

## River Thames – River Restriction

### Marlow Reach

**Bisham Abbey to Higginson Park, 100 metres  
upstream of Marlow Bridge**

**Saturday 26 June 2021 – 8am to 6pm**

### Marlow Town Regatta

**Directions for navigation and general information during this event:**

- The navigation channel shall be established on the Berkshire, left side of the river will be marked for the attention of Masters of navigating vessels.
- Racing boats will be using a buoyed channel in the centre of the river and there will be a small channel on the Buckinghamshire, right side of the river for racing boats to embark/disembark and row upstream to the start line.
- Regatta boards will mark the upstream and downstream extent of the course.

Please note: All directions as to left bank and right banks are given looking upstream.

- Masters of all boats to maintain a safe speed and lookout between Bisham Abbey and Higginson Park.
- Those in charge of all boats must observe any directions given by our Waterways Officers.
- Those in charge of boats should be aware that they are responsible for avoiding collision and should use all available means appropriate to the circumstances and conditions to decide if there is a risk of immediate danger and avoid it.
- Bathing or swimming are not allowed in the river in the vicinity of the regatta during these times.

- Mooring at Higginson Park will be suspended from 7pm on Friday 25 June to 7pm on Saturday 26 June 2021.
- Please see additional information overleaf.



**Maria Herlihy**  
**Harbour Master**

And Notice is hereby given, that it is provided by Byelaw 52 of the Thames Navigation Licensing and General Byelaws 1993 that:

The master of any vessel shall except in an emergency not pass any boat-race regatta public procession or gathering for the launch of a vessel or any other event or function which may cause a crowd to assemble on or by the river nor station his vessel thereon in such a manner as would risk obstructing impeding or interfering with such boat-race regatta procession launching event or function or endangering the safety of persons assembling on the river or preventing or interfering with the maintenance of order thereon.

The maximum penalty for breach of the Byelaws is £1,000

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The Thames Navigation Licensing and General Byelaws 1993 can be found here:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/river-thames-navigation-licensing-and-general-byelaws-1993>