

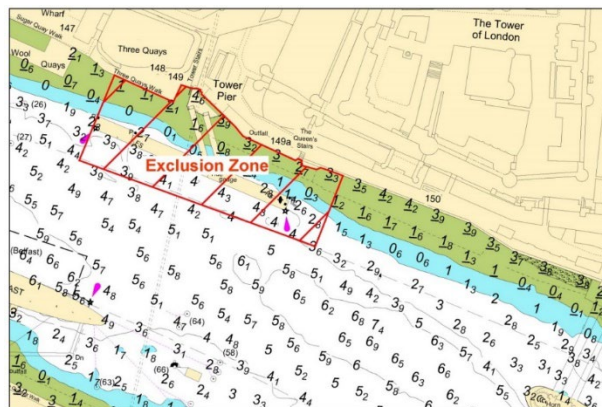
NOTICE TO MARINERS M4 of 2022

UPPER POOL THE TOWER OF LONDON 2022 GUN SALUTES

On the dates listed below, gun salutes of varying lengths will be fired from the Tower of London. All times are approximate.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
07 th February	13:00	Accession Day
21 st April	13:00	Birthday of HM The Queen
May TBC		Gun Salute TBC
02 nd June	13:00	Official Birthday of HM The Queen and Coronation Day (combined salute)
June TBC		Gun Salute TBC
October TBC		Gun Salute TBC
14 th November	13:00	Birthday of HRH The Prince of Wales

During the firing, an exclusion zone will be established in front of the gun positions, extending 55m in front of the guns into the river and from the upriver end of Tower Pier to 30m downriver of the pier (see below chartlet).



As a result, Tower Pier will be cleared of all personnel and vessels 15 minutes prior to the scheduled gun salutes. No vessel may approach closer than 15 metres to the pier when passing this location. A Harbour Service Launch will patrol the vicinity of the pier to control navigation as required during the salute and can be contacted on VHF ch.14 as “THAMES PATROL”.

There may be additional gun salutes throughout 2022 at short notice. London VTS will confirm any gun salute or change to the above program on at least 2 half-hourly broadcasts prior to the closing of Tower Pier to vessels and persons.

01 FEBRUARY 2022

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EXPIRY DATE: 31 DECEMBER 2022

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