

# THE MIDNIGHT MAN IRONMAN DISTANCE TRIATHLON SATURDAY 13th AUGUST 2016 to SUNDAY 14<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2016 EVENT ARRANGEMENTS 06.00pm – 12pm Bob Dunn Way will be closed from 5.30 pm to 4.30 am Sunday morning.

On Saturday 13th August 2016, The Midnight Man will be held on The Bridge, commencing at 18.00 hours.

This annual event incorporates a Full and Half Distance Ironman Distance Triathlon. Further details can be found on www.bridgetriathlon.co.uk. Aside from the swimming, cycling and running activity, the event is centred on the transition area (marked with a green 'T' on the enclosed map). Spectators are welcome in this area. The event is marshalled and all participants are aware that The Bridge has a residential community.

Please note the following onsite arrangements:

## FASTRACK 'A' BUS SERVICE DIVERSION

From 18.00 13<sup>th</sup> August – 12 noon on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> August 2016, the Fastrack A service will be diverted around The Bridge as follows:

## From Dartford Home Gardens to Bluewater

Normal Line of Route to Temple Hill. Then Grovehurst Road - Joyce Green Lane - Henderson Drive - Littlebrook Manor Way -St Vincent's Road - London Road - Cotton Lane - across M25 Junction 1A to Littlebrook Manor Way (alight on Littlebrook Manor Way for Sainsbury's Distribution Depot) - across the Fastrack Bridge, then normal line of route.

#### From Bluewater to Dartford Home Gardens

Reverse of the above

During the diversions, The Bridge can be accessed on foot from Temple Hill alighting at Grovehurst Road and using the footbridge across Bob Dunn Way **or** from the temporary stop which will be placed on Littlebrook Manor Way near to the Sainsbury's Distribution Depot. Normal service will resume from 12 noon on Sunday. If you need further clarification, please contact Fastrack A Customer Assistance on 0800 298 4330.

# **ACCESS FOR RESIDENTIAL OCCUPIERS**

Local road closures will be in place to facilitate the triathlon. These have been carried out with the involvement and approval of KCC Highways and the Police. Notices regarding these are in place.

In particular, Bob Dunn Way will be closed from 5.30 pm – 4.30 am and there will be NO access to Marsh Street from Bob Dunn Way during the duration of the triathlon and Marsh Street North WILL be closed at the width restriction.

Full access to residential areas of the site will be maintained. Between 5.30 pm and 4.30 am, access and entry into residential areas on The Bridge will be as follows:

#### **TAYLOR WIMPEY**

Phase 1 Residents living in Birdwood Avenue, Couzins Walk, Darwin Ave, Durrell Dene, Hyde Grove, Marsden Gardens, Montagu Gardens, Waylan Gardens, Chapman Court, Cameron Drive inc. Thorpe Court, Morris Walk, Dartford Bridge Learning & Community Campus: access into site via Littlebrook Manor Way, Rennie Drive and then the top of Marsh Street into Birdwood Avenue. Exit site via reverse of these directions

<u>Phase 2 Residents</u> living in <u>Brunel Way</u>, <u>Vickers Lane</u>, <u>Vimy Drive</u>, <u>Bell Terrace</u>, <u>Shiers Avenue</u>, <u>Bennett Place</u>, <u>Telford Square</u>, <u>The Nucleus Building</u>, <u>Suscon</u>, <u>UTC College</u>: access into site via Littlebrook Manor Way, Rennie Drive and then Binnie Road, across the Fastrack Route into Brunel Way. Exit site via reverse of these directions i.e. coming out of Vickers Drive, Bell Terrace and Shiers Avenue, turn RIGHT to the end of Brunel Way and use the emergency exit across the Fastrack route then use Binnie Road and Rennie Drive.

<u>Phase 3 Residents</u> living in Sympathy Vale, Star Star Mansions, Angie Mews, Cloud Close, Silver Train gardens, Ramble Lane, lady Jane Place, Little Red Walk, Tumbling Dice Mews, Stones Avenue, Ruby Tuesday Drive, Rainbow Gardens access into site via Littlebrook Manor Way, Rennie Drive and then Binnie Road. Exit site via the reverse of these directions. Marsh Street North will be closed at the width restriction.

#### **PERSIMMON RESIDENTS**

Residents living in Abbey mead Close, Dorney Place, Meldon View, Ellingham View, Buttermere Close, Virginia Court, Fonthill Gardens, Lockwood Place, Claremont Mews access into site via Halcrow Avenue entering the road next to The Beacon. Exit site via the reverse of these directions

The red arrow on the map below indicates the entry and exit to residential areas. Please advise any visitors planned during this time of these arrangements. Please take care whilst driving around The Bridge during this period since there will be runners and cyclists on roads and footpaths. If you have any queries about the routes into and out of The Bridge, a larger scale map is available in the Management Centre on Marsh Street.

**PLEASE NOTE:** If you order any taxis, takeaways or grocery deliveries during the period of the Midnight Man, please advise the supplier that access to The Bridge will be via Littlebrook Manor Way, by Sainsbury's.

## Party packs

This year, party packs will be available to supporters of the event. Drop John Setford an e-mail if you would like one

## **FORTHCOMING EVENTS:**

## Bridge 10k and Children's 2K Fun Run

Sunday 25th September 2016

Please come along and join in. All profits to go to a local charity. For more information see www.bridgetriathlon.co.uk.

# We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause. Your co-operation with these events is appreciated.

Thank you

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The Bridge Triathlon organiser.

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