

River Thames – Partial river closure

Shillingford Bridge, near Wallingford

Monday 1 March 2010 to Friday 15 October 2010

During these dates, each arch of the bridge will be closed at different times, while refurbishment work takes place. The river will remain open but navigation will be restricted.

When the side arches are closed the centre arch will be open and when the centre arch is closed both side arches will always be open.

When the centre arch is closed no mooring will be allowed within 40 metres of the bridge.

Please follow directional signage and navigate slowly and with caution in the vicinity of these works.

**Gail Bradstock
Harbourmaster
22 January 2010**

Nothing contained in these directions shall supersede those parts of the Thames Navigation Licensing and General Byelaws 1993 as may be relevant

And Notice is hereby given, that it is provided by Byelaw 52 of the Thames Navigation Licensing and General Byelaws, 1993 that:

The master of any vessel shall except in an emergency not pass any boat-race regatta public procession or gathering for the launch of a vessel or any other event or function which may cause a crowd to assemble on or by the river nor station his vessel thereon in such a manner as would risk obstructing impeding or interfering with such boat-race regatta procession launching event or function or endangering the safety of persons assembling on the river or preventing or interfering with the maintenance of order thereon.

The maximum penalty for breach of the Byelaws is £1,000

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