

ROAD CLOSURE INFORMATION

Notice is given that the Tourist Trophy Road Races Authorisation 2023 will permit the organiser (ACU Events Ltd) to hold practices, races and parades during the TT Festival period.

1. ONE WAY ON THE A18 MOUNTAIN ROAD

The A18 Mountain Road is **ONE WAY** to traffic from Ramsey hairpin to Creg-ny-Baa from 4.30 pm on Friday 26 May 2023 until 9.30 am on Tuesday 13 June 2023. Cycling is prohibited on the aforementioned section of road during the period specified.

2. ROADS CLOSED

The main roads known as the TT COURSE will be CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC for the 2023 TT Road Races as follows –

PRACTICE WEEK	PURPOSE	MOUNTAIN ROAD CLOSURE PERIODS	TT COURSE CLOSURE PERIODS
Friday 26 May	Setting up one-way	9.30am until 4.30pm	N/A
Monday 29 May	Practice	8.45am from Barrule Park, Ramsey (9.00am from Bungalow)	10.00am until not later than 9.30pm
Tuesday 30 May	Practice	4.45pm from Barrule Park, Ramsey (5.00pm from Bungalow)	6.00pm until not later than 9.30pm
Wednesday 31 May	Practice		
Thursday 1 June	Practice		
Friday 2 June	Practice	11.15am from Barrule Park, Ramsey (11.30am from Bungalow)	12.30pm until not later than 4.30pm
Friday 2 June	Contingency	4.45pm from Barrule Park, Ramsey (5.00pm from Bungalow)	6.00pm until not later than 9.30pm
RACE WEEK	PURPOSE	MOUNTAIN ROAD CLOSURE PERIODS	TT COURSE CLOSURE PERIODS
Saturday 3 June	Race	9.00am from Barrule Park, Ramsey (9.15am from Bungalow)	10.00am until not later than 9.30pm
Sunday 4 June	Race	11.00am from Barrule Park, Ramsey (11.15am from Bungalow)	12.30pm until not later than 6.30pm
Monday 5 June	Contingency	10.30am from Barrule Park, Ramsey (10.45am from Bungalow)	*11.30am–5.00pm; and 6.00pm until not later than 9.30pm
Tuesday 6 June	Race	9.00am from Barrule Park, Ramsey (9.15am from Bungalow)	*10.00am–5.00pm; and 6.00pm until not later than 9.30pm
Wednesday 7 June	Race		
Thursday 8 June	Contingency	10.30am from Barrule Park, Ramsey (10.45am from Bungalow)	*11.30am–5.00pm; and 6.00pm until not later than 9.30pm
Friday 9 June	Race	9.00am from Barrule Park, Ramsey (9.15am from Bungalow)	10.00am until not later than 9.30pm
Saturday 10 June	Race		
Sunday 11 June	Contingency	11.30am from Barrule Park, Ramsey (11.45am from Bungalow)	12.30pm until not later than 6.30pm
Tuesday 13 June	Removal of one-way	9.30am until 4.30pm	N/A

Please note: The A18 Mountain Road between Barrule Park, Ramsey and Creg-ny-Baa, Onchan will remain closed from the end of a race until a time not later than one hour after the latest time referred to in the table above (TT course closure periods) for the relevant date.

***Where indicated, the whole TT Course will be open to traffic between 5.00pm and 6.00pm except for the Mountain Road section between Barrule Park, Ramsey, and Cronk-ny-Mona, Onchan.**

3. CONTINGENCY CLOSURE PERIODS

The organiser may utilise any contingency closure period for a practice, race or parade, where considered necessary.

4. NOTIFICATION OF ANY CONTINGENCY CLOSURE PERIODS

This information will be provided across social media and in the news bulletins on local radio –

Event Radio Station: AM 1368 kHz · Manx Radio: FM 89-103.

Energy FM: FM 91.2 – 105.2 MHz · 3FM: FM 104.2 -106.2 MHz

5. CROSSING PLACES AND ACCESS CORRIDORS

In any interval, the Clerk of the Course may authorise traffic to cross or proceed along the Course and at such times as they may specify, at the following locations:

- Douglas, St Ninians crossroads between Ballaquayle Road and Ballanard Road
- Douglas, Bottom of Bray Hill between Stoney Road and Tromode Road
- Douglas, Peel Road between the Quarterbridge and Strang Road, Union Mills
- Crosby, between Old Church Road, Eyreton Road and Ballavitchel Road
- Michael, Barregarow crossroads
- Kirk Michael, between Douglas Road Corner and Faaie ny Cabbal
- Ballaugh, between Station Road and Glen Road
- Lezayre, Sulby Glen crossroads
- Ramsey, between Glen Aldryn and Gardeners Lane
- Ramsey, between Christian Street and Westbourne Road
- Ramsey, between Lheaney Road and Barrule Park
- Onchan, between Signpost Corner and Bedstead Corner
- Onchan and Douglas, between Governor's Road, Victoria Road and Second Avenue

6. ACCESS ROAD TO THE INSIDE OF THE TT COURSE

Vehicular access to the inside of the course, including Noble's Hospital, is restricted to cars and small vans below 3,500kg in weight and under 3.35m in height. This is available via the A5 New Castletown Road near its junction with the Quarterbridge roundabout. The Access Road is narrow and so traffic flow is controlled. Pedestrian access is prohibited during closure periods for safety reasons.

7. ROADS OPEN

The TT Course will be re-opened to traffic by an official motor vehicle displaying a notice "Roads Open" proceeding along the course upon the completion of the races, and by the passing of such vehicle the part of the course so passed is open for traffic. For the Mountain Road the official motor vehicle will display "Roads Open One Way".

8. ROADS CLOSED TO VEHICLES AND PEDESTRIANS

It is an offence to enter or remain on a road that has been closed. The footways are also closed due to the nature of the event. It is also an offence to enter or remain in a **Prohibited** or **Restricted Area** during road closure periods. Please respect any advice given by a marshal - they want to keep you safe.

9. TEMPORARY SPEED LIMITS

Temporary speed limits will be introduced on various roads during the TT Festival period. These will be clearly indicated by signage and enforced.

Note: This notice gives general guidance only and should not be treated as an authoritative statement of the law.



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NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Department of Infrastructure has approved road closures or traffic restrictions to facilitate many of the following events -

EVENT	DATE	AFFECTED ROAD(S)	ROAD CLOSURE TIMES	EVENT START TIMES
CASTLETOWN Pre TT Classic Road Races	26 May 27 May 28 May	Billown Course	6.05 pm – 9.40 pm 12.30 pm – 4.30 pm; & 6.00 pm – 9.00 pm 1.00 pm – 6.00 pm	Various
PEEL Peel TT Day	5 June	Peel Promenade & East Quay	10.00 am – 8.00 pm	1.00 pm – 5.00 pm
Moddey Dhoo TT Bike Show	8 June	Peel Promenade	8.00 am – 8.00 pm	10.30 am – 6.00 pm
Beach Race	8 June	Peel Beach	None	5.00 pm – 9.00 pm
RAMSEY TT Sprint	5 & 8 June	Mooragh Promenade	8.00 am – 6.00 pm	10.30 am - 5.00 pm
Sprintfest	2 to 5 June	Market Square	Various	Various
PORT ERIN TT Day	5 June	Shore Road	12.45 pm – 11.00 pm	1.00 pm - 10.00 pm
DOUGLAS Funfair	1 – 11 June	Promenade Walkway	At all times	12.00 pm (midday)
Douglas Beach Race	5 June	Douglas Beach	None	6.00 pm
Red Arrows	8 June	Douglas Bay	None	7.30 pm
TT Course Fallen Riders Lap	4 June	Glencrutchery Road (TT Grandstand)	8.00 am – 11.30 am	10.00 am
TT Firework Display	9 June	Douglas Bay	None	11.00 pm
JURBY Jurby Drag Racing	11 June	Jurby Airfield	None	9.00 am – 5.00 pm

Note: the times specified above refer to road closure times (if applicable) and event start times.

Please listen to local radio for up-to-date information. Information about road closures will also be available during the event on 685888.

Other entertainment includes:

- TT Grandstand Fan Park including the trackside tent: 27 May - 10 June
- Bushy's TT Village at the Villa Marina Gardens, Douglas: 1 June – 10 June

This is just a selection of what's on during the TT Festival. For full details and start times of each event see the official TT Programme; or visit www.iomtraces.com or www.visitisleofman.com.

Useful websites:

Bus time tables and routes: <https://www.iombusandrail.im/timetables-routes-and-fares/current-bus-timetables/>

Find out exactly where the bus/train or tram is: <https://findmybus.im/>

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