

THAMES DITTON

SUNDAY 4 AUGUST

Prudential RideLondon is the world's greatest festival of cycling with more than 100,000 cyclists participating in seven events on traffic-free roads in London and Surrey. Events will take place in central London on Saturday 3 August and in London and Surrey on Sunday 4 August 2019.

Prudential RideLondon was developed by the Mayor of London, Transport for London and London & Partners in partnership with Surrey County Council and is sponsored by Prudential. The event is managed by the London & Surrey Cycling Partnership.

Detailed below is important local information to help Thames Ditton residents and businesses plan their day.

EVENTS IN SURREY

Sunday 4 August

- Prudential RideLondon-Surrey 100, a mass participation ride for 25,000 cyclists; passing locally from 08:55 until 16:05.
- Prudential RideLondon-Surrey 46; passing locally from 10:00 until 12:00.
- Prudential RideLondon-Surrey Classic, a race for 150 professional cyclists; passing through Thames Ditton from 17:20 to 17:40.

All event timings are predicted and may vary slightly.

PRUDENTIAL RIDELONDON-SURREY 46

The Prudential RideLondon-Surrey 46 returns in 2019 and is created specifically for younger or less experienced cyclists that would like a shorter challenge on traffic free roads. The event follows the same route as the Prudential RideLondon-Surrey 100 for the first 27 miles then **travels for two-miles along Hampton Court Way to the Scilly Isles**, before rejoining the last 17 miles through London to the Finish Line on The Mall.

The Prudential RideLondon-Surrey 46 event allows slower riders in the Prudential RideLondon-Surrey 100 event to take the shorter route. This means the closures from Hampton Court Bridge through Walton on Thames, Weybridge and Ripley all the way to the A25 junction with Sherbourne Road, near Shere, will be reopened as soon as possible once the last cyclist has passed.

ROAD CLOSURES

Roads closed from 05:00:

Hampton Court Road, Hampton Court Bridge, Hurst Road.

Roads closed from 10:00-12:00 (46 event only):

Hampton Court Way.

A vehicle crossing point is available throughout this period for access to and from Thames Ditton using Embercourt Road.

Another vehicle crossing point is located at Giggs Hill Road to Angel Road to facilitate vehicles all day when it is safe to do so.

Roads closed from 07:30:

A307 Portsmouth Road.

Anticipated road reopening times:

Roads will start to reopen from 12:00 on the outbound route along Hurst Road into Surrey through to the A25 junction with Sherbourne Road, near Shere. There will be a short rolling closure in the afternoon between 14:00 and 14:30 (approximately) for the professional race.

Thames Ditton is accessible via the vehicle crossing point at Embercourt Road. Hampton Court Way will reopen at 12:00 following the conclusion of the 46 mile event.

THAMES DITTON SUPPORTERS HUB

Head to Giggs Hill Green in Thames Ditton where a new community led day of fun will be taking place on the Green, including children's rides and inflatables, music, food stalls and local sports club demonstrations. Portsmouth Road will reopen by 19:00.

LOCAL ACCESS

Vehicle crossing points

Between 10:00-12:00, a vehicle crossing point will maintain access to Thames Ditton. Embercourt Road will facilitate vehicles across the road during this closure period.

A second vehicle crossing point is located at Giggs Hill Road to Angel Road to facilitate local access when safe to do so, all day.

There is no access to the A3 via Hampton Court Way during the road closure period. However, the A3 can be accessed at Painshill either via Hersham and Seven Hills Road or Esher and Cobham.

PARKING

Vehicles cannot park on the event route on Sunday 4 August from 00:01. Any vehicle left on the route or parked in a suspended parking bay may be removed.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Emergencies will be treated as a priority in the usual way. If you require the emergency services, call 999. Emergency vehicle access will be maintained and prioritised throughout all of the Prudential RideLondon events. Planning for Prudential RideLondon involves the police, fire and rescue services, ambulance services, local hospitals and other critical welfare services.

ASSISTANCE

The Prudential RideLondon Customer Services team is available if you need assistance both prior to and on the day of the event.

To speak to one of the team, please call 0345 894 9773 (Monday to Friday 09:00 to 17:00 and from 05:00 on event day) or email helpdesk@ridelondon.co.uk

ON THE DAY

Stewards and volunteers will be positioned along the route. If you require assistance on the day that is not a 999 emergency, please ask the event staff who will be able to help or escalate issues if necessary. Alternatively, contact our Customer Services team on 0345 894 9773.

COMMUNITY WELFARE

Prudential RideLondon works with a wide variety of care providers across the entire route in order to plan for the impact of road closures on Sunday 4 August. If you are unsure about care provision on the day or have private arrangements, please contact our Customer Services team so we can help you plan appropriately.

SAFETY

Pedestrian crossing points are located along the event route. These will be supervised to help pedestrians cross the road throughout the event. Please note that some existing pedestrian crossings may be suspended, but an alternative, where it is easier to cross, will be clearly signed.

We thank you for your patience during the event. Please listen to instructions given by our stewards and volunteers.

Although roads will be closed to general traffic, there will be bicycles and event vehicles using the road during the closure period. Please do take additional care, looking in both directions when crossing the road or accessing and exiting your property, particularly if there is no footway. In certain locations, stewards will be available to assist you.

LONDON MARATHON CHARITABLE TRUST

Prudential RideLondon is part of the London Marathon event family. Organisations in the areas in which London Marathon Events Ltd holds events are eligible to apply for grants from The London Marathon Charitable Trust to support facilities that enable increased participation in physical activities. Visit PrudentialRideLondon.co.uk/charity/Charitable-Trust for full details.

Thank you in advance for your co-operation and understanding.

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WHERE TO WATCH

This year, the Prudential RideLondon-Surrey Classic - Great Britain's only UCI WorldTour event and the richest one-day men's race in the world - has a new route with a spectator friendly start in Bushy Park and the iconic climb of Box Hill as its centrepiece.

Head to Bushy Park at 14:00 on Sunday 4 August to see the world's top professional men's teams roll out of the picturesque setting of the Park and head through Surrey to tackle the famous climb to Box Hill Village five times.

As well as the chance to see the riders up close in Bushy Park, there is a superb spectator viewing opportunity at the summit of Box Hill with live coverage and catering on offer at the National Trust café.

