; Mad Squirrel's Hoodwink v.2; and Northern Monk's SUP. Our guest beers will change weekly to give you a range of new tastes over the month – cheers!



Join us on **Sat 3rd** for an invigorating **10K Run** with the Windsor Town Funrunners or a gentle **5K Walk** (with or without your dog!) led by Mirella from Chatty Café. We'll be raising funds for the Friends' Frontage Renovation Project, so we'll be asking for a donation of your choice in exchange for taking part. Or why not ask your friends and neighbours to sponsor you? Meet in the courtyard for a prompt 10.30am departure. Both groups will set off together so everyone is returning at a similar time, for a coffee or something stronger!



Oooh, *Rene* ...on **Sun 4th**, The Swan is celebrating the **80th Anniversary of VE Day**. Come join us for a wartime victory vibe, with classic 1940s tunes on the playlist, great films of the era running all day in our Coach House Cinema and, for one day only, our authentic **Lyon's Corner House** – style 1940's menu, served by our 'Nippy' waitresses! Food service from 12noon-7pm, with a full bar until 10pm. See more detail, including the menu, on our website [here](#) and, *Don't Panic Mr Mainwaring*, you don't have to dress up, unless you want to of course!

See all our upcoming events by clicking the button below:

[Our Upcoming Events](#)

COMMUNITY NEWS



It was a fiendishly difficult **Swan Quiz** this week and an unusually low scoring night, but Patrick's Posse pipped the rest to the top spot to claim the £25 bar tab. Newcomer Martin chose the star prize of a packet of crisps in the raffle, which means the jackpot rolls over to £30 at our next quiz on Weds 14th. We are expecting it to be particularly busy so please book your table soonest to avoid disappointment, via pub.manager@theswanwindsor.co.uk

FOOD AT THE SWAN THIS WEEK

TONIGHT! Fri 2nd: Angkana ThaiFood, serving 5.30 – 9pm.

Sun 4th: Our special **VE Day menu**, serving 12-noon-7pm.

Thurs 8th May: EPIC Brunch with the GRC students, serving 11am-2pm.

Thurs 8th and Fri 9th May: Angkana ThaiFood, serving 5.30 – 9pm.

DON'T FORGET! Hot pies, pasties and sausage rolls are available from the bar 7 days a week. Meat and veggie options.

All menus, plus how to book a table, can be found on our website [here](#).

[Our Menus](#)

OUR REGULAR CLUBS AND EVENTS

Our regular community clubs continue this week:

Sat 3rd: Windsor Cycle Hub – it's the first Saturday of a new month so this week's guided ride is an Easy Level 1, suitable for families and inexperienced cyclists. Arrive by 10.45am latest for a prompt departure at 11am. The Bike Kitchen will also be on site be on site 11am-1pm for advice and minor repairs. You must PRE-BOOK for both, which you can do [here](#).

Mon 5th: Board Games Night – meet likeminded enthusiasts in the bar from 7pm. Just introduce yourself!

Tues 6th: Warhammer is in the Schoolroom at 7.30pm (book [here](#) – small charge applies) whilst the **Windsor Ukulele Band** will be practicing in the Coach House from 7pm as usual.

Weds 7th: Windsor Town Funrunners meet in the pub before setting off for a 45min group run at 6.45pm.



Fri 9th: Chatty Café. Drop in the bar any time between 12-1.30pm.

Fri 9th: Conversational French for Beginners, in the bar, 1.30-2.30pm.

Most of our community clubs and events are free; all are open to everyone and very much welcome new people to join them. See more details on our website.

Our Regular Events

COMING SOON!



Local Creatives' new **Painting and Drawing** course starts on **TUESDAY 13th May** – note the change of day! This time the class will be focusing on the beautiful African Savannah. The five-week course costs £100, and there's still a 10% discount if you're new to their classes.

Contact Dean direct the register on LCreativesUK@outlook.com



The jewel in our Breweries' Month crown is our **Spring Beerfest** on the weekend of **16th – 18th May!** There'll be great guest beers and ales to sample, with a kitchen takeover by the amazing **'Zavvy' Burgers on Sat 17th** – with two different DJ sets to keep you entertained. And on **Sun 18th** it's the **GRC Spring Fayre** – see more details of the weekend [here](#).

Our next **Cabaret evening** is scheduled for **Fri 23rd May** ... what will the theme be this time? Keep your eyes peeled for details coming soon, or speak to Micky who might reveal all!



And on **Sun 25th** it's our **May Movie Night**, this time showing 'Bedknobs and Broomsticks'. Screening starts at 6pm but you'll need to book ahead [here](#) as it's bound to be popular and capacity in the Coach House is limited.

GRC UPDATE



The Green Room College is hosting its **Spring Fayre** on **Sun May 18th!** There will be a range of stalls and activities including afternoon tea, paint & sip, art gallery and a clothing swap - full details on our website [here](#). Please book a place for paint and sip using the QR code or email infogrc@thegreenroomschool.com if you wish to donate clothing or exhibit your artwork. Hope to see many of you at this event!

Why not come on down and join in the fun this Bank Holiday Weekend or beyond – there's always a warm welcome and a great, cold beer at your Community Pub!

Warm regards,

The Friends of The Swan



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