

Current River Conditions (River Thames)

17 January 2008

This information is available 24 hours by telephoning the Floodline on telephone number 0845 988 1188, then Press 1 for Thames Navigation and when prompted dial number: 011131

Red Warning Boards notifying STRONG STREAM Caution are being displayed at all Thames locks from St John's through to Teddington inclusive. All river users are advised to refrain from navigating on the river in any type of vessel in STRONG STREAM conditions.

River users are further advised that the majority of the Thames Weirs are now fully open causing Very Strong Stream.

More heavy rain is forecast over the next few days which will increase the stream further.

For more detailed information about river conditions and availability of locks, lay-bys and facilities at specific locations, here are our local contact numbers -

For Cricklade Bridge to the tail of Cleeve Lock call 01491 828459

For the tail of Cleeve Lock to the tail of Bray Lock call 0118 953 5533

For the tail of Bray lock to the Teddington Boundary call 01276 454900

Please note the above mentioned telephone numbers are available during office hours (Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm).

For any urgent enquiry, please telephone the Environment Agency's 24 hour hotline on 0800 80 70 60.