

Adopt a Swan  
yours alone throughout  
its life

*An Ideal Present*



# *Abbotsbury Swanlink*

A lasting link between you and  
an Abbotsbury Swan

INFORMATION LEAFLET  
AND APPLICATION FORM

By ringing most of the swans we can find out who they mate with, where they nest, how long they live and so on. This helps us manage our swans and improve our knowledge of swans in general.



Through Swanlink you can follow the fortune of a particular Abbotsbury Swan and gain an insight into one of the world's most fascinating and best-loved birds.

Your Swanlink fee goes towards the cost of our swan conservation work, and protecting the beautiful Fleet Lagoon – the habitat of our swans and many other wonderful forms of wildlife.

The Fleet and Swannery Trust is a registered charity, no. 1040740

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## TAXPAYERS – PLEASE LET US HAVE YOUR TAX

As you may know, all donations by UK taxpayers to charities, such as The Fleet and Swannery Trust, now attract Gift Aid tax relief.

Thus Swanlink can reclaim £7.05 of your tax from the Inland Revenue on your £25.00 Swanlink donation every year.

GIFT AID IS SIMPLE, THERE IS NO NEED FOR: -

- A Deed of Covenant
- Witnesses to your declaration
- Complicated forms or procedures

Simply

- Read the pledge overleaf
- Fill in your name and address
- Sign, date and post this pledge as directed overleaf

Please send this completed form to: -

Swanlink Co-ordinator  
c/o Chesil Beach Centre  
Portland Beach Road  
Portland  
Dorset  
DT4 9XE  
*Charity no 1040740*

GIFT AID DECLARATION TO ABBOTSBURY SWANNERY

Full Name.....

Address.....

..... Postcode.....

Declaration :-

I/we request that The Fleet and Swannery Trust reclaims  
the tax on donations I/we have made since 6<sup>th</sup> April 2000  
and on all Swanlink donations hereafter. \*

Signed.....

Date.....

**\*PLEASE REMEMBER TO NOTIFY US IF YOU BECOME A NON  
TAX PAYER IN THE FUTURE**

**JOINING SWANLINK**  
**(£25 per annum)**

We ask you to join Swanlink through a standing order. As you may appreciate, this greatly reduces our administrative costs, so that even more of your fee goes straight to the conservation of your swan. You are always at liberty to cancel this arrangement at any time.

PLEASE FILL IN THE STANDING ORDER AUTHORITY below in BLOCK CAPITALS and send to: -

Swanlink Co-ordinator, c/o Chesil Beach Centre, Portland Beach Rd,  
Portland, Dorset. DT4 9XE

To the Manager - Bank Name.....

Bank Address.....

.....Postcode.....

Please pay to the NatWest Bank PLC (60-24-37) 2 Hendford, Yeovil, BA20 1TN  
For the credit of Swannery Trust (A/C No. 70048304),

The sum of TWENTY FIVE Pounds (£25.00), upon receipt of this form and thereafter on the same day each year until further notice.

Please debit the following account No. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |  
Branch Sort Code. | |

Name (Block Capitals).....

Address.....

.....Postcode.....

Signature.....Date.....

Should you require your Swanlink for a present and/or for a particular event or occasion, please supply details below and we will try and incorporate them on the certificate.

Name:.....

Address:.....

..... Postcode: .....

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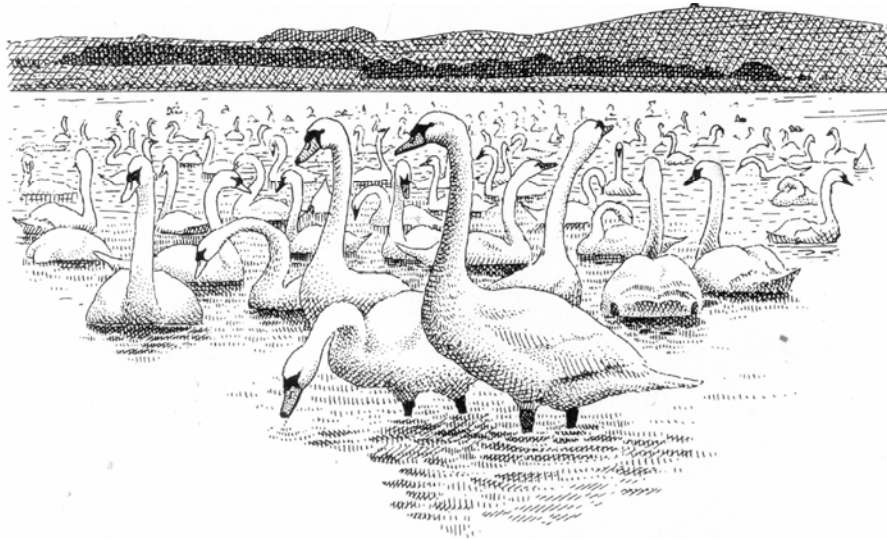
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## SWANLINK OFFERS YOU

- A Swanlink certificate celebrating your link with an Abbotsbury Swan (can be used to mark the occasion of a birthday, anniversary etc).
- The Abbotsbury Swannery Brochure
- A souvenir postcard signed by the Swanherd.
- Swanlink Fact Sheet
- Swanlink Activity Sheets for children.
- Other information.



*Please note that your link is for the swan's life  
which may last many years.*

*If however your swan dies in its first two years,  
you will receive another link free of charge.*

*Please understand that Abbotsbury Swans are wild birds and  
that the amount of information we are able to compile on  
some of them may be minimal.*