

**OVERVIEW:**

The TCS Mini Marathon will take place on Saturday 26th April, taking place within St James's Park. There will be up to 7,000 runners competing in various ages groups and distances. Coach collections will take place on Northumberland Avenue for which there is an associated road closure in the morning.

The TCS London Marathon will be holding its 45th Mass Participation Race on Sunday 27th April, with up to 50,000 runners taking part and raising money for charity. The route within Westminster is unchanged from previous years and is provided with this notice. Please note however that road closures for public safety have increased around Trafalgar Square.

**Key Changes**

- Road closure footprint around Trafalgar Square has increased – Traffic flow from Strand to Cockspur Street and from Charing Cross Road is now closed during London Marathon.
- Bridge Street will be closed by FM Conway from 00:00-07:30 to facilitate highway reinstatement works ahead of the London Marathon on 27<sup>th</sup> April.

**DETAIL:**

<b>Ref:</b>	E43298
<b>Title:</b>	TCS London Marathon and TCS Mini Marathon
<b>Date:</b>	26 <sup>th</sup> and 27 <sup>th</sup> April 2025
<b>Impact:</b>	Major
<b>Locations:</b>	<u>Mini Marathon:</u> Nortumberland Avenue Whitehall Place
	<u>"Main" Marathon Route:</u> Victoria Embankment Bridge Street Parliament Square Great George Street St James's Park roads
	<u>Marathon wider road closures:</u> Duncannon Street Charing Cross Road Pall Mall Cockspur Street Trafalgar Square/King Charles Roundabout Whitehall Parliament Street St Margaret Street Abingdon Street

Key Timings	
<b>Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> April</b>	
<b>07:30-11:30</b>	Road closure in place on Northumberland Avenue and Whitehall Place
	(Parallel event - St George's Day Wreath Laying on Whitehall)
<b>Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April</b>	
<b>00:00-07L30</b>	Closure of Bridge Street by Council contractor FM Conway for surface reinstatement works
<b>07:30-22:00</b>	All Westminster road closures in place (see opposite)



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	Millbank between Lambeth Bridge and Abingdon Street Victoria Street eastbound between Artillery Row and Broad Sanctuary Broad Sanctuary Buckingham Gate St James's Park roads Northumberland Avenue King Charles Island Whitehall Place
	<u>Production cabin area:</u> Waterloo Place

<b>07:30-08:30</b>	<b>Street furniture removals in Parliament Square</b>
<b>08:50</b>	<b>Wheelchair and ambulant start (Blackheath)</b>
<b>09:05</b>	<b>Elite women start</b>
<b>09:35</b>	<b>Elite men start Mass participant runners start</b>
<b>11:30</b>	<b>Last Mass participant runners cross start line</b>
<b>19:30</b>	<b>"Back for the pack" mass participants crossing the finish line. The remainder of participants complete the Marathon on the pavement.</b>
<b>19:30</b>	<b>WCC Cleansing and street furniture reinstatements take place once approved via Event Control</b>
<b>22:00</b>	<b>Estimated time for WCC roads to reopen, with the exception of roads in St James's Park</b>

**WEB LINKS:**

<https://www.tcslondonmarathon.com/the-event/road-closures>

**LICENSES AND APPLICATIONS:**

License/permission	Status	Action	Dept/officer	Due date
Parking Suspensions	Confirmed			<b>COMPLETE</b>
Parking Dispensations	Not required			
Vehicle Relocations	Requested	Relocation truck requested for below times. Mini Marathon - 04:00 to 10:00 Main Event Marathon - 05:00 to 10:00	<b>Karl Penry-Parish</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>
Road Closure	Not required	TTO is issued by TfL for 26 <sup>th</sup> and 27 <sup>th</sup> April. TfL TTO has been shared with Streetworks team.	<b>Simon Arthur</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>
Crane License	Not required			
Temporary Structure License	Not required			
Street Trading License	Not required			
TEN	Not required			
DPS	Not required			
ATTRO	Requested	<b>MPS have requested an ATTRO to cover the entire course</b>	<b>Eve Swann</b>	<b>26.04.2025</b>

**ACTIONS:**

**Detailed service requests**

WCC Service Area	Status	Action	Officer	Due date
Cleansing	<b>Requested</b>	Veolia cleansing plan	<b>Jon Griffiths</b>	<b>COMPLETE</b>
City Inspectors	<b>Requested</b>	Please note the event activity and route for awareness	<b>Duty Manager</b>	<b>26.04.2025</b>
Parking	<b>Requested</b>	Vehicle pass details including special arrangements for the Corinthia Hotels will be shared separately to share with the enforcement team	<b>Kar Penry-Parish</b>	<b>25.04.2025</b>

**FURTHER OPERATIONAL DETAIL:**

**St James's Park Road Closures**

Please note that the roads in St James's Park will be closed during the following times to facilitate the event build:

From 0500 hours (on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2025 until 1800 on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2025)

The Mall  
Marlborough Road

From 0600 hours (on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2025 until 0600 on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2025)

Birdcage Walk eastbound  
Constitution Hill  
Spur Road  
Horse Guards Road

From 0600 hours (on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2025 until 0600 hours on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2025)

Birdcage Walk westbound  
Great George Street access from Birdcage Walk

**Protest Contingency Plans**

London Marathon and the MPS continue to monitor intelligence on any potential protest activity that may disrupt the London Marathon on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April. Currently no notable protests are expected to take place that would impact the London Marathon route plans.

**Parallel Events**

A number of parallel events are taking place across the weekend in the adjacent footprint to the London Marathon:

Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2025



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Whitehall – The Royal Society of St George Annual wreath laying – Annual ceremonial that includes an MPS managed road closure of Whitehall between Horseguards Avenue and Parliament Square

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