

NEWS FROM THE SWAN SANCTUARY

November 2019



Our last work party of 2019 is Wednesday 20th November. Work is likely to include raking leaves as well as step cleaning and litter picking! Meet at 9.30 by the boathouse steps on Bromwich Parade.

Last month saw the highest river levels in Worcester since 2014. The flood over South Quay looks lovely at any time of year; October's autumn colours made it special. The swans swim happily out of the strong current to relax and graze. They're fed at about 12 on this 'lake' over the fountains. Extra volunteers at times like these would be great, to help rinse away swan droppings - good fun, messing about by the river! Get in touch if we can call on you for extra help.



Our swan food store in the corner of the County Cricket Club car park stayed dry, thanks to its legs. The sacks of mixed corn are stored on pallets to raise them further from the water.

The cost of corn has gone up £25 to £350 a pallet. Could you make a regular monthly or annual donation to the Project - the amount is up to you? Car boots are so time consuming for the amount raised! It would be really helpful to replace them with regular support from lots of local people. Of course, if you just LOVE doing car boots, get in touch about that too!!

The Big Christmas Swan Feed Feed the Swans for free

Our thank you to the people of Worcester for supporting the swans this year. Brown's will be donating to the swans the cost of each tea and cake bought during the events on 28th and 30th. Do bring your family and friends and treat yourself afterwards!

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