

ROYAL QUAYS

MARINA

Local Notice to Mariners: No 3 of 2023 Repair Work to Disused Timber Lock Gates

Issued 26 August 2023



Mariners are advised that from Saturday 26 August conservation repair work will take place on the disused timber lock gates at Royal Quays Marina (marked in red on plan above). The work will take place during daylight hours and will be ongoing for approximately one month.

1. Work will take place from a floating pontoon moored in front of each gate. The gates are situated at either end of the current entrance lock on both sides of the channel.
2. Access to vessels will be maintained, but because of the position of the floating work pontoon within the lock entrance channel, all vessels entering and exiting the lock are required to navigate with caution and to reduce their speed and reduce wash to an absolute minimum.
3. As usual all vessels should call Lock Control (VHF Ch 80, Royal Quays Marina) to request a lock in or lock out. Vessels will be advised when a work pontoon is in position.
4. Some underwater works involving divers will also take place but this will be advised in due course by a separate notice.

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