

Sutton Harbour Lock Gates Repair Project

Construction updates for stakeholders

Date issued	Tuesday April 23 rd 2024
Work week commencing	Monday April 22 nd 2024
Description of work	During end of contract inspections, a component on the cill nose piece was identified as needing some additional work, to be carried out by divers. To minimise impact on harbour users the work will be done over the course of 7 night shifts between 2200 and 0400. The first starting at 2200 on Tuesday 7th May and finishing at 0400 on Tuesday 14th May. Outside of these times the lock should be available as normal. Updates will be provided to harbour users from the lockkeepers on Channel 12.
Fortnightly timetable	
SUTTON LOCK CILL REPLACEMENT: INNER GATES PASSAGE AVAILABLE PREDICTED TIMES: Weeks Commencing April 22nd 2024 and April 29th 2024.	
<p>The below times are to be used as guidance only. Weather conditions, atmospheric pressure and operational issues mean actual times may vary. For example, we have seen considerable variation due to the recent low pressure weather.</p> <p>Even an experienced lock keeper will not be able to predict actual times, with certainty, more than an hour or two before the times listed.</p> <p>THE DUTY LOCK KEEPER WILL BROADCAST ON VHF CH 12, ON THE HOUR, FROM 07.00 TO 19.00 DAILY, UPDATING ACCESS TIMES. TO GET A MORE ACCURATE TIME, PLEASE LISTEN TO THE BROADCAST PRIOR TO YOUR PLANNED DEPARTURE</p>	
April	
Monday 22nd: Lock operational – no restrictions expected	
Tuesday 23rd: Lock operational – no restrictions expected	
Wednesday 24th: Lock operational – no restrictions expected	
Thursday 25th: Lock operational – no restrictions expected	
Friday 26th: Lock operational – no restrictions expected	
Saturday 27th: NO RESTRICTIONS	
Sunday 28th: NO RESTRICTIONS	
Monday 29th: Lock operational – no restrictions expected	
Tuesday 30th: Lock operational – no restrictions expected	
Wednesday May 1st: Lock operational – no restrictions expected	

Thursday May 2nd: Lock operational – no restrictions expected
Friday May 3rd: Lock operational – no restrictions expected
Saturday May 4th: NO RESTRICTIONS
Sunday May 5th: NO RESTRICTIONS

Information: <https://lockgates.info/>

Weekly updates will be on the lock gates website: <https://lockgates.info/latest-news/>

The duty lock keeper will broadcast on VHF CH 12, on the hour, from 07.00 to 19.00 daily, updating access times.

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