



GOOD FOOD AND COMMUNITY FRIENDS

12th September 2025

Hi Friend,

This week we highlight two fundraising events beyond The Swan but within our wider community, as well as celebrating our own successes, with 6 evenings a week of great food and our amazing collection of regular clubs and entertainment nights.

COMMUNITY NEWS



Our friends and neighbours at **St Andrew's** are holding a fundraising **Churchyard Tea** tomorrow, Sat 13th between 3-5pm. There'll be High Teas and Cream Teas to enjoy in the Churchyard, with all proceeds towards the **church building restoration project**. Please pop along to support them if you can.

THE BIG SLEEP OUT

Windsor Homeless Project
Enabling homeless and vulnerable people to rebuild their lives



SAVE THE DATE
OCTOBER 17TH 2025
@ WINDSOR RUGBY CLUB

HELP US RAISE VITAL FUNDS TO SUPPORT THE HOMELESS & VULNERABLE
IN WINDSOR BY SPONSORING/DONATING OR SLEEPING OUT WITH US.

CORPORATE, SPORTS CLUB & SCHOOL TEAMS PARTICULARLY WELCOME

7PM - 7AM FRIDAY OCTOBER 17TH AT WINDSOR RUGBY CLUB IN HOME PARK.



Ticketed event registration essential
visit : www.windsorhomelessproject.org/events
Scan the QR code for the JustGiving link
justgiving.com/campaign/the-big-sleep-out

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WINDSOR RUGBY CLUB

Windsor Homeless Project



Our Annual Community Charity, **Windsor Homeless Project**, have their flagship fundraising event next month with **The Big Sleep Out**. We are looking to put together a Swan team to help them raise money for their vital work – if you would be interested in finding out more, **pop down to the bar next Weds 17th Sept at 7.30pm**, where previous participant Dawn will tell you more about what it involves. Let's get a great community team together!



Last Wednesday's quiz went down a storm, with a mix of questions ranging from politics to shapes – remind me again...what shaped peg won't fit into what shaped hole?! There wasn't much in it between all the teams but **'We Thought It Was Speed Dating'** came out on top to win the bar tab and **Rachel from newbies 'Almost All The Single Ladies'** picked the Jackpot in the raffle to walk away with a cool £40! See more on our popular quiz nights [here](#).

Our **next quiz is on Weds 24th September**, when Quiz Lord Martin is back, the raffle jackpot will be back at £10 and we'll be warming up the party atmosphere for the Great British Pub Awards Ceremony live-streaming into the bar afterwards! If you've not yet booked your table, contact pub.manager@theswanwindsor.co.uk now – it will be even more busy than normal!

WHAT'S ON AT THE SWAN



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Next **Thurs 18th** heralds **the return of Bingo** after the summer! Caller Richard and (not so) glamorous assistant Trudy will be there for a great night of traditional entertainment, with boozy prizes and the Top of the Bill cash jackpot. Entry sales from 7.30pm ready for **'eyes down' at 8pm**. It's advisable to book!

OUR REGULAR CLUBS AND EVENTS

Our regular community clubs continue this week:

Sat 13th: Windsor Cycle Hub - it's the 2nd Saturday of the month so the guided ride is a Level 2 Moderate ride, suitable for inexperienced cyclists. Arrive by 10.45am latest for a prompt 11am departure. The Bike Kitchen will also be onsite 11am-1pm for minor repairs and advice. You **MUST BE PRE-BOOK** either which you can do [here](#).

Tues 16th: Windsor Ukulele Band will be practicing in the Coach House from 7pm, whilst the **Warhammer** group meets in the Schoolroom at 7.30pm (charge applies).

Weds 17th: Windsor Town Funrunners meet in the bar/courtyard before setting off 6.45pm for a 45min run. And it's our **Swan Song Jam Night** in the

Coach House from 7.30pm.

Thurs 18th: Chess Club, meets in the bar from 3.30pm. And it's 'eyes down' for **Bingo** at 8pm.

Fri 19th: Chatty Café, drop in and join us in the bar any time between 12-1.30pm.

NB: Our Conversational French class on Friday afternoons is currently paused while teacher Mirella recovers from surgery. Classes will resume during October - we'll let you know when we have a confirmed date!

Most of our community clubs and events are free; all are open to everyone and very much welcome new people to join them. In most cases you just need to turn up and introduce yourself - see more details on our website by clicking the button below:

[Our Regular Events](#)

FOOD AT THE SWAN THIS WEEK

TONIGHT! Fri 12th: Angkana ThaiFood, with a new refreshed menu, serving 5.30 - 9pm.

Sat 13th: The Jackfruit, Italian Lunch Menu, 12noon – 3pm and **Sri Lankan Dinner Menu**, 5.30 – 9pm.

Sun 14th: Social Grazin Sunday Roasts, 12noon – 5pm.

Tues 16th – Weds 17th: Our great new food offer got off to a flying start last week, with Chef Ed getting lots of compliments. If you haven't yet managed to get down to try **Social Grazin's great pub grub menu**, then book soon, you won't be disappointed! Serving 5.30pm - 9pm both evenings.

... PUB DISHES ...		... PIZZA ...	
Paprika Pulled Pork	15	All our Pizza's are made fresh and baked on our pizza oven for a fired finish	
On grilled sourdough, tomato relish, chipotle mayonnaise, mixed leaf salad & skin on chips		Classic Margherita	11
Caesar Salad	14	Paprika Pulled Pork	13
With or without chicken, sourdough croutons, baby gem lettuce, shaved parmesan, Caesar dressing		Pepperoni	13
Fish & Chips	16	Vegetarian	12
Beer batter cod, crushed garden peas, skin on chips & tartare sauce		Olives, Mushrooms & Basil	
Classic Beef Burger	16		
Brioche bun, deep fried gherkins, onion rings, mixed leaf salad & skin on chips			
Jerk Chicken Burger	16		
Brioche bun, red cabbage slaw, chipotle mayonnaise & skin on chips			
Linguine	14		
With olives and fresh Pesto (Vegan)			
Classic Veggie Burger	16		
Brioche bun, deep fried gherkins, onion rings, mixed leaf salad & skin on chips			



Thurs 18th: EPIC Thursday, the Green Room College students are back with their great brunch service, serving 11am - 2pm.

Thurs 18th and Fri 19th Angkana ThaiFood, serving 5.30 - 9pm both nights.

Plus our **Friday Feast takeaway from Dublicious on Fri 19th** is 'Smokehouse Bun Night'. Order [here](#) by 5pm Weds 17th for pick up at The Swan 6-6.30pm Fri 19th.

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

[Our Menus](#)

COMING SOON!



Heads up film lovers! Our Sept Movie Night is **a week earlier than usual on Sun 21st Sept**. This month we are showing the classic **Wizard of Oz** – lots of dressing up options there if you are so inclined, but it's not compulsory! Just sing-a-long, hum or tap your feet to its classic tunes. Free entry but limited capacity so early booking strongly advised.



Have we told you we are once again finalists in the Best Community Pub category of **Great British Pub Awards 2025?! Come and join us as the awards ceremony is live streamed into the pub from around 9pm, Weds 24th.** Better still, come and join us for our normal quiz night first, then stay on to see whether we can make it two years in a row! Win or not, it's an accolade for our little community pub and there'll be a glass of something for a toast as the results are revealed!



Our next big event is nearly upon us – **Oktoberfest!** Join us over the weekend of **27th-28th Sept** for a full range of traditional Bavarian beers and street food menu. We are open Saturday and Sunday, and **both days are free to attend!**

See all our upcoming events by clicking the button below:

[Our Special Events](#)

WE ARE HIRING!



We are hiring casual bar staff at The Swan. We are officially the best Community Pub in Great Britain, the best pub in our local MP's constituency, finalists in the Licensee of the Year Awards, in the CAMRA Good Beer Guide five years running and now finalists in the GBPA 2025. Would you like to be part of that history? **Email your CV** to Bar Manager Michael via pub.manager@theswanwindsor.co.uk with '**Bar Staff Opportunities**' in the subject line.

We hope you have a great weekend and find something you'd enjoy this week or beyond at The Swan - we're not just a pub, we're a community hub, with lots going on!

Warm regards,

The Friends of The Swan



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