

Travel Demand Management & Festive Travel

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TDM OBJECTIVES





TfL's Objectives

Keep London working and growing

Make life in the capital better





We will

 Get the most out of existing transport networks

 Deliver a capital programme to expand and improve transport opportunities

 Put our customers at the heart of everything we do





TDM supports TfL objectives by

- Offering customers the ability to make better informed decisions
- Enabling and encouraging customers to avoid times and locations where
 - demand exceeds, or will exceed, transport capacity

know your travel options

 regular travel will be significantly affected by planned events, maintenance or network changes.





TDM Strategy

- Work collaboratively with other transport operators to positively influence customers' travel experiences in London
- Actively seek to achieve targeted changes in travel behaviour where there is a direct customer and business/operational benefit
- Develop an open relationship with customers by giving them useful information and advice presented consistently
- Develop and enhance the range of information and tools available to our customers
- Offer customers an integrated view of all their travel options
- Utilise the capabilities and knowledge of TfL's teams and those of our delivery partners
- Refine the understanding and application of TDM as part of the operational toolkit for transport in London



FESTIVE TRAVEL



Context

AM Crowding - XMAS13-27Dec-H Segmented (1.0) PM Peak

Christmas 2013 - 27Dec - H

- Not one single situation:
 - TfL planned works
 - Network Rail planned works
 - Major events New Years Eve and New Years Day
 - Localised events, e.g. Football matches
 - Service alterations

- Active collaboration with Network Rail to de-conflict planned works
- Detailed operational planning





Communications Objectives

- Enable customers to travel
- Give customers a coherent picture
- Support customers with appropriate advice
- Magnify Network Rail information about Gatwick works







Outputs/Outcomes

- TfL website carried detailed information
- Integrated TfL marketing campaign (see Annex A)
- PA and driver announcements, station posters
- Consistent information and advice with NR and TOCs re Gatwick
- 23 issues were raised at the Customer Contact Centre, a balance of positive and negative





Lessons

- Value of collaborative approach
- Continue to strengthen working processes with NR



FORTHCOMING TDM ACTIVITY





Everyday Hotspots

- Hotspot information release
- Northern line pilot continuing
- Real-time crowding feasibility study





Major Events

- Regulars: London Marathon,
 Prudential Ride London,
 Tour of Britain etc
- One-offs: Tour de France 2014, Rugby World Cup 2015, World Athletics Championships 2017





Major Works

- Thameslink works
- West-coast mainline works
- New system for TfL/NR collaboration in development



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ANNEX A MARKETING CAMPAIGN



Advertising

- 1,704 posters across Tube platform/concourse, bus stops, London Overground platform/concourse, Tramlink stops and DLR platform/concourse.
- 2 adverts in the Metro (11 and 17 December).
- 1 full page advert in Time Out (Christmas bumper issue).





No surprises

There will be service changes over the festive season Chow your travel options. Visit tfl.gov.uk/festive

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MAYOR OF LONDON

Enjoy free travel home this New Year's Eve. Sponsored by Diageo Tube, tram and DLR services from 23.45—04.30 and London Overground until Last train times. Visit tfl.gov.uk

Oon't overdo it this festive period #ThinkHowYouD



CRM - email

- Two emails were produced. One targeting road users. The other targeting 'all other transport' users.
- 3,124,978 emails were delivered. 787,345 were opened.
- 45 customers responded to the emails, with only 8 being negative, relating to the inconvenience of the PWC and service changes.





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Dear Mr Heys,

Home

Please note, this email is slightly longer than usual as it provides information through to New Year's Day. I am writing to advise you about getting around London during the festive period.

Festive services

The main changes to our services are as follows:

Christmas Eve, Tuesday 24 December - A reduced weekday service will operate across the Tube network until 20:00. Last trains will be earlier than usual. Buses will run until just after midnight.

Christmas Day, Wednesday 25 December - There will be no service on the entire network.



New Year's Eve, Tuesday 31 December - Free travel will be provided on most of our services from 23:45 until 04:30. From around 17:00 central London roads will close to prepare for celebrations so buses will gradually be withdrawn.

New Year's Day, Wednesday 1 January - A reduced service will operate on most of the network.

For full details, please click the links above or visit tfl.gov.uk/festive

Gatwick Airport

From Wednesday 25 December to Wednesday 1 January 2014, there will be no Gatwick Express rail service. Other operators will serve Gatwick Airport station but your journey will take longer and you may have to take a replacement bus. To plan your rail journey, please visit <u>nationalrail.co.uk</u>

Public Transport

signalling. Even on Christmas Day, when the entire network is closed, over 1,000 of As this is a quieter time of year on the network, we are taking the opportunity to carry out improvements. These include track replacement and installation of new our team will be working.

Bakerloo line

The opening hours of Marylebone station will be changed temporarily. On Tuesday 24 December it will close at about 22:30 and Thursday 26 December it will close at about 20:30. Last Tube trains serving the station on Wednesday 1 January 2014 will be at about 02:50; the station will then close from 03:00 until 07:00.

Central line

30 December, Chancery Lane station will be closed. From Friday 27 to Monday

District line

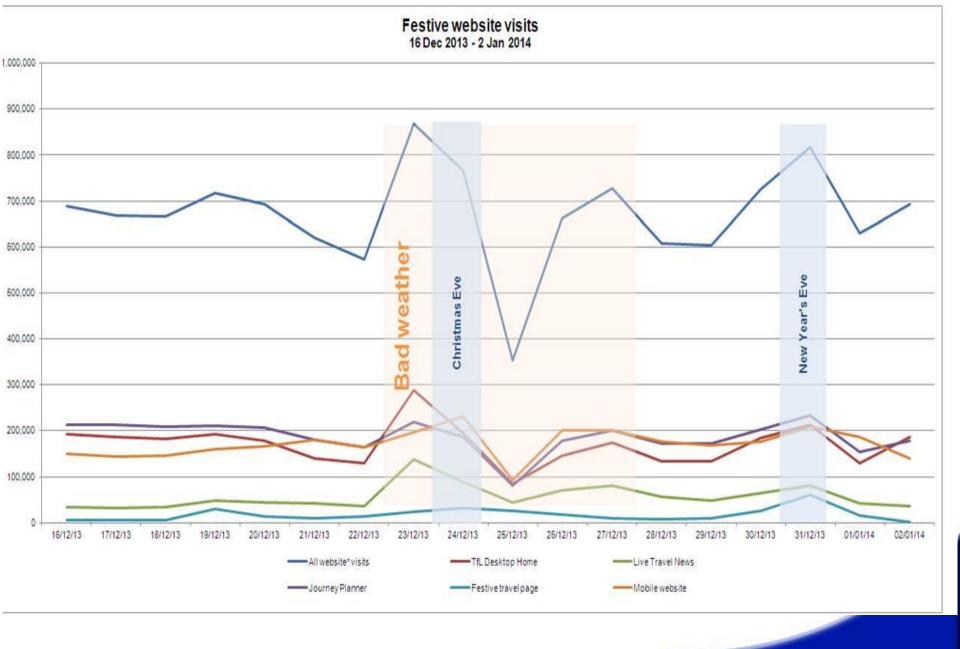
On Thursday 26 December, Cannon Street, Kensington (Olympia) and Upminster Bridge stations will be closed. Until about 18:30 on Thursday 26 December, there is no service between Earl's Court and Edgware Road/Ealing Broadway/Kensington (Olympia)/Richmond. From



TfL Online

- TfL.gov.uk/festive was the central hub of travel information and advice across all modes.
- Promo banner on homepage
- The desktop website received nearly 9 million visits between 16 Dec and 2 January, compared to just under 8 million over the 2012-13 festive break.







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Barclays Cycle Hire

How it works



Service updates at 23:40

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 Travelling during the festive season -Christmas and New Year 2013/14

Travelling during the festive season - Christmas and New Year 2013/14

If you are travelling between today and Wednesday 1 January 2014, your journey may be affected by service changes. During this time, a variety of essential maintenance works will take place on the TfL and Network Rail networks.

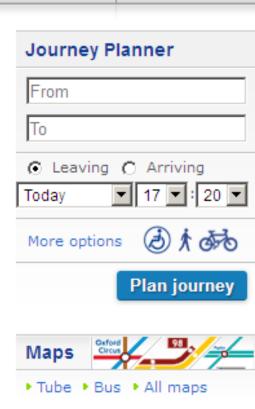
On this page:

- General travel advice
- ▼Tuesday 31 December New Year's Eve
- ▼ Wednesday 1 January New Year's Day

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The maintenance has been scheduled for this quieter time of year to minimise the impact on customers and is



Press Office

- A festive travel press release was issued on 6 December detailing the services that will be available during the Christmas and New Year period, linking to the tfl.gov.uk/festive webpage.
- A reminder release was issued on 27 December, advising customers that New Year's Eve travel would be free and to inform them of the road closures in place for the fireworks and the New Year's Day parade.
- Approximately 30 Tweets via @TfLOfficial (192,223 followers)
 made between December 6 and January 2.
- A number of festive travel information stories ran across media.



Social Media

- Approximately 135 tweets were posted across TfL modes @TfLBusAlerts, @EmiratesAirLDN, @LDNOverground, @LondonDLR, @TramsLondon, @TfLRiver, @TfLTrafficNews and Tube through individual line feeds with a combined 600,000 followers.
- A balance of positive and negative comments



