



The
bigHalf

**ROAD CLOSURE
INFORMATION
IN YOUR AREA**

SUNDAY 3 SEPTEMBER 2023

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The Big Half returns on Sunday 3 September 2023, when thousands of runners, joggers and walkers of all ages and abilities take to the streets of Greenwich, Lewisham, Southwark and Tower Hamlets.

Now in its sixth year, The Big Half is getting more people, especially those from the four host boroughs, into mass participation events. The day brings people together to share in the amazing experience of running, jogging or walking through the streets of London with family, friends and world-class athletes.

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

The Big Half 2023 will see 15,000 participants set off from 08:30 on Sunday 3 September by Tower Bridge on the 13.1-mile half marathon course, which finishes at the iconic Cutty Sark in Greenwich. The day also includes The Big Mile, a free, fun, family-friendly mass participation event in Greenwich, and the New Balance Big Relay, a race for teams of four, where each participant takes on a 5K 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 3 September. Please read this booklet and keep it in a convenient place to help you plan 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 3 September. Vehicles left on the route will be relocated. If your vehicle is moved, please use the [trace.london](https://www.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 Big Half a fantastic event for our participants and the local community while raising thousands of pounds for charity.

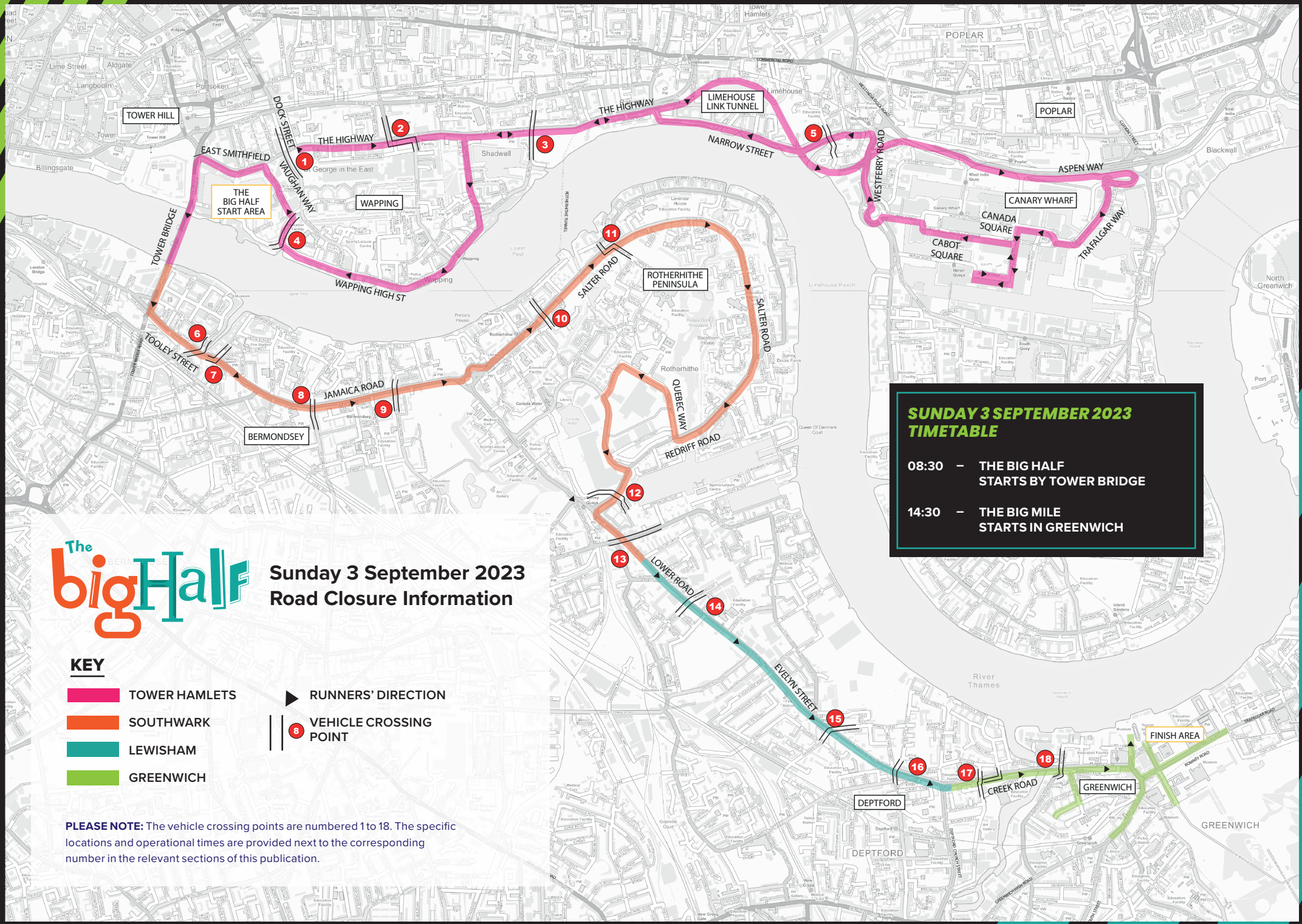
ROAD CLOSURES ON SUNDAY 3 SEPTEMBER 2023

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
Haddo Street	12:30	15:30
Roan Street (west side)	12:30	15:30

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 contact our Customer Services Team by visiting thebighalf.co.uk/contact-us



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Sunday 3 September 2023 Road Closure Information

**SUNDAY 3 SEPTEMBER 2023
TIMETABLE**

08:30 – THE BIG HALF
STARTS BY TOWER BRIDGE

14:30 – THE BIG MILE
STARTS IN GREENWICH

- KEY**
- TOWER HAMLETS
 - SOUTHWARK
 - LEWISHAM
 - GREENWICH
 - RUNNERS' DIRECTION
 - 8 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.

TOWER HAMLETS

WAPPING & THE HIGHWAY

Road closures from 06:00 to 14:00 on Sunday 3 September 2023.

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 10:45
- 2 WAPPING LANE – CANNON STREET ROAD**
Closed for runners from 08:15 to 10:45
- 3 GLAMIS ROAD**
Closed for runners from 08:15 to 12:20
- 4 ST KATHARINE'S WAY**
Closed for runners from 08:15 to 12:40

LIMEHOUSE, WESTFERRY & CANARY WHARF

Road closures from 06:00 to 14:00 on Sunday 3 September 2023.

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 08:25, when it will close to allow runners to pass safely along the course. It will reopen at approximately 12:05.

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

Horseferry Road, usually 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 12:05

SOUTHWARK

TOOLEY STREET & JAMAICA ROAD

Road closures from 06:00 to 15:00 on Sunday 3 September 2023.

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.

Jamaica Road will be completely closed in both directions.

Vehicle crossing point locations:

- 6 SHAD THAMES**
Closed for runners from 08:35 to 13:10
- 7 MILL STREET**
Closed for runners from 08:35 to 13:10
- 8 BEVINGTON STREET**
Closed for runners from 08:35 to 13:10
- 9 WEST LANE**
Closed for runners from 08:35 to 13:20

ROTHERHITHE PENINSULA

Road closures from 06:00 to 15:00 on Sunday 3 September 2023.

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 access during specific times.

Vehicle crossing point locations:

- 10 CANNON BECK ROAD**
Closed for runners from 08:40 to 13:30
- 11 ROTHERHITHE STREET – LAGADO MEWS**
Closed for runners from 08:40 to 13:30
- 12 WORGAN STREET – DEAL PORTERS WAY**
Closed for runners from 08:45 to 14:05
- 13 LOWER ROAD VIA PLOUGH WAY TO ROTHERHITHE NEW ROAD**
Closed for runners from 08:45 to 14:15

THE LONDON MARATHON FOUNDATION

The Big Half is organised by London Marathon Events (LME). Every year, LME gifts its trading surplus to the London Marathon Foundation (LMF) which provides funding to inspire physical activity in communities across London.

Since being founded in 1981, LMF has given more than £17 million to in excess of 300 projects that promote the health and wellbeing of residents in Greenwich, Lewisham, Southwark and Tower Hamlets.

Look out for LMF's work in your local area. Maybe you've played football at the London Marathon Playing Field in Greenwich, played cricket at Catford Wanderers Sports Club in Lewisham, enjoyed a free game of table tennis at Marlborough Sports Garden in Southwark, or gone cycling with Chrisp Street Community Cycles in Tower Hamlets?

To find out more about LMF visit londonmarathonfoundation.org and follow [@LMFoundation_](https://twitter.com/LMFoundation_) on Twitter.

WHY NOT TAKE PART?

The Big Mile is a free, fun, family-friendly mass participation event taking place in Greenwich. It's perfect for first-time runners or walkers, and families with children.

For more information, visit thebighalf.co.uk/the-events/the-big-mile

LEWISHAM

LOWER ROAD & EVELYN STREET

Road closures from 06:00 to 15:00 on Sunday 3 September 2023.

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 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 14:15
- 14 RAINSBOROUGH AVENUE – ALLOA ROAD**
Closed for runners from 08:45 to 14:20
- 15 PRINCE STREET – ABINGER GROVE**
Closed for runners from 08:50 to 14:25
- 16 DEPTFORD HIGH STREET – WATERGATE STREET**
Closed for runners from 08:50 to 14:30

THE BIG HALF COMMUNITY ENTRIES

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

If your community group would like to take part in The Big Half on Sunday 3 September, please visit thebighalf.co.uk/community/community-entries

GREENWICH

CREEK ROAD

Road closures from 06:00 to 16:00 on Sunday 3 September 2023.

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.

HADDO STREET & ROAN STREET

Haddo Street and Roan Street (west side) will be closed to traffic from 12:30 to 15:30 on Sunday 3 September. Parking bays will be suspended from 00:01 and any remaining vehicles will be relocated from 11:30. Please help us by parking your vehicle on a different road on the day.

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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