

24th April 2023

Dear Councillor,

RE: TRAFFIC AND FOOTPATH ORDERS, LATITUDE FESTIVAL 2023

FOOTPATH CLOSURE

Please note that we are applying to Suffolk County Council for a temporary closure of footpath number 23 (Blythburgh) in between the junction with the A12 and the A145, as well as Henham Footpaths 001 & 005 from their start point to end point, for a period from Monday 26th June to Friday 28th July 2023. This is to ensure the safety of users and to prevent any conflict between pedestrians and our heavy plant, machinery, infrastructure which will use these same routes.

TEMPORARY TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS

Please note that we are applying to Suffolk County Council for the following temporary traffic regulation orders, all in the interests of increasing public safety and traffic flow in the vicinity of the Festival site. These will be signed in effect from Wednesday 19th July to Monday 24th July 2023, inclusive (unless noted otherwise):

TEMPORARY 30MPH SPEED LIMITS

- The A145, London Road, between the junction with the A12 to a point 174m south of the junction of The Hills at Brampton. Note, this will be in effect from 06:00hrs on Monday 17th July 2023 for safety reasons.
- The A12 from the junction with Wangford Road, Wangford to the current 40mph restricted area at Henham.
- Middle Barn Lane, Wangford, from its junction with the A12 to the 'split' of Middle Barn Lane/Craven Manor Lane
 at Manor Farm Cottages. Note, this will be in effect from 06:00hrs on Monday 17th July 2023 for safety reasons.
- Craven Manor Lane from its junction with Middle Barn Lane at Manor Farm Cottages to the junction of London Road A145. Note, this will be in effect from 06:00hrs on Monday 17th July 2023 for safety reasons.
- Henham Green, Henham, from the A145 to the 30mph restricted area at Sotherton corner. Note, this will be in effect from 06:00hrs on Monday 17th July 2023 for safety reasons.

TEMPORARY CLEAR WAY ("NO STOPPING") & LAYBY CLOSURES

- The A12 from its junction with Wangford Road, Wangford, to the current clearway order south of Middle Barn Lane.
- The A145, London Road, from its junction with the A12 at Henham Park to the junction of Craven Manor Lane, Henham Park.
- Middle Barn Lane, Wangford, from its junction with the A12 to the junction of London Road A145.
- Craven Manor Lane from its junction with Middle Barn Lane at Manor Farm Cottages to the junction of London Road A145.
- Hill Road from its junction with the A12 approx 100 metres to the bridge over the River Wang.
- Layby on A12 north of Blythburgh on northbound carriageway south of A145 junction.
- Layby on A12 north of Blythburgh on northbound and southbound carriageway just north of A145 junction.
- Layby on B1123 by A145 / B1123 junction.
- Triangle of grass at A145 / B1123 junction.
- Layby on A12 just north of junction with Hill Road.

NO RIGHT / LEFT TURN – Please note, these restrictions are new for 2023

- No right turn from the A12, southbound carriageway, into Middle Barn Lane between 2100hrs Friday 21/07/2023 & 0300hrs Saturday 22/07/2023, 2100hrs Saturday 22/07/2023 & 0300hrs Sunday 23/07/2023, 2100 hrs Sunday 23/07/2023 & 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023).
- No left turn From the A12, northbound carriageway, into Middle Barn Lane between 2100 hrs Sunday 23/07/2023 and 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023.
- No right turn from A12 Southbound carriageway into A145 between 0400hrs Monday 24/07/2023 and 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023 to minimise through traffic on A145 during peak egress.
- No left turn from A12 Northbound carriageway into A145 between 0400hrs Monday 24/07/2023 and 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023 to minimise through traffic on A145 during peak egress.

ONE WAY SYSTEM - MIDDLE BARN LANE

- Middle Barn Lane from a point west of the entrance to Henham Quarry to the junction of Craven Manor Lane at Manor Farm Cottages One Way for traffic travelling westbound.
- Craven Manor Lane from its junction with Middle Barn Lane at Manor Farm Cottages to the junction of the A145 London Road One Way for traffic travelling south west.
- Middle Barn Lane from its junction with Craven Manor Lane to the junction of the A145 London Road No access except for residents between 0600hrs Wednesday 19/07/2023 & 0700hrs Monday 24/07/2023. This closure is as per previous years, but will now end at 07:00hrs on Monday to allow campervans exiting the festival to utilise the road.

Please note, the following restrictions are new for 2023, in order to:

- Ensure exiting festival traffic follows the new exit route along Craven Manor Lane / Middle Barn Lane and right onto the A145
- To prevent build up of traffic at A145/A12 junction.
- To ensure safety of users of A12 north and south during peak egress times
- Craven Manor Lane at its junction with the A145 London Road No access, except for residents between 0700hrs and 2100hrs on Monday 24/07/2023.
- Middle Barn Lane to the A12 Southbound carriageway No right turn between 2100hrs Friday 21/07/2023 and 0300hrs Saturday 22/07/2023, 2100hrs Saturday 22/07/2023 and 0300hrs Sunday 23/07/2023 and 2100hrs Sunday and 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023.
- Middle Barn Lane at its junction with the A145 London Road No Left turn between 0600hrs Monday 24/07/2023 and 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023
- Craven Manor Lane at its junction with Middle Barn Lane No right turn between 0700hrs Monday 24/07/2023 and 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023
- Middle Barn Lane at its junction from A145 London Road No Entry between 0600hrs Wednesday 19/07/2023 and 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023

NO ACCESS, ACCEPT FOR RESIDENTS

- Dunwich Road, Blythburgh (B1125) from its junction with the B1387 to the junction with Chapel Road, Blythburgh
 No access, except for residents.
- Green Lane from its junction with the A145, to the junction with Kings Lane no access, except for residents between 0600hrs Monday 24/07/2023 & 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023. Please note as per 2022 this is to prevent conflict between festival egress traffic exiting the U1519 (Craven Manor Lane) and traffic travelling along the A145.

Please note, the following restrictions are new for 2023 to discourage traffic from the A12 from using residential streets to U-Turn:

- The Hills from its junction with the A145 to the junction with Stoven Road- no access, except for residents between 0600hrs Monday 24/07/2023 & 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023.
- The Street Blyburgh from its junction with the A12 Southbound to its junction with Chapel Road, and its junction A12 Northbound to its junction Priory Road. No access, except for residents between 0600hrs Monday 24/07/2023 & 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023.
- Chapel Road Blyburgh from its junction A12 to its junction B1125 Dunwich Road. No access, except for residents between 0600hrs Monday 24/07/2023 & 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023.
- Priory Road Blyburgh from its junction A12 to its junction with Church Road. No access, except for residents between 0600hrs Monday 24/07/2023 & 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023.
- Church Road Blyburgh from its junction A12 to its junction with Priory Road. No access, except for residents between 0600hrs Monday 24/07/2023 & 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023.

- Walberswick Road (B1387) from its junction with the A12 to the junction with B1125 Dunwich Road. No access, except for residents between 0600hrs Monday 24/07/2023 & 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023.
- The B1125 Angel Road Blyburgh from its junction with the A12 to its junction with Chapel Road Blyburgh. No access, except for residents between 0600hrs Monday 24/07/2023 & 2100hrs Monday 24/07/2023.

We have enclosed some maps and plans to illustrate some of these temporary orders further.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you require any further information.

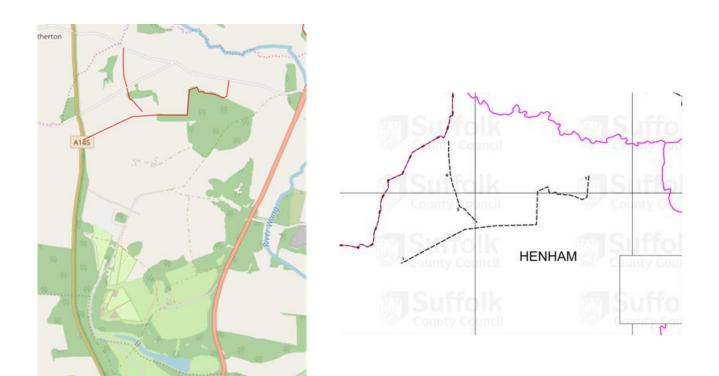
Kind Regards

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Henham Footpaths 001 & 005 Closures



One Way System on Middle Barn Lane

Wednesday 19th July 06.00 – 07.00 Monday 24th July 2023



Monday 24th July 2023 07.00 – 21.00 (new exit plan for 2023)



