Richmond Park

Trial reducing cut-through traffic within Richmond Park

Over the next 6 months we will trial the following interventions:

- Restrict all cut-through traffic between Roehampton, Sheen and Richmond Gates. This will greatly enhance the park environment for all park visitors and significantly reduce cut-through traffic on park roads.

- Close the vehicle link between Sheen Gate and Sheen Cross

Additionally on weekends we will restrict all cut-through traffic between Roehampton, Sheen and Richmond Gates. This will greatly enhance the park environment for all park visitors and significantly reduce cut-through traffic on park roads.

**Weekday car parking and vehicle access**
The existing parking provision will remain, and visitors may still drive to the park, with the following access conditions:

- Kingston and Broomfield Hill Car Parks will only be accessible from Kingston Gate
- Sheen Car Park will only be accessible from Sheen Gate
- Cars will still be permitted to drive between Kingston, Ham, Richmond and Roehampton Gates on weekdays

**Weekend car parking and vehicle access**
The existing parking provision will remain, and visitors may still drive to the park, with the following access conditions:

- Kingston and Broomfield Hill Car Parks will only be accessible from Kingston Gate
- Sheen Car Park will only be accessible from Sheen Gate
- Pen Ponds, Robin Hood and Roehampton Car Parks will only be accessible from Roehampton Gate
- Pembroke Lodge and Isabella Car Park (blue badge only) is accessible from Kingston, Ham and Richmond Gates

We are committed to undertaking a 6-month trial of these road closures. Over this 6-month period, we will measure and monitor these trials. This will include:

- Evaluation of the external implications of our trials in partnership with relevant transport authorities (TfL and local boroughs)
- A formal consultation with all park visitors, residents and stakeholders

All feedback received during this time will be taken into account to determine the final outcome of the trial. The charitable objects of The Royal Parks will also be taken into consideration.

**Key Dates**

Trial start date: 15 August 2020
Consultation dates: November 2020 – December 2020
Trial Conclusion: February 2021

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