



## ROAD ACCESS INFORMATION – IRONMAN UK – SUNDAY 15 JULY 2018

**ADLINGTON & ANDERTON, RIVINGTON, BELMONT VILLAGE, ABBEY VILLAGE, WHEELTON, BRINDLE, HORWICH**

Temporary road closures will be in place on IRONMAN UK race day 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 motor vehicles and bikes not involved in the event.

- Please avoid parking on the bike course for safety reasons.
- Pedestrians **CAN** cross the course at any time when safe to do so.
- Essential access for carers will be facilitated. Please contact [uk@ironmanroadaccess.com](mailto:uk@ironmanroadaccess.com) or 03330 11 66 00
- There are **NO RESTRICTIONS** at any time to any of the emergency services
- **MIDDLEBROOK RETAIL PARK IS OPEN AS NORMAL** on race day. Access via Mansell Way.

AREA	CLOSURES	DETAILS
ADLINGTON & ANDERTON	06:00 – 17:00	<p>Cyclists will be travelling both out and back on the bike course at Adlington.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bolton Road (A673) from the Lee Lane junction to the Grimford Lane junction will be completely closed from 06:00 – 09:30 and will be closed <b>SOUTHBOUND ONLY</b> from 09:30 – 17:00. Access will be maintained to Lee Lane and Crown Lane. Access to Chorley New Road southbound will reopen at 17:30.</li> <li>• Bolton Road from the Grimford Lane junction to Babylon Lane junction will be closed 06:00 – 09:30.</li> <li>• Chorley Road from Babylon Lane junction to Rawlinson Lane junction will be closed southbound 08:30 – 16:30.</li> <li>• Rawlinson Lane will be closed from Chorley Road to the A5106 Wigan Lane from 08:30 – 16:30.</li> <li>• Babylon Lane, New Road and Horrobin Lane will be completely closed between 06:00 – 17:00.</li> </ul> <p><b>ACCESS ADVICE:</b> Where Westhoughton Road (A6) crosses Rawlinson Road Traffic Management Stewards will cross vehicles over the bike course whenever it is safe to do so. This will allow travel along Westhoughton Road at all times – however please expect delays at this point.</p> <p>For travel north and south throughout the day, access Westhoughton Road (A6) via Chorley Road or Crown Lane.</p>
RIVINGTON	06:00 – 17:00	<p>The bike course travels out along Horrobin Lane, Sheep House Lane, and Rivington Road towards Belmont. Horrobin Lane will be closed from 06:00 – 17:00. Sheep House Lane will be closed 06:00 – 14:00.</p> <p><b>ACCESS ADVICE:</b> There is access to Rivington at all times via Lever Park Avenue and Rivington Lane.</p>
BELMONT VILLAGE	06:00 – 14:00	<p>The bike course turns left from Rivington Road, out along the A675 towards the M65. Rivington Road is closed between 06:00 – 14:00.</p> <p>The A675 from Egerton Road to Brookdale is closed northbound between 06:30 – 14:00.</p> <p>For safety, parking will be restricted on the A675 at Belmont. Please do not park on the road between 07:00 – 14:00. There is alternative parking available temporarily on Belmont Road south of the village.</p> <p><b>ACCESS ADVICE:</b> There is access to Belmont at all times from the M65 junction 3 southbound and as far as Rivington Road northbound.</p>
ABBAY VILLAGE	07:00 – 14:00	<p>The bike course travels along the A675 towards the M65/Chorley Road junction. Southbound travel through Abbey Village will be unaffected by the event however the A675 from Egerton Road to Brookdale (Belmont) will be closed northbound between 06:30 – 14:00.</p> <p>For safety, parking will be restricted on the A675 at Belmont. Please do not park on the road from 07:00 – 14:00.</p> <p><b>ACCESS ADVICE:</b> There is access to Abbey Village at all times via the M65 junction 3.</p>
WHEELTON	07:00 – 14:30	<p>The course continues south along the A674, turns right at the B6229 Moss Lane, then right again to join Dark Lane. Dark Lane, Copthurst Lane, Lower Copthurst Lane, Birchin Lane and on to Brindle are closed from 07:00 – 14:30.</p> <p><b>ACCESS ADVICE:</b> There is access to Wheelton at all times via the A674, though vehicles may experience delays crossing the bike course.</p>
BRINDLE	07:00 – 14:30	<p>The bike course travels along Birchin Lane and Denham Lane to Water Street. These roads are closed between 07:00 – 14:30. At Brindle, the bike course turns left towards Clayton Green. Sandy Lane B5256 will be closed westbound between 07:00 – 14:30 from Water Street to the A6.</p> <p><b>ACCESS ADVICE:</b> Access to Brindle at all times via Clayton Green (A6 southbound), Westwood Road and Sandy Lane.</p>
HORWICH	<p><b>BOLTON ROAD</b> 06:00 – 17:00</p> <p><b>CHORLEY NEW ROAD</b> 06:00 - midnight</p>	<p>Cyclists will be travelling both out and back through Horwich. Transition 2 is located at Queens Park. The run course will leave here via Chorley New Road towards Bolton Town Centre.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bolton Road from Lee Lane/ Crown Lane to Babylon Lane junction will be completely closed 06:00 - 09:30.</li> <li>• Bolton Road will be closed <b>SOUTHBOUND ONLY</b> between Grimford Lane and Lee Lane 09:30 – 17:00. Any vehicles travelling north from Horwich during this time should be advised that New Road and Babylon Lane are also completely closed from 06:00 - 17:00.</li> </ul> <p>There will also be closures along Chorley New Road between 06:00 - midnight.</p> <p><b>ACCESS ADVICE:</b> Chorley Old Road, Crown Lane and Lee Lane are open as normal, please expect delays especially at Scholes Bank. The A58 Victoria Road/ Beaumont Rd will allow access north and south of Horwich at all times.</p>