

## NOTICE TO MARINERS M40 of 2018

### WANDSWORTH REACH WANDSWORTH BRIDGE ARCH CLOSURES

Contractors working on behalf of Wandsworth Borough Council will be conducting maintenance works on Wandsworth Bridge from **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2018** until **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2018**. In order to accommodate these works, arches on Wandsworth Bridge will be closed to navigation as follows:

Arch Closed to Navigation	Works Start		Works End		Navigational Information
	Date	Time	Date	Time	
1	Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	09:30	Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	20:00	Closed to Navigation
1	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	10:30	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	21:00	Closed to Navigation
1	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> June	11:30	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> June	22:00	Closed to Navigation
1	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	12:30	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	23:00	Closed to Navigation
3	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	08:00	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	18:00	Closed to Navigation
3	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	08:30	Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	19:00	Closed to Navigation
3	Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	09:00	Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	20:00	Closed to Navigation
3	Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	09:30	Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	21:00	Closed to Navigation
2 (Northern half)	Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	23:00	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	05:30	Northern Half Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2 (Northern half)	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	23:00	Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	05:30	Northern Half Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2 (Southern half)	Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	23:00	Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	05:30	Southern Half Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2 (Southern half)	Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	23:00	Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	05:30	Southern Half Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control

Local Traffic Control will be undertaken from a PLA Harbour Service Launch in the vicinity of Wandsworth Bridge for the duration of the partial closures of Arch 2. All vessels intending to navigate between Fulham Rail Bridge and Battersea Rail Bridge are to call 'WANDSWORTH CONTROL' on VHF Channel 14 as follows:

- Inbound at Battersea Rail Bridge
- Outbound at Fulham Rail Bridge
- Prior to leaving a berth or mooring between Battersea Rail Bridge and Fulham Rail Bridge

All vessels are to navigate in this area with caution, maintaining a continuous watch on VHF Channel 14 and follow the instructions from the attending Harbour Service Launches exhibiting flashing blue lights. It is important to note that these works are taking place over low water periods and depths will be restricted as the centre of the channel will be unavailable.

Arches closed to navigation will be marked in accordance with the Port of London Authority Thames Byelaws 2012 namely:

- By day, three red discs 0.6 metres in diameter at the points of an equilateral triangle with the apex downwards and the base horizontal
- By night, three red lights in similar positions to the discs displayed by day

A black and yellow diagonal strip will be fixed to Wandsworth Bridge to mark the extent of the closure on Arch 2.

Further details will be broadcast by **London VTS** on **VHF Channel 14**.

**13 June 2018**

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**BOB BAKER**  
**CHIEF HARBOUR MASTER**



EXPIRY DATE: 10<sup>th</sup> July 2018  
TO RECEIVE FUTURE NOTICES TO MARINERS BY **E-MAIL**,  
PLEASE REGISTER VIA OUR WEBSITE [www.pla.co.uk](http://www.pla.co.uk)  
**Telephone calls, VHF radio traffic, CCTV and radar traffic images may  
be recorded in the VTS Centres at Gravesend and Woolwich**

