

## River Thames – lock and river restrictions

### Teddington Lock

#### Wednesday 1 July to Friday 31 July 2020

From Wednesday 1 July, assisted passage through Teddington Lock will be available from **7am – 9pm** and for boats wishing to use the lock as a gateway on or off the non-tidal Thames, we will be offering one tidal transit every 24 hours.

For safety reasons, members of the public cannot operate Teddington Lock themselves. Therefore **transit will not be possible through the night** and from 9pm until 7am, the lock will be closed to traffic.

We will be regularly reviewing this as the boating season progresses with a view to return back to a full 24hr service as soon as we can.

Please note: visiting licences are currently not unavailable at the lock but these can be purchased by phoning our National Customer Contact Centre Boat Renewal Line on **0330 159 1983**.

#### Guidance for using the Lock

- Transiting through the lock will be practiced with social distancing.
- Members of staff will be on site to operate the pedestal but will have limited ability to assist with ropes in order to keep a safe distance.
- We recommend at least one crew member to be present to manage ropes and react to any incident that may occur.
- No transactions will be made. Visiting licences are available by calling the number above.
- Mooring charges are currently suspended but laybys should not be used for no longer than 24hours.
- Skippers and passengers are to remain on vessels throughout the whole process and are not to congregate once on a mooring.
- If heading onto the tideway, please make sure you have booked with Brentford or other suitable lock or mooring. Please arrive with plenty of time and wait on the layby for instructions from the lock keeper.

If you are planning a Tidal journey there is now no need to contact us to book. Please use the scheduled transit times below.

We will be providing updates on tidal transit times every month.

Thank you,

**Maria Herlihy**  
**Harbour Master**  
**26 June 2020**

| <b>JULY</b> | High Water at Teddington | Available tidal transit times |
|-------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1           | 12.02                    | 11.00-13.00                   |
| 2           | 13.08                    | 12.00-14.00                   |
| 3           | 14.10                    | 13.00-15.00                   |
| 4           | 15.04                    | 14.00-16.00                   |
| 5           | 15.53                    | 15.00-16.30                   |
| 6           | 16.37                    | 15.30-17.00                   |
| 7           | 17.18                    | 16.15-18.15                   |
| 8           | 17.56                    | 17.00-19.00                   |
| 9           | 18.33                    | 17.30-19.30                   |
| 10          | 19.07                    | 18.00-20.00                   |
| 11          | 19.43                    | 19.00-21.00                   |
| 12          | 08.23                    | 07.30-09.30                   |
| 13          | 09.06                    | 08.00-10.00                   |
| 14          | 09.57                    | 09.00-11.00                   |
| 15          | 10.56                    | 10.00-12.00                   |
| 16          | 11.58                    | 11.00-13.00                   |
| 17          | 13.01                    | 12.00-14.00                   |
| 18          | 14.01                    | 13.00-15.00                   |
| 19          | 14.54                    | 14.00-16.00                   |
| 20          | 15.41                    | 15.00-17.00                   |
| 21          | 16.25                    | 15.30-17.30                   |
| 22          | 17.07                    | 16.00-18.00                   |
| 23          | 17.47                    | 17.00-19.00                   |
| 24          | 18.25                    | 17.30-19.30                   |
| 25          | 19.04                    | 18.00-20.00                   |
| 26          | 19.46                    | 18.30-20.30                   |
| 27          | 08.28                    | 07.30-09.30                   |
| 28          | 09.23                    | 08.30-10.30                   |
| 29          | 10.25                    | 09.30-11.30                   |
| 30          | 11.33                    | 10.30-12.30                   |
| 31          | 12.46                    | 12.00-13.30                   |

**customer service line**  
03708 506 506

**incident hotline**  
0800 80 70 60

**floodline**  
03459 88 11 88