

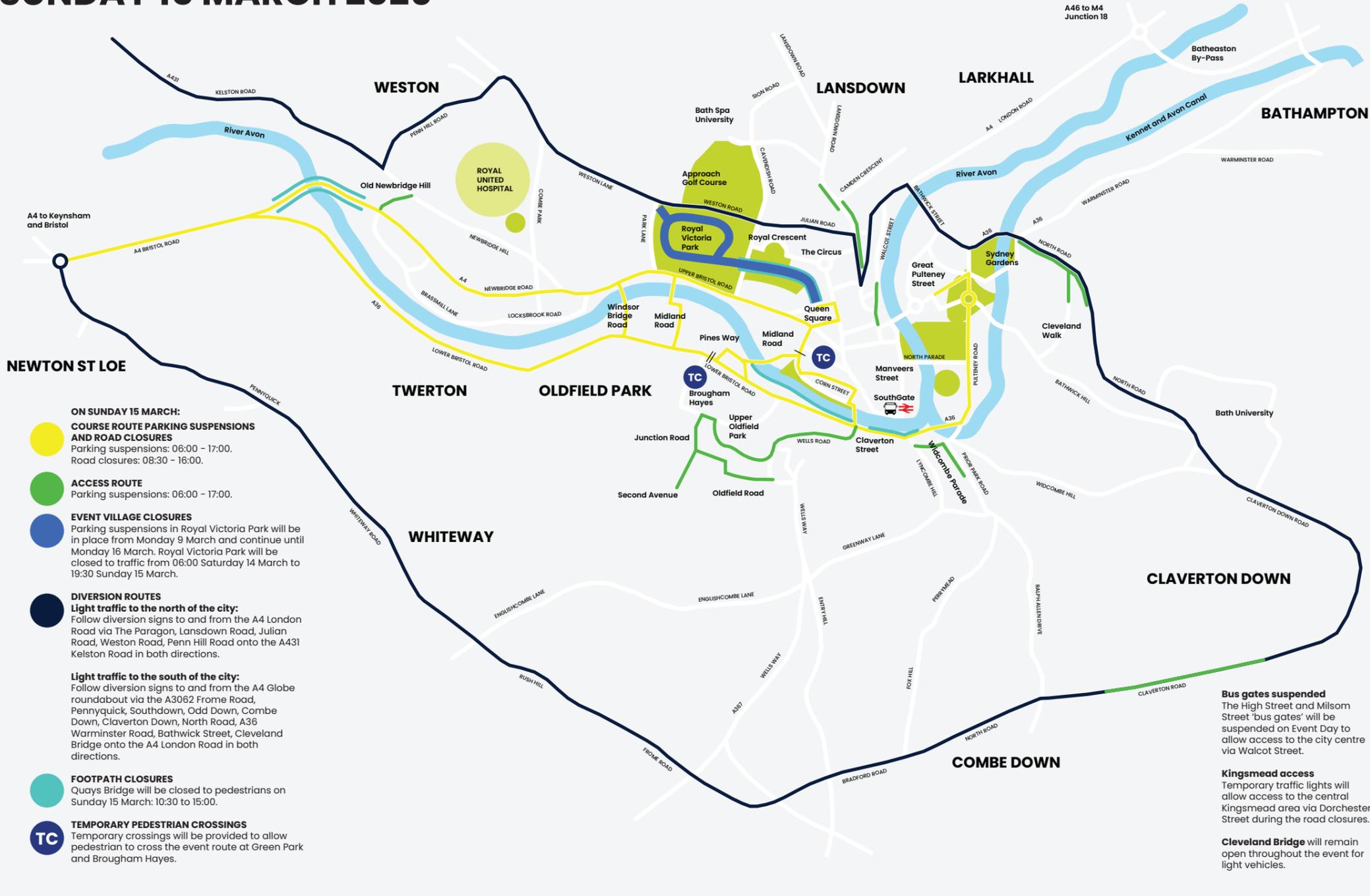


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GetPRO Bath half
**ROAD CLOSURE
INFORMATION**

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ON SUNDAY 15 MARCH:
COURSE ROUTE PARKING SUSPENSIONS AND ROAD CLOSURES
 Parking suspensions: 06:00 - 17:00.
 Road closures: 08:30 - 16:00.

ACCESS ROUTE
 Parking suspensions: 06:00 - 17:00.

EVENT VILLAGE CLOSURES
 Parking suspensions in Royal Victoria Park will be in place from Monday 9 March and continue until Monday 16 March. Royal Victoria Park will be closed to traffic from 06:00 Saturday 14 March to 19:30 Sunday 15 March.

DIVERSION ROUTES
Light traffic to the north of the city:
 Follow diversion signs to and from the A4 London Road via The Paragon, Lansdown Road, Julian Road, Weston Road, Penn Hill Road onto the A431 Kelston Road in both directions.

Light traffic to the south of the city:
 Follow diversion signs to and from the A4 Globe roundabout via the A3062 Frome Road, Pennyquick, Southdown, Odd Down, Combe Down, Claverton Down, North Road, A36 Warminster Road, Bathwick Street, Cleveland Bridge onto the A4 London Road in both directions.

FOOTPATH CLOSURES
 Quays Bridge will be closed to pedestrians on Sunday 15 March: 10:30 to 15:00.

TEMPORARY PEDESTRIAN CROSSINGS
 Temporary crossings will be provided to allow pedestrian to cross the event route at Green Park and Brougham Hayes.

Bus gates suspended
 The High Street and Milsom Street 'bus gates' will be suspended on Event Day to allow access to the city centre via Walcot Street.

Kingsmead access
 Temporary traffic lights will allow access to the central Kingsmead area via Dorchester Street during the road closures.

Cleveland Bridge will remain open throughout the event for light vehicles.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR RESIDENTS, BUSINESSES AND COMMUNITY CENTRES

First staged in 1982, the GetPRO Bath Half Marathon is the largest sporting and community event in the city, attracting **15,000** participants and 30,000 spectators. It is one of the most popular road races in the UK. The GetPRO Bath Half is also the largest charity fundraising event in south-west England, raising more than £1.4 million each year for a large number of charities and local community groups.

To ensure the safety of participants and spectators, road closures, parking suspensions and footpath closures will operate on a number of roads within the

city. Warning signs will be put up on affected roads several weeks before the event, and further signage will be erected on diversion routes around the city on Event Day. We are working closely with Bath & North East Somerset Council, Avon and Somerset Police and other agencies to ensure that disruption is kept to a minimum.

The half marathon starts in Royal Victoria Park in waves between 10.30 and 11.30, then follows two laps along the Upper Bristol Road and Newbridge Road to Twerton Fork, returning along the Lower Bristol Road to Churchill

Bridge and up Green Park Road and Queen Square before finishing on Royal Avenue. On the first lap, the course includes an additional leg from Churchill Bridge up and down Pulteney Road and Great Pulteney Street.

TRAFFIC INFORMATION

Times stated below are the legal road closure times permitted by Bath & North East Somerset Council. However, we will endeavour to close the roads for as short a period of time as possible to minimise disruption, so in many cases the roads will be reopened earlier than the time stated.

Restrictions in Royal Victoria Park on Saturday 14 March
 Road closures and parking suspensions will be in place in Middle Common, Royal Victoria Park, from **06:00 on Saturday 14 March**. Some footpaths will also be closed.

UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED, ALL OTHER RESTRICTIONS APPLY TO SUNDAY 15 MARCH ONLY.

1. Road closures and parking suspensions

Parking will be suspended in designated streets and 'No loading and no waiting at any time' restrictions will be implemented.

Vehicles that remain parked in these locations may be towed away to a secure compound by Hinton Rescue, on behalf of Bath & North East Somerset Council, and only released upon payment of a Penalty Charge Notice (PCN) of £70 and a removal charge of £105 (plus a storage charge of £12 per day for unclaimed vehicles).

Please contact Parking Services at Bath & North East Somerset Council with any queries on 01225 477133 or Hinton Rescue on 01225 448025 to arrange collection of removed vehicles.

Road closures will be in place in Royal Victoria Park 06:00 Saturday to 19:30 on Sunday 15 March. With additional parking suspensions in place from Monday 9 March

2. Event Village road and footpath closures and parking restrictions

Road closures and parking suspensions will be in place in Royal Victoria Park from **06:00-19:30 on Sunday 15 March**.

Footpaths adjacent to Event Village on Middle Common and the Start and Finish Line on Royal Avenue will be closed from **06:00**. No bicycles will be allowed.

3. Course route closures and parking restrictions

06:00: parking suspensions will be in place across the event route.

08:30: the following roads will be closed:

A4 dual carriageway, A4 Newbridge Road, A36 Lower Bristol Road, Ambury, Broad Quay, Charles Street, Chapel Row, Charlotte Street, Churchill Bridge, Churchill Bridge gyratory, Claverton Street eastbound, Corn Street, Darlington Street, Great Pulteney Street, Green Park Road, Lower Bristol Road, Marlborough Lane, Midland Bridge Road, Midland Road, Monmouth Place, Newbridge Road, Pines Way, Pulteney Road, Queen Square, Queen Square Place, Rossiter Road, Sydney Place, Upper Bristol Road & Windsor Bridge Road.

4. Footpath closures

10:30-15:00: Quays Bridge. **10:30-13:30:** Newbridge Road.

5. Access route parking suspensions

06:00-17:00: parking suspensions will operate on designated sections of the alternative access routes for emergency services and buses in North Road, Claverton Down Road, Cleveland Walk, Junction Road,

Lansdown Road, Lower Oldfield Park, North Road, Oldfield Road, Old Newbridge Hill, Prior Park Road, Second Avenue, Upper Oldfield Park, Widcombe Parade and Walcot Street.

6. Wells Road closure

08:30–15:30: A367 Wells Road – northeast-bound carriageway will be closed.

7. Widcombe Parade

Parking will be suspended and traffic flow reversed on Widcombe Parade to allow temporary stops for local bus services. All through traffic will be directed southwest-bound, on Wells Road.

8. Kingsmead

Temporary Traffic Management will be in place to ensure access to the central Kingsmead area during the event via a temporary loop through Dorchester Street and St James's Parade.

9. Charlotte St, Avon St & Green Park Rd car parks

There will be no access into or out of Charlotte Street, Avon Street and Green Park Road car parks from **08:30–16:00**.

10. High St & Milsom St 'Bus Gates' Suspension

The normal daytime operation of the bus access gates on the High Street/Northgate Street and Milsom Street will be suspended on Event Day to allow traffic to access the Central Kingsmead area while the event road closures are in place.

11. Residents Parking Zones (RPZ)

The restrictions will be relaxed to allow RPZ permit holders to park in other zones, away from the event route, on Sunday 15 March.

12. Recycling centre

The household waste recycling centre on Midland Road will be closed on Sunday 15 March.

13. Middle Common, Royal Victoria Park

Access to the park will be restricted and users should take extra care from Monday 9 March to Wednesday 18 March due to contractor activities and vehicles during the construction of the Event Village.

DIVERSION ROUTES

Diversion routes will be signposted for heavy goods vehicles around the road closures on Event Day. See the map over the page for more details.

ACCESS TO BATH CITY CENTRE

The only access route into the city centre between 08:30 and 16:00 will be the northern route via Walcot Street. Cleveland Bridge will be the only river crossing unaffected (subject to weight restrictions).

VEHICLE CROSSING POINTS

Vehicle crossing points will operate in some areas across the event route to allow residential access and egress during the road closure period. These vehicle

crossing points will be closed during the event period for participant safety. Vehicle crossing points will reopen upon the rear of the event passing that location, and prior to the event route being reopened to traffic.

1. Midland Road to Park Lane will remain open until 10:00
2. Chelsea Road to Station Road will remain open until 10:00
3. Rosslyn Road to Osborne Road will remain open until 10:00 for exit, upon return please use Chelsea Road and Station Road crossing point
4. Apsley Road to Rudmore Park will remain open until 10:00
5. Old Newbridge Hill to Brassmill Lane will remain open until 10:00
6. James Street West to James Street West will remain open until 10:00
7. Ferry Lane to Puleney Gardens will remain open until 10:00

PEDESTRIAN AND CYCLIST INFORMATION

Temporary footpath closures will be operating in the streets adjacent to the Start and Finish Line on Royal Avenue to control crowd numbers during the event, and signposted diversion routes will be in place.

To ensure the safety of participants and spectators, pedestrian crossing points on the event route will be controlled by event marshals. Pedestrian barriers will be in place at busy locations, such as Green Park, Churchill Bridge and Brougham Hayes.

In some cases, pedestrians will be asked to wait for five to 10 minutes before being directed by marshals to cross the route when it is safe to do so.

The road closures on the carriageway apply equally to vehicles, cyclists and pedestrians. Cyclists will be asked to dismount and walk their cycles through the closures. Cycles will not be allowed in crowded locations.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Visit our website, follow our social channels, or tune in to Radio Bath for updates:

bathhalf.co.uk

facebook.com/BathHalfMarathon

More information is available at **bathnes.gov.uk**.

NEED ASSISTANCE?

For queries or accessibility advice (including support for carers and spectators with disabilities), email: helpdesk@londonmarathonevents.co.uk

THANK YOU!

Thank you for your cooperation ahead of the GetPRO Bath Half. We hope you'll come out to support the runners and enjoy the atmosphere on Event Day!