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MAY BANK HOLIDAY WORKS - updated news on Network Rail Train Journeys

I thought this recent news from Network Rail - regarding their Bank Holiday Works (for this Bank Holiday Weekend and the Late Bank Holiday Weekend (May 29-31) - might be helpful to you and your staff...



Over both May bank holiday weekends, our teams will be working at a number of key locations on the Wessex route to keep the railway running reliably for passengers.

Early May bank holiday

Trains on the **Guildford via Cobham & Stoke D'Abernon** line will not run on Sunday 2 May while we refurbish switches and crossings (allowing trains to move between lines) at Hampton Court Junction, and carry out structural work and inspections on our infrastructure in the area.



Further work on the Feltham to Wokingham Resignalling Programme ([more details on our dedicated website here](#)) on Sunday 2 and Monday 3 May will affect **Waterloo-Reading** services (which will terminate at Virginia Water) and **Hounslow loop** trains. Services on this line will divert via Richmond and stops between Feltham and Barnes via Hounslow will be served by rail replacement buses.

Services in the **Salisbury area** will be affected throughout May while we replace switches and crossings and install new track and ballast – more details on all our work in Salisbury below.

- A **revised** service will run between **London Waterloo and Salisbury**.
- **Buses** will run between **Salisbury and Gillingham**.
- A **revised** service will run between **Gillingham and Axminster**.
- **Buses** will run between **Axminster and Exeter St Davids**.
- **London Waterloo to Bristol/Frome** services will **not** run.

Late May bank holiday

On the Heart of Wessex line, in the **Chetnole area**, we're re-railing 800 yards of track on Sunday 30 May. Buses will replace Great Western Railway services between Yeovil Pen Mill and Weymouth.

While we carry out track maintenance in the **Leatherhead area** on Saturday 29 and Sunday 30 May, services to Guildford and Dorking will terminate at Epsom. Rail replacement buses will operate between Epsom and Guildford/Dorking, and between Sutton/Epsom and Dorking.

There will be no services between **Aldershot and Guilford** or **Reading and Guildford** on Sunday 30 May.

Passengers should continue to follow the latest government advice when travelling, and should check before they travel at [National Rail Enquiries](#) or via their operator.

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If you are a Clapham Junction BID business and you have missed any of these communications, or for more information – please contact Roz Lloyd-Williams, The Executive BID Director, The Junction BID Tel: 07522 812299 email: roz.lloyd-williams@thejunctionbid.co.uk