



IRONMAN 70.3 STAFFORDSHIRE ROAD ACCESS INFORMATION – SUNDAY 7 JUNE 2020

TIXALL ROAD, RIVERWAY, SOUTH WALLS, STAFFORD TOWN CENTRE, KINGSWAY, NEWPORT ROAD.

Temporary road closures will be in place for IRONMAN 70.3 Staffordshire race day (Sunday 7 June) to ensure the safety of athletes and the public. These legal road closures are implemented under the Road Traffic Regulation (Special Events) Act 1994 and apply to all vehicles and bikes that are not involved in the event. Please use this information to plan your journey in advance, and to minimise the inconvenience to your travel on race day.

- Please avoid parking on any section of the bike or run courses for safety reasons.
- Essential access for carers will be facilitated. Contact staffordshire70.3@ironmanroadaccess.com or 03330 116600 as early as possible.
- There are **NO RESTRICTIONS** at any time to any of the emergency services.

PLEASE NOTE: The A34, Weston Road & Lichfield Road are CLEAR of road closures but there may be delays on these routes

AREA	CLOSURES	DETAILS
TIXALL ROAD	08:30 – 14:30	Tixall Road will be closed Westbound ONLY from the Blackheath Lane junction to Dartmouth Street for the bike section of the event. Tixall Road from Blackheath Lane to Tixall will be fully closed from 08:30 – 14:30. ACCESS ADVICE: There will be access Eastbound throughout the day. There is access using Tixall Road to Stafford Crematorium throughout the day. Please exit North using Blackheath Lane. Residential Access is permitted with caution along Tixall Road. There may be delays when using this route. See Map.
TIXALL ROAD	OPEN WESTBOUND	The small section of Tixall Road from Dartmouth Street to Hatherton Street will be open Westbound all day. Please note the closures surrounding this on the remainder of Tixall Road and Hatherton Street.
HATHERTON ST, GREENWAY, DARTMOUTH ST, HARROWBY ST	08:30 – 14:30	The bike course follows Hatherton Street, Fairway and enters Stafford Town Football Club via Riverway for Transition 2. The named roads will be fully closed from 08:30 – 14:30 on Sunday 7 th June. There will be vehicle access to Stafford Cricket and Hockey Club, Stafford Town Football Club via Fairway or The White Eagle Club via Lichfield Road. ACCESS ADVICE: Alternative parking is advised for residents between Hatherton St and Harrowby St. There will be a managed access point at Dartmouth St, crossing Tixall Road onto Saint Thomas St/Weston Rd for residents exiting their properties. To re-enter please use this route in reverse. Please note there will be delays crossing Tixall Road at peak times of the bike course.
RIVERWAY	SATURDAY 6 TH 08:00 – 18:00 SUNDAY 7 TH 07:00 – 20:00	Riverway will be FULLY closed on Saturday 6 th from 08:00 – 18:00 and Sunday 7 th from 07:00 – 20:00. ACCESS ADVICE: Please use the A518 and A34 to navigate North and South avoiding the Riverway closure. There will be vehicle access to Stafford Cricket and Hockey Club and Stafford Town Football Club via Fairway. Access to The White Eagle Club via Lichfield Road.
BRIDGE ST SOUTH WALLS	08:30 – 17:30	South Walls will be open all day only for access to car parks and the police station ONLY. Delays may occur.
STAFFORD TOWN CENTRE	08:30 – 17:30	The run course takes athletes from Riverway into Stafford Town Centre for a 2.5 lap half marathon course. The below roads will be fully closed from 08:30 – 17:30: Greengate Walk, Tipping St, Eastgate St, North Walls, South Walls, Salter St, Mill Bank, Tenterbanks, South St, Castle Street, Martin Drive, St Chads Place, Martin St, Salter St, Greengate St, N Castle St, Castle View, Castle Bank. Stafford Train Station – Access from the East ONLY due to a one-way closure on Newport Rd. Tenterbanks & Victoria Road will be closed with NO access to the station via this route.
CAR PARKS		The following car parks will be open as normal. Waterfront, Riverside, Broad St, Civic Centre, Gaol Rd and South Walls and Guildhall Shopping Centre Car Park. Tenterbanks Car Park (ST16 2QP) and Lammascote Car Park will be closed on 7th June 2020. Please expect heavier than usual car park use in Stafford Town Centre between Friday 5 th – Sunday 7 th June.
STAFFORDSHIRE COUNTY SHOWGROUND	SUNDAY SPECTATOR PARKING	Spectator parking will be directed to Staffordshire County Showground on Sunday 7 th of June for a free park and ride bus service to Stafford Town Centre. Please see www.ironman.com/staffordshire70.3 for more information
KINGSWAY, NEWPORT ROAD & CASTLE BANK	08:30 – 16:30	Kingsway will be open for residential access ONLY. Newport Road will be open for Westbound traffic ONLY. Residential access permitted. Please contact IRONMAN on the below e-mail and phone number for any access queries.

