



## Pig Inn Heaven Hotel & Care Home

**Hotel:** for casual residents and those passing through.

**Care Home:** for those in need of permanent care.

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# Summer Newsletter

Hello everyone we hope you are enjoying the Summer so far and looking forward to those summer holidays. Pigs Inn Heaven Ltd have been very busy with rehoming, rescuing and attending our first School Summer Fete.

We now have in total 57 Pigs, 27 Terrapins, 2 Goats and 10 hens.

## School Summer Fete

We attended our very first School Summer Fete, we were invited by Smithbridge Primary School, Littleborough, Rochdale to take part in their annual Summer Fete. Our events were name the pigs and pin the tail on the pig which went down really well with the public. We managed to raise £92.00 in 2 hours and had a lot of fun taking part. We will be attending and exhibiting at a dog show on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August at Reynards Bank, Turton Road, Tottington. BL8 3QE from 9.30am. Please come along and see us.



## Turtle Manor

Turtle Manor is the terrapin's new home which was donated by our sponsor company Alderburgh Ltd, Solutions House, Dane Street Rochdale. It has an indoor and outdoor pool and large basking area which they enjoy very much and also as a seating area inside for educational visits.





## New Arrivals

We have recently taken on 4 new Terrapins Jackie, Lenora, Buffy and Spike and 5 New Pigs, Guinae, Smokey, Smudge, Duke and Truffles. We would like to welcome them to Pigs Inn Heaven and hope they are happy in their new home. They have all settled in very well.

## Rehoming

We have recently rehomed Babe (Boar) and Bella (Sow) to Chloe Mabb in Kent, the pictures show them settled into their new forever home. They look very happy, we will miss them very much but are pleased they have a new home. We will be keeping up to date on their progress over the coming weeks.



## Health News

All the Pigs and goats have recently been wormed, it is quite a task when worming 58 pigs but we came up with a great solution, worming powder sandwiches which were made up with different dosage of worming powder for the different sized pigs we have at Pigs Inn Heaven. Their worming is now up to date.

## Terrapin/Turtles Health Checks

- If the skin which is exposed is red or quite pink this is a sign it could have an infection
- When you look into its mouth and you can see that the tongue swollen with pale coloured spots, this means it has mouth ulcers
- If both eyes are swollen/bulging and closed, this shows that there is a deficiency of Vitamin A
- If one eye or both suddenly go blood red this is a sign of an eye and body infection and in some cases can be fatal
- If the shell and skin looks healthy but the shell starts to peel after basking under a heat lamp this is normal
- If the shell and skin looks healthy but the shell starts to peel and is pick/red/soft and bleeding this is a sign of a shell infection

## Education Visits

We went to Apple Tree Nursery for an educational visit on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2016, we had a great morning with the children who enjoyed the time with the animals. We will post pictures on our website blog. Look out for these. [www.piginnheaven.co.uk](http://www.piginnheaven.co.uk)

## Make a Donation

If you would like to make a donation to the sanctuary please go to our website [www.piginnheaven.co.uk](http://www.piginnheaven.co.uk) and make a payment through Paypal or make cheques payable to Pigs Inn Heaven Ltd and send to the address at the top of the newsletter.

All donations go to looking and caring for all the animals and we very much appreciate your support.

Thank you.

## Short Poem

There is a pig called Paddy who is always very happy and every time he sees you, runs up for a cuddle.



**Meet Paddy.**