JUBILEE RIVER SWIM – SPECTATOR GUIDE 2021

ON FOOT / BY BIKE

The Jubilee River Swim is an extremely spectator friendly event, with a well-maintained cycleway / path along the length of the river making it very simple to stay close to the action. We welcome you to follow as much of the swim as you can by walking or cycling the route.

You can directly follow the Jubilee River for all but a few hundred yards; this short stretch is in the first mile. Start your adventure with the swimmers at the start line and when the towpath hits the A4, turn left, carefully cross the A4 at the traffic lights and turn right along Amerden Lane and head under the railway bridge. You'll rejoin the Jubilee River after a few hundred yards; cross the bridge on the right to follow the towpath. Follow signs for cycle route 61 and you can't go wrong...but we will put signage up just in case.

Apart from a couple of road crossings and underpasses, you can now follow the designated path to the end of the swim. Enjoy!!

BY CAR

Some spectators choose to leapfrog along the route to follow their swimmers by car as there are numerous points of access and suitable car parking locations reasonably adjacent to the water that make this possible.

However, we would like to request that spectators move along the route with caution and consideration of others as many of the access points and parking areas are used on race day by the event crew, race organisers and the medical support teams. These areas are also in use by other recreational river users and local residents not associated with the swim.

With this in mind, we would appreciate spectators parking respectfully and planning your stopping points in advance.

We have supplied a series of maps below which will guide you along the route.

For the swim start area you may find parking along Mill Lane / Jubilee Lane (SL6 OAA) but be aware that this is a largely residential area and parking restrictions may apply. When departing for Leg 2 after the start, simply rejoin the A4 Bath Rd.

Getting to the end of Leg 1 / start of Leg 2 – from Jubilee Lane turn left on the A4 towards Slough. Turn right from the A4 at the second set of traffic lights into Marsh Lane. Parking at the river car park (SL6 0DH) will be limited; you may find options along Old Marsh Lane slightly further along on the right.

BE AWARE THAT SWIMMERS MUST CROSS MARSH LANE ON FOOT SO PLEASE DRIVE CAREFULLY AS YOU APPROACH THE BRIDGE OVER THE RIVER!



Option for viewing Leg 2 – there is a small car park on Lake End Road (SL4 6QT), this may be busy!



Getting to the end of Leg 2 / start of Leg 3 – Once over the second cattle grid and Dorney Common, look out for Moores Lane (SL4 6JY) on the left. Park considerately around the green at the end. In the right-hand corner of the green is a footpath to the river. The start of Leg 3 is a 5+ minute walk away.



Getting to the end of Leg 3 / start of Leg 4 – carry on through Eton Wick to Eton College and turn left towards Slough. Go straight over the first roundabout to the second roundabout and take the second turning off this large roundabout; there is a car park large enough for around 20 vehicles next to the Jubilee River Riverside Centre, SL1 2BP (look out for the height restriction bar).



Back to the finish at TVAC (SL4 6HN) – turn right at the roundabout, heading back towards Eton and turn left at the next roundabout, signed for TVAC and Datchet. The finish is immediately on the right as you enter TVAC. **PLEASE NOTE THERE IS NO DESIGNATED SPECTATOR PARKING AT TVAC.**



We advise spectators to be creative! If you have pre-paid tickets for the shuttle buses, you will be able to get to the start area and then follow the swim on foot. If you do not have shuttle bus tickets, then perhaps find a place to park at the start in Taplow and follow the course by bike? If you plan to leapfrog the course by car, please be aware that our event vehicles & medics do require access, so give yourselves time and be prepared to park a short distance away and walk. There will be plenty of swimmers to cheer on so have a fun day!

