

NOTICE TO MARINERS U11 of 2020

MORTLAKE REACH (UPPER) KEW BRIDGE – ARCH CLOSURES

Contractors working on behalf of Transport for London will be conducting abseiling operations to fix new navigational lights on Kew Bridge from **Monday 28th September 2020** until **Thursday 8th October 2020**. In order to accommodate these works, arches on Kew Bridge will be closed to navigation as follows:

Arch	Works Start		Works End		Navigational Information
	Date	Time	Date	Time	
2	Monday 28 th September 2020	22:00	Tuesday 29 th September 2020	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2	Tuesday 29 th September 2020	22:00	Wednesday 30 th September 2020	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2	Wednesday 30 th September 2020	22:00	Thursday 1 st October 2020	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2	Thursday 1 st October 2020	22:00	Friday 2 nd October 2020	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2	Friday 2 nd October 2020	22:00	Saturday 3 rd October 2020	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2	Saturday 3 rd October 2020	22:00	Sunday 4 th October 2020	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2	Sunday 4 th October 2020	22:00	Monday 5 th October 2020	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2	Monday 5 th October 2020	22:00	Tuesday 6 th October 2020	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2	Tuesday 6 th October 2020	22:00	Wednesday 7 th October 2020	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control
2	Wednesday 7 th October 2020	22:00	Thursday 8 th October 2020	05:00	Closed to Navigation and Local Traffic Control

Local Traffic Control will be undertaken from a PLA Harbour Service Launch in the vicinity of Kew Bridge for the duration of the closure in arch 2. All vessels intending to navigate between Brentford Dock Marina and London University Boathouse are to call '**KEW CONTROL**' on VHF Channel 14 as follows:

- Outbound at Brentford Dock Marina
- Inbound London University Boathouse
- Prior to leaving a berth or mooring between Brentford Dock Marina and London University Boathouse.

Safety Boat **NATO 2** will be in attendance throughout these operations and will be maintaining a listening watch to VHF Channel 14.

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.

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

19th August 2020

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**Sarah Macleod - Acting
Harbour Master Upper**



EXPIRY DATE: 12th October 2020
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