



BIRTHDAY BASH AND SHOWTIME SPLASH!

6th June 2025

Hi Friend,

This week we report on Windsor Cycle Hub's birthday gathering and look forward to round two of auditions for our very own Windsor's Got Talent! Plus 'What's On' this coming week and beyond at Britain's Best Community Pub!

COMMUNITY NEWS



Last Saturday was **Windsor Cycle Hub's 4th Birthday**, that's 4 years that they've been helping our community to go out & about safely on bikes. And what a great time they had celebrating in a sunny Courtyard! There were

balloons, there were cakes, and there were an abundance of cyclists getting expert help and advice on keeping their bikes in tip top condition. See more pics on our website [here](#). Thanks to all the volunteers who keep making this possible and for all your generous donations to this great community group too. Happy Birthday WCH, from all at your home here at The Swan!

Advanced Notice: on **Sat 14th June, the Courtyard**, Coach House and Cowshed **will be closed** for private function booking. A small outside space in the area around the side door into the bar and gate will be available for non-party guests.

WHAT'S ON AT THE SWAN



In the first round of auditions for our **Windsor's Got Talent** contest last Saturday our first finalist was selected – **Sian** won the hearts of our three judges with a beautiful vocal audition. Who will pit themselves against her in the final on Sat June 28th? **Our second and final round of auditions is TOMORROW, Sat 7th June.** If you've not already entered, e-mail Micky NOW on pub.manager@theswanwindsor.co.uk – go on, you know you want to! All ages and talents welcome.



Our new **Sunday Lunch** service went down a storm last weekend and Ed will be back in the kitchen this **Sun 8th from 12noon to 5pm**. See the menu [here](#) and book a table to avoid disappointment!



And also on Sunday, Dawn will be back in the Courtyard selling the last of her great **tomato plants and cacti** (regular readers will be pleased to hear the latter were eventually found safe and well!). Ably assisted by Richard, the sale will run from **1 - 3pm**, or until they are gone!



It's our monthly **Book Club on Mon 9th**. We will be sharing our views on our latest read 'Goodbye to Berlin' by Christopher Isherwood, as well as other books individuals have read over the last month. All readers, book lovers and collectors are welcome to join us in the bar **from 7.30pm**.

And don't forget, Book Club members also maintain our **Community Bookshelves** in the Coach House, where all are welcome to

take/borrow books or donate those they no longer want.

Micky's back at the helm again at **Quiz Night** next week, **Weds 11th** - now we know what to expect we'll be ready for you!! In the bar **from 7.30pm**, with our Quiz Night Food Menu available from 6.30pm – it's already packed so enquire now if you've not yet booked your team's table!



It's our first ever **Sausage and Cider Festival** on **Sun 15th June from 12noon!** Our draft ciders will include **Kicking Goat Medium Dry**, an uncompromisingly modern pint, with a distinct dessert fruit base subtly blended with apple varieties, bringing a delightfully light, natural hue. And **Gravity Theory**, a medium-dry sparkling cider with 100% single estate apples, it has a hint of sharpness balanced with a touch of sweetness. Both are gluten-free and vegan friendly. And our accompanying sausage platter includes no less than four different types of sausage served with blended apple and Micky's homemade sausage gravy – meat or vegan options available. As it's also Father's Day and Beer Day Britain, it's definitely not one to miss!



And don't forget, The **BII Licensee of the Year Awards Day** is being live streamed from the Royal Artillery Gardens to The Swan bar on **Tues 17th June at 12 noon**, so those of us not working can all be there in spirit to support Micky on his big day! And the **pub will be open from 11am** so, whatever the outcome, we can raise a glass or two!

See all our upcoming events by clicking the button below:

[Our Special Events](#)

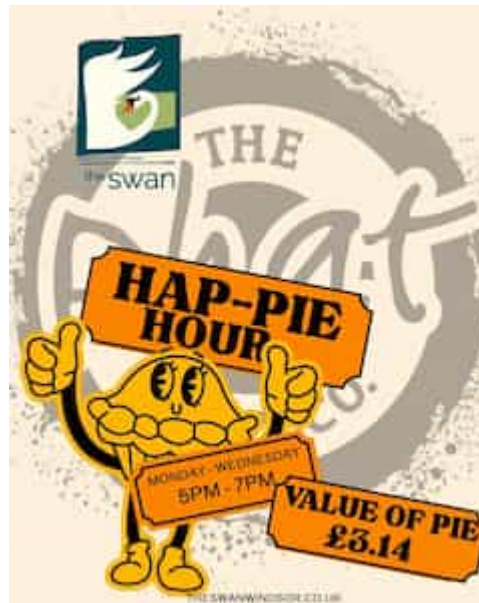
FOOD AT THE SWAN THIS WEEK

NOTE: There will be **NO Angkana ThaiFood** service until **Thurs 19th June**, when staff return from their summer break.

Sun 8th June: Sunday Lunch by Ed, serving 12noon – 5pm

Weds 11th: Quiz Food Menu, serving 6.30 – 9pm.

Thurs 12th: **EPIC Thursday Brunch** this week is a fundraiser for the Alzheimer's Society. Come and support our GRC students and a great cause at the same time, serving 11am – 2pm.



Hot pies, pasties and sausage rolls are available from the bar 7 days a week. Meat and veggie options. And from next week it's **Hap-pie Hour** (well, two hours actually!) **Mondays to Wednesdays every week from 5-7pm** with pies at just £3.14 - the value of Pi, geddit?!

Finally, Chris is taking a well-earned break so there will be **NO Dublicious takeaway on Fri 13th or Fri 20th**. But never fear, they'll be back on June 27th – more details to follow.

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 7th: Windsor Cycle Hub – it's the 1st Saturday of the month so the guided ride this week is a Level 1 Easy Ride, suitable for inexperienced cyclists. Arrive by 10.45am latest to register and have your bike checked ready for a prompt 11am departure. The Bike Kitchen will also be on site 11-1pm for advice and minor repairs. Both the ride and repairs **MUST BE PRE-BOOKED** which you can do [here](#).

NOTE: Mirella is away so there will be **NO formal Dog Walk** tomorrow, but feel free to meet and do your own thing if you wish!

Mon 9th: Book Club, in the bar at 7.30pm.

Tues 10th: Super Tuesday! **Windsor Ukulele Band** will be in the Coach House from 7pm and **Art Class** (fee applies) in Stable 3/4 at the same time. At 7.30pm, **Warhammer** (fee applies) is in the Schoolroom and **Cribbage Club** meet in the bar.



Weds 11th: **Windsor Town Funrunners** meet in the pub before setting off for a 45min group run at 6.45pm, whilst **Quiz Night** is in the bar from 7.30pm.

Thurs 12th: **Chess Club** meets in the bar from 3.30pm – our newest club, why not find out what it's all about!

Fri 13th: **Chatty Café.** Drop in the bar any time between 12-1.30pm.

NOTE: there is **NO Conversational French** class today (6th June) or Fri 13th while teacher Mirella is away on holiday. Back on Fri 20th.

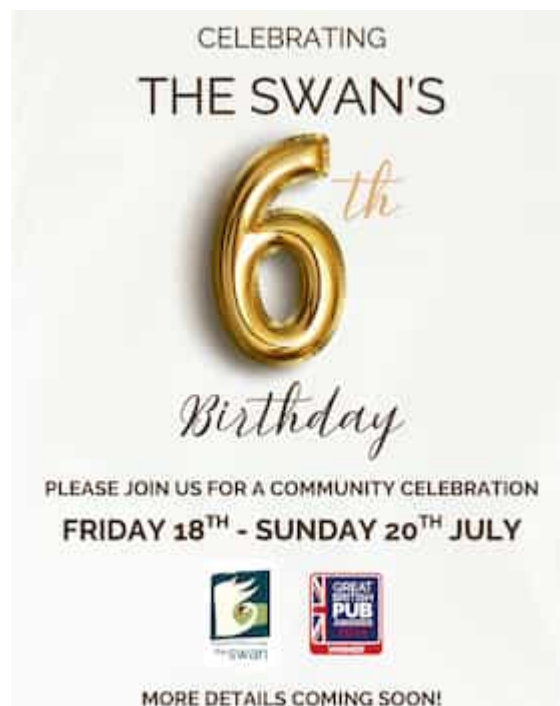
Most of our community clubs and events are free; all are open to everyone and very much welcome new people to join them – see more details on our website by clicking the orange button below:

[Our Regular Events](#)

COMING SOON!



It's our monthly **Movie Night on Sun 29th** June, and this time it's feelgood musical 'The Commitments'. Come and sing along to all your soul favourites (no need to dress up if you don't want to!). Screening starts at 6pm – free entry but book your seat as capacity is limited.



It's **The Swan's 6th Birthday** on Saturday 19th July and we have a fun packed weekend planned to celebrate! More details coming soon but here's what we know so far:

Starting on the afternoon of **Fri 18th**, we have a Pizza Party, birthday cake and a lively DJ spinning the tunes - perfect for the little people and their parents on the last day of term!

On the day itself, **Sat 19th**, there'll be a Burgers and Dogs, games, more birthday cake and live music in the evening!

And on **Sun 20th** we plan a lazy day with Sunday Roasts from the kitchen, a Courtyard Market and a laid back DJ set to recover, relax and enjoy all we have built in 6 years! You never know, there might even be more cake.....!

As always, there's lots going on at The Swan over the coming weeks. Why not come and see for yourself - there's always a warm welcome!

Warm regards,

The Friends of The Swan



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