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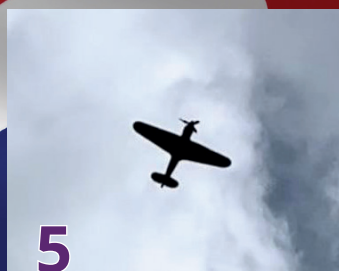
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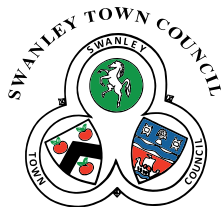
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A word from the Mayor Councillor Lesley Dyball

It gives me the greatest pleasure and privilege to have been elected to serve again as Mayor of Swanley. On behalf of us all in Swanley I would like to thank our outgoing Mayor Councillor Paul Darrington and his Consort, Councillor Glynnis Darrington for their term of office in what was a difficult year as the slow recovery from the global COVID-19 pandemic began. I do hope you managed to celebrate our Queen's Platinum Jubilee in one way or another over the long Bank Holiday at the start of June.

My year in office really took off with the celebrations in Swanley.

On Thursday 02 June, I attended the Afternoon Tea held at the Alexandra Suite where the guests enjoyed singing and dancing, street-party style, accompanied by a delicious afternoon tea.

My thanks to all who took part in the raffle which raised over £270 for the Mayor's Charity, Home Start North West Kent.

I later visited Kennett Court in Swanley where the residents' party had been in full swing all afternoon.

My thanks to the residents and manager, Jo, who made us feel so welcome.

We thoroughly enjoyed joining in! The first day of celebrations culminated with the beacon lighting

on Swanley Recreation Ground, which was very well attended by local residents.

The beacon lighting was preceded with a piper playing "Diu Regnum" and the Erith Operatic Society singing "A Life Lived With Grace".

The following day I attended New Creations Collective's "The Secret Garden" ballet in Swanley Park, which provided a wonderful backdrop for the performance from accomplished dancers and musicians.

On Sunday 05 June I attended Picnic in the Park in Swanley Park where children's entertainment and fun activities were laid on by the Town Council.

Thankfully, despite the forecast, it didn't rain, and certainly didn't deter the park visitors and picnickers from enjoying the afternoon.

As mentioned, the charity I have chosen to support during my term of office this year with various fundraising events is Home Start North West Kent. There is a growing need for Home Start's services in Swanley supporting families with young children through difficult and challenging times.

With the Town Council's community programme planned for the forthcoming year, I do hope to meet some of you at our events during the coming months.

With very best wishes.

Lesley Dyball

Mayor of Swanley
Town Council

Our CEO

Summer has finally arrived, and the towns floral arrangements have burst into life.

It was a particularly cold and wet spring but that did not dampen our spirits with various events happening across the season.

St George's Day was back after two years missed!

The weather was kind to us, and good-natured fun was had with lots of entertainment and an array of stalls to peruse at leisure.

Hot on the heels of St George's Day was of course the national build up and then celebrations for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee.

The Town Council hosted events each day across our sites and residents hosted fantastic street parties and 'Big Jubilee Lunches'.

The month of June was a busy one for events with our very first Swanley Skate Jam at Swanley Recreation Ground.

At the event there was plenty to see with a DJ set, stalls, raffle, coaching and professional skating performances.

At the end of the Skate Jam it was a great privilege to announce the success of the fundraising efforts to

replace the Skate Park.

Co fundraising partners Concrete Wave were also present when the total of £250,000 raised was announced.

Work has already commenced on land surveys and project planning, and we look forward to seeing the new Skate Park soon.

Across the town and at Swanley Park, flamingos have landed! Not the species inhabited throughout the Americas, but flamingo pedalos.

These have proven extremely popular already and have complemented our new swan pedalos which arrived in early spring.

Elsewhere in the park, new paths have been laid as we work through our plan to upgrade all routes around the site and the café has a new look with additional covered space, new entrance and serving hatch all installed.

With the summer now here, it has never been a better time to visit Swanley Park.

Ryan M Hayman

CEO 3



Swanley Skate Jam

On Saturday 11th June Swanley Town Council hosted 'Swanley Skate Jam' in partnership with Sevenoaks District Council: this event was funded by Kent County Council as part of their young people services project.

Throughout the day there was plenty to see with various stalls, DJ, raffle, free skateboarding coaching, performances and more.

Just two days before the event we received the wonderful news that we had reached the £250,000 goal to rebuild the Skate Park.

JD O'Brien from Concrete Wave who initiated the fundraising project in partnership with Swanley Town Council presented a cheque to the local users at the event.

Mayor of Swanley Cllr Lesley Dyball said "What a fantastic event this was! My thanks to everyone involved. It was great to see so many youngsters (and not so young!) enjoying themselves.

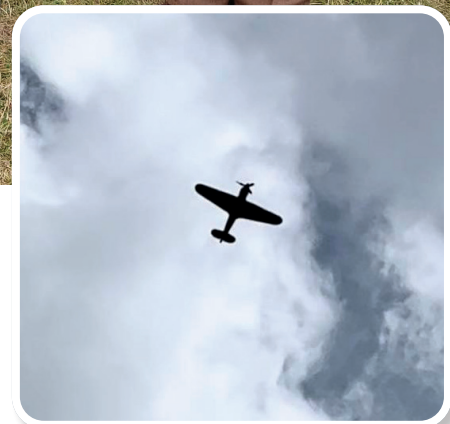
I do not think I've ever seen the



Skate Park being so well used. Of course, the news just a couple of days before this event that our fundraising had reached £250,000 to rebuild our skatepark, really made the day as the plans for the rebuild come a step closer".



Armed Forces Day



On the 25th June Swanley Town Council celebrated Armed Forces Day by holding an event on Swanley Recreation Ground.

Army cadets from both Swanley and Gravesend detachments were present with a display showing ration packs, equipment and even scramble net races for public participation.

There were stalls such as The Royal British Legion, SAFFA and The Danny Golligan Trust who provide ex-service personnel with temporary accommodation, food and welfare support.

Also in attendance were the Mayor's Charity, Home-Start North West Kent, who provide expert support and help to families with young children through challenging times.

For more information on Home-Start North West Kent, please visit www.homestartnwkent.org.uk

The Cadets were inspected by Rosemary Dymond DL of Kent prior to the Armed Forces Flag being raised.

The Mayor of Swanley Cllr Lesley Dyball said "It was great to see so many people enjoying the day. Musical entertainment was provided by the Mardi Gras Band and there were a number of arena events including an exciting BMX display.

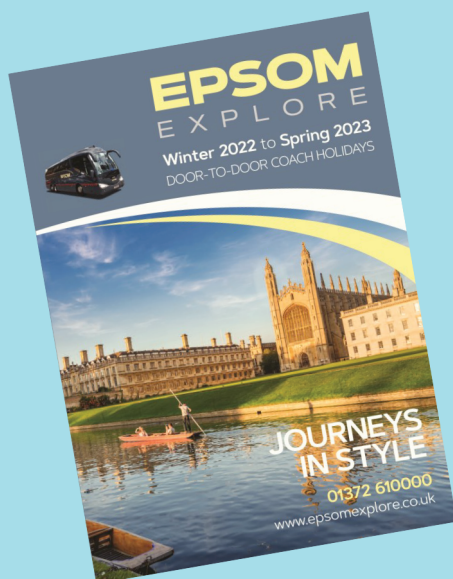
At 14.40 the Hawker Hurricane from the Battle Of Britain Memorial flight provided a flypast over the recreation ground which was a genuine crowd pleaser".

Toni Roast, Assistant Town Clerk, said "I originally had a Spitfire booked but sadly this was not able to come, but to have the Hawker Hurricane instead (especially as it was still being serviced on the morning of the 25th) was amazing".

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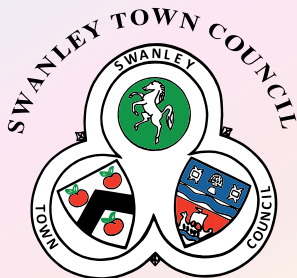


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Swanley Town Council EVENTS CALENDAR 2022

Jubilee Fireworks (1812 night)
Friday 26th August

Family Fest
Saturday 27th August

Fireworks
Friday 4th November

Remembrance Day Parade
Sunday 13th November

Light Up The Town
Saturday 3rd December

Dick Whittington Pantomime
Tuesday 20th December

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Jubilee Fireworks Event

(Formerly 1812 Night)

Friday 26th August 2022

Ashton Harley - 18:20

Rock Choir - 19:10

Eynsford Concert Band - 20:00

Fireworks - 21:00

Swanley Park, New Barn Road, BR8 7PW

Free event & entry*

Park facilities open from 11am



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Swanley celebrates the Queen's Platinum Jubilee



More than 70,000 Big Jubilee Lunches were held in the four UK nations over the weekend, with an estimated ten million people sitting down with neighbours to celebrate Her Majesty's momentous jubilee.

From street parties and 'Big Jubilee Lunches' happening across the UK, to London's Trooping the Colour, Service of Thanksgiving, concert and pageant, the nation and Commonwealth came together over four days to mark The Queen's 70-year reign.

In Swanley we celebrated the Platinum Jubilee in style with events held each day across the town. Afternoon tea, sandwiches and cake were served up with entertainment at The Alexandra Suite to nearly 150 people.

After which the town beacon was lit to the Queen's personal specification, which also included singing of "A Life Lived With Grace" and a piper playing "Diu Regnare".

This event concluded the first day of celebrations.

On day two Swanley Village Residents' Association hosted a party on the Swanley Village Green which was filled with music, games, food and drink stalls. This event was sponsored by the Town Council.

At The Olympic, a themed karaoke night of enjoyment was had with some questionable singing!

On the Saturday, and day three of the celebrations, various areas around the town hosted 'Big Jubilee Lunches', where a good time was had by all, with drink and food consumed and good old fashioned conversation occurred between neighbours and friends.

Photographer Kieran Judd managed to capture the day by visiting sites across Swanley.

Picnic In The Park was held during the final day of the Platinum Jubilee. 500 visitors enjoyed the fun filled day hosted at Swanley Park which was for the whole family.

The day consisted of entertainment, games, children's races and food and drink stalls.

Not content with finishing the celebrations too early, a themed quiz was also held at The Olympic which rounded off the four day tribute. The Mayor of Swanley, Cllr Dyball said "Each community event for the Jubilee has been fantastic, and the whole weekend as a collective was absolutely incredible.

It has been a privilege for Swanley to acknowledge our Monarch's Platinum Jubilee in such a spectacular way."

Photographs by Kieran Judd



Afternoon Tea Jubilee



Beacon Lighting



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St George's Day

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A full day of entertainment was provided by a variety of acts including Punch and Judy shows from Mrs Back 2 Front, The East Kent Morris Dancers, Wrights Dance Co, The Big Sing Choir, Pendragon Circus, and Erith Operatic Society.

Local residents had a craft stall selling home made items, Swanley Bowls and Swanley Rugby Football Club were recruiting, and the Sevenoaks Branch of Guide Dogs brought some puppies along which helped with their training and encourage people to sponsor a puppy.

The Police cadets assisted Swanley Town Council with the colouring stall and did a brilliant job litter picking in and around the town centre and on Swanley Recreation Ground.



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The outgoing Mayor's Charities 2021/2022



The outgoing Mayor for 2021/2022, Cllr Paul Darrington, was delighted to present Trevor Glen from The Cygnet Club and Rachel Taylor of the Cystic Fibrosis Trust with cheques for £2,000 each.

The Cygnet Club



The Cygnet Club are a local charity who provide support for residents with learning disabilities in Swanley, Dartford and the surrounding area. Mr Glen said that "this donation would be a great help towards providing continued help and support to their members." The club meets on

a Thursday evening between 7.00pm and 10.00pm at the Leyton Cross Social Club, Wilmington, Kent, DA2 7AX.

Membership is £4.00 per week to cover costs but your first week is free so it is well worth popping along to say hello!

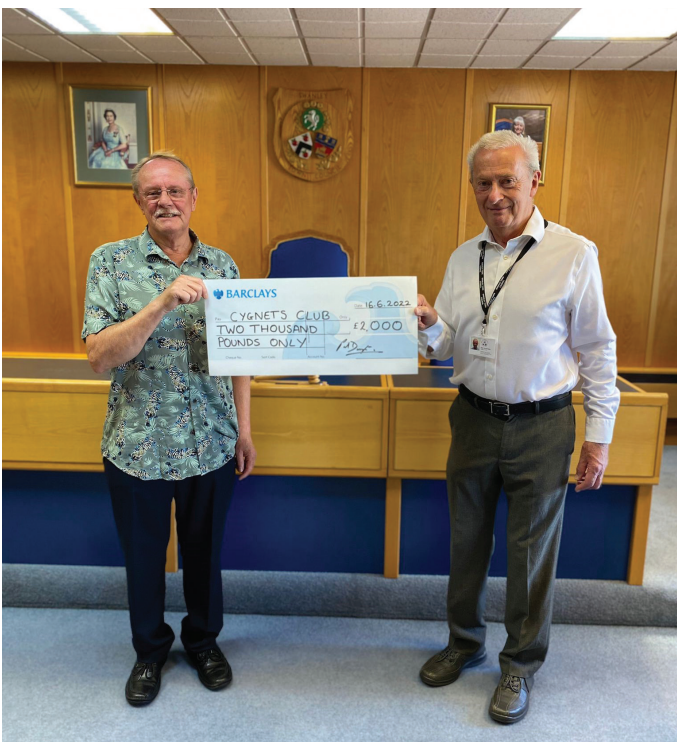
The Cystic Fibrosis Trust

Cystic Fibrosis Trust

Fighting for a *Life Unlimited*

The Cystic Fibrosis Trust are a national charity who provide research, information and care for people with Cystic Fibrosis.

They work with communities throughout the UK to help and support all those affected by this life-threatening condition. On receiving the cheque from Swanley Town Council, Rachel Taylor commented that "this donation would buy 5 days worth of essential laboratory materials at our Strategic Research Centres, helping scientists to develop ground-breaking new treatments for everyone with CF."



Cygnets Club Cheque Presentation



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Owner of local home care company completes cycle for Dementia challenge

Jag Yogarajah, owner of local home care company Home Instead Shoreham, recently raised almost £800 for the Alzheimer's Society by completing the 'Cycle for Dementia' challenge for a second year in a row. Jag doubled her previous year's cycling target to an impressive 500 miles in 30 days, and beat her fundraising goal by 25%, putting her in the top bracket of fundraisers for the initiative.

The Alzheimer's Society's 'Cycle for Dementia' initiative was launched to encourage cyclists of all ages and abilities to fundraise for the charity and spread awareness about Alzheimer's, whilst also keeping fit and active.

This is an issue close to Jag's heart, as Home Instead Shoreham provides specialist dementia care to around half of its clients. The company understands the importance of raising awareness about dementia and Alzheimer's within the local community. Jag's incredible fundraising efforts will allow Talking Point, the Alzheimer's Society's online forum, to help a further 4500 individuals. Talking Point allows people to learn from each other's dementia experiences, share their frustrations and their knowledge of local services. The forum provides vital community knowledge for those who are less experienced in dealing with dementia.

Jag commented: "So many of our clients need our support to help them live well with dementia.

With more people preferring to have care at home, it really helps for the local community to be onboard with their needs.

So that's why I took on 'Cycle for Dementia', as I wanted to raise awareness about the illness and how it affects

those living with it and their families, as well as encourage people to get involved with similar fundraising initiatives."

To find out more about Home Instead Shoreham and the home care services they provide in the local area, including specialist dementia care, please call 01959 546 228 or visit www.homeinstead.co.uk/shoreham-petts-wood/



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