



ROAD CLOSURE INFORMATION IN YOUR AREA

SUNDAY 22 AUGUST 2021

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The Vitality Big Half returns on Sunday 22 August 2021, when thousands of runners of all ages and abilities take to the streets of Tower Hamlets, Southwark, Lewisham and Greenwich.

Now in its fourth year, The Vitality Big Half is getting more people, especially those from the four host boroughs, into running. The event brings people together to share in the amazing experience of running through the streets of London with family, friends and some of the world's best athletes.

There are a host of running distances available, from a challenging half marathon to a free one-mile event.

The Vitality Big Half will see 15,000 runners set off from 08:30 by Tower Bridge on the 13.1-mile course, which finishes at the iconic Cutty Sark in Greenwich. The day also includes The Vitality Big Mile, a free, fun, family-friendly mass participation event along the route within Greenwich, and the New Balance Big Relay, a race for teams of up to four, where each participant runs a leg of the 13.1-mile course.

Advice for residents

Essential road closures that may affect your area are required as part of the event on Sunday 22 August. Please read this booklet and keep it in a convenient place to help you plan ahead for the weekend.

The following pages provide details of the road closures and the vehicle crossing points that will operate during specific times on the day to allow you access across the event route.

Advance warning signs will be displayed in affected roads in the build-up to the event. Police officers and stewards will be present on the day to help answer your queries and to ensure a safe and secure event.

Parking bays on the route will be suspended and residents are advised to relocate vehicles off the route prior to 04:00 on Sunday 22 August. Vehicles left on the route will be relocated. If your vehicle is moved, please use the trace.london website to find it.

All existing pedestrian crossing points located on the route, other than those in the main Start Area near Tower Bridge, remain in operation on the day and marshals will help you to cross the route at these points when it is safe to do so.

Thank you for your support in helping to make The Vitality Big Half a fantastic event for our participants and the local community.

ROAD CLOSURES ON SUNDAY 22 AUGUST 2021

TOWER HAMLETS

ROAD NAME	CLOSED	OPEN
Tower Bridge Approach	04:00	14:00
Tower Bridge	04:00	14:00
Tower Hill	04:00	14:00
East Smithfield	04:00	14:00
Limehouse Link Tunnel	04:00	14:00
Aspen Way	04:00	14:00
The Highway	06:00	14:00
Butcher Row	06:00	14:00
West India Dock Road	06:00	14:00
Trafalgar Way	06:00	14:00
Churchill Place	06:00	14:00
North Colonnade	06:00	14:00
Upper Bank Street	06:00	14:00
Bank Street	06:00	14:00
Heron Quays	06:00	14:00
South Colonnade	06:00	14:00
Canada Square	06:00	14:00
Cabot Square	06:00	14:00
West India Avenue	06:00	14:00
Westferry Circus	06:00	14:00
Westferry Road	06:00	14:00
Salter Street	06:00	14:00
Limehouse Causeway	06:00	14:00
Narrow Street	06:00	14:00
Garnet Street	06:00	14:00
Wapping High Street	06:00	14:00
Thomas More Street	06:00	14:00

SOUTHWARK

ROAD NAME	CLOSED	OPEN
Tooley Street	06:00	15:00
Jamaica Road	06:00	15:00
Brunel Road	06:00	15:00
Salter Road	06:00	15:00
Redriff Road	06:00	15:00
Quebec Way	06:00	15:00
Canada Street	06:00	15:00
Surrey Quays Road	06:00	15:00
Lower Road	06:00	15:00

LEWISHAM

ROAD NAME	CLOSED	OPEN
Lower Road	06:00	15:00
Evelyn Street	06:00	15:00
Deptford Church Street	06:00	15:00

GREENWICH

ROAD NAME	CLOSED	OPEN
Creek Road	06:00	16:00
Greenwich Church Street	06:00	16:00
College Approach	06:00	16:00
King William Walk	06:00	16:00
Nelson Road	06:00	16:00
Greenwich South Street	06:00	16:00
Greenwich High Road	06:00	16:00
Romney Road	06:00	16:00
Trafalgar Road	06:00	16:00

DO YOU NEED ASSISTANCE?

If you have questions about access, require help planning journeys, or need this publication in a larger format, please visit thebighalf.co.uk/road-closures or email our helpdesk via helpdesk@londonmarathonevents.co.uk



Sunday 22 August 2021 Road Closure Information

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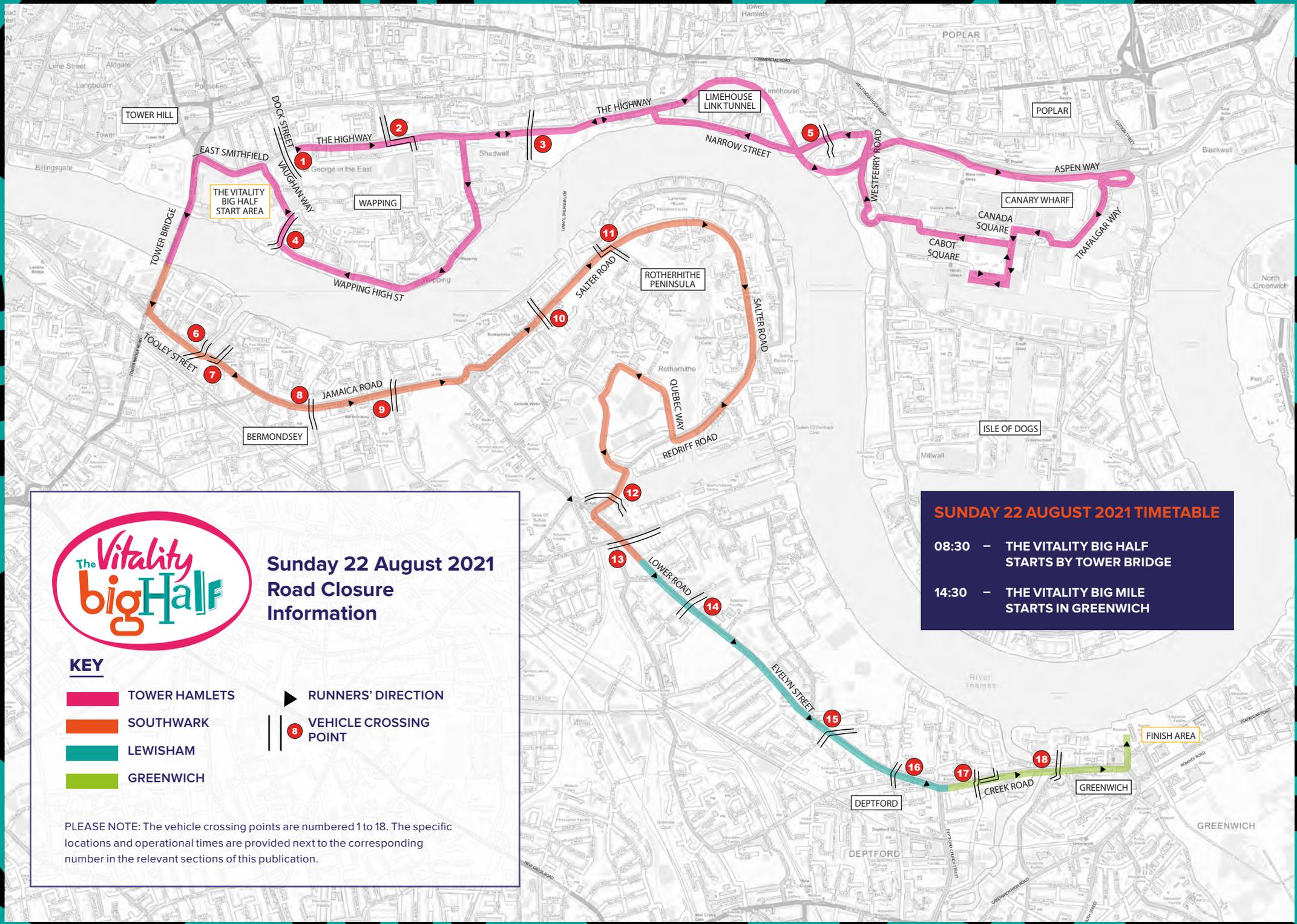
- TOWER HAMLETS
- SOUTHWARK
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- GREENWICH
- RUNNERS' DIRECTION
- VEHICLE CROSSING POINT

PLEASE NOTE: The vehicle crossing points are numbered 1 to 18. The specific locations and operational times are provided next to the corresponding number in the relevant sections of this publication.

SUNDAY 22 AUGUST 2021 TIMETABLE

08:30 – THE VITALITY BIG HALF STARTS BY TOWER BRIDGE

14:30 – THE VITALITY BIG MILE STARTS IN GREENWICH



TOWER HAMLETS

WAPPING & THE HIGHWAY

Road closures from 06:00 to 14:00 on Sunday 22 August 2021.

Residents and businesses in Wapping will be affected as the route passes along The Highway between the Start Line and mile two and then returns via The Highway, Garnet Street, Wapping High Street and Thomas More Street.

Four vehicle crossing points within the road closures will operate throughout the day to allow access. The vehicle crossing points will be closed during the times listed below to allow runners to pass safely.

Vehicle crossing point locations

- 1 Vaughan Way – Dock Street**
Closed for runners from 08:15 to 10:35
- 2 Wapping Lane – Cannon Street Road**
Closed for runners from 08:15 to 10:35
- 3 Glamis Road**
Closed for runners from 08:15 to 12:10
- 4 St Katharine's Way**
Closed for runners from 08:15 to 12:30

LIMEHOUSE, WESTFERRY & CANARY WHARF

Road closures from 06:00 to 14:00 on Sunday 22 August 2021.

Residents and businesses in Limehouse and Westferry will be affected by the route as it passes through Westferry Road, Limehouse Causeway and Narrow Street.

There will be one vehicle crossing point at Three Colt Street open until 08:55 and reopening at approximately 11:10. It will be closed between this time to allow runners to pass safely along the course.

This vehicle crossing point will allow access for residents and businesses located south of Limehouse Causeway that are otherwise landlocked by the event.

Horseferry Road, normally one-way, will be temporarily made two-way for traffic for the duration of the road closures to allow access for residents in that area.

Vehicle crossing point location

- 5 Three Colt Street**
Closed for runners from 08:25 to 11:55

THE LONDON MARATHON CHARITABLE TRUST

The Vitality Big Half is organised by London Marathon Events Limited (LMEL). After costs, 100 per cent of LMEL's surplus is gifted to The London Marathon Charitable Trust to provide funding for sport and recreational facilities in your area and beyond.

Established in 1981, The Trust has allocated more than £16 million over 330 projects in Greenwich, Lewisham, Southwark and Tower Hamlets. The projects include the Charlton Lido community gym, the Community Centre at Abbotshall, the refurbishment of Southwark Park Sports Complex and the community sport building in Victoria Park.

SOUTHWARK

TOOLEY STREET & JAMAICA ROAD

Road closures from 06:00 to 15:00 on Sunday 22 August 2021.

Residents and businesses in Tooley Street and Jamaica Road will be affected as the route enters Tooley Street from Tower Bridge Road and continues eastbound towards Salter Road.

Drivers north of Tooley Street and Jamaica Road have four vehicle crossing points that are available within the event road closures, apart from between the specific times listed below.

As in 2020, Jamaica Road will be completely closed in both directions.

Vehicle crossing point locations

- 6 Shad Thames**
Closed for runners from 08:35 to 13:00
- 7 Mill Street**
Closed for runners from 08:35 to 13:00
- 8 Bevington Street**
Closed for runners from 08:35 to 13:00
- 9 West Lane**
Closed for runners from 08:35 to 13:10

ROTHERHITHE PENINSULA

Road closures from 06:00 to 15:00 on Sunday 22 August 2021.

Residents and businesses of the Rotherhithe Peninsula will be affected as the route passes along Brunel Road, Salter Road, Quebec Way, Canada Street, Surrey Quays Road and Redriff Road between miles eight and 11.

Rotherhithe Tunnel is open throughout the day. Access to Hawkstone Road in a southbound direction from Lower Road will also be available while the event road closures are in place.

For those residents who are landlocked by the road closure, four vehicle crossing points will operate to allow resident access during specific times.

Vehicle crossing point locations

- 10 Cannon Beck Road**
Closed for runners from 08:40 to 13:20
- 11 Rotherhithe Street – Lagado Mews**
Closed for runners from 08:40 to 13:20
- 12 Worgan Street – Deal Porters Way**
Closed for runners from 08:45 to 13:55
- 13 Lower Road via Plough Way to Rotherhithe New Road**
Closed for runners from 08:45 to 14:05

WHY NOT TAKE PART?

The Vitality Big Mile is a free, fun, family-friendly mass participation event taking place around Greenwich. It's the perfect event for first-time runners or walkers, and families with children. For more information, visit thebighalf.co.uk

LEWISHAM

LOWER ROAD & EVELYN STREET

Road closures from 06:00 to 15:00 on Sunday 22 August 2021.

Residents and businesses in Lewisham will be affected by the route as it passes through Lower Road and Evelyn Street between miles 11 and 12. There are three vehicle crossing points located within Lewisham to give residents who live north of the event route access.

There is also a fourth vehicle crossing point located at Plough Way, which residents of Lewisham can access via Grove Street.

Vehicle crossing point locations

- 13** Plough Way – Rotherhithe New Road
Closed for runners from 08:45 to 14:05
- 14** Rainsborough Avenue – Alloa Road
Closed for runners from 08:45 to 14:10
- 15** Prince Street – Abinger Grove
Closed for runners from 08:50 to 14:15
- 16** Deptford High Street – Watergate Street
Closed for runners from 08:50 to 14:20

THE VITALITY BIG HALF COMMUNITY ENTRIES

Discounted £10 entry places are available to people from local community groups.

If your community group would like to take part in the 2021 event please contact:

community.entries@thebighalf.co.uk

GREENWICH

CREEK ROAD

Road closures from 06:00 to 16:00 on Sunday 22 August 2021.

Residents and businesses in Creek Road and north of Creek Road will be affected by the route as it approaches the Finish Line at Cutty Sark. To improve access and to assist residents while road closures are in place, two vehicle crossing points will operate when it is safe to do so.

Vehicle crossing point locations

- 17** Creekside – Gonson Street
Closed for runners from 08:55 to 15:15
- 18** Norman Road – Norway Street
Closed for runners from 08:55 to 15:15

Where possible, local access will be maintained throughout the day at the Norman Road – Norway Street crossing point via the Thames Tideway site.

GREENWICH TOWN CENTRE

Greenwich Town Centre will be closed to traffic from 06:00 to 16:00, although a local bus service will be maintained on Romney Road, Nelson Road and Greenwich High Road throughout the day.

Local access for residents and businesses not directly on the event route will be maintained, but no vehicle access will be permitted into Romney Road or Nelson Road other than local bus services. The A2 and A102 will remain open as usual during the event.

For more detailed information about road closures in your area, please visit

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