

WEEKLY SITE UPDATE



19 December 2024

THIS WEEK

The site team has been:

- Installing the new river wall panels
- Striking formwork and steel on the Luna House Jetty
- Working on the foreshore for access to the existing jetty and underside concrete works
- Exposing old concrete jetty piles and continuing with their removal
- Breaking out the concrete platform, using large excavators, while we are removing the cofferdam
- Removing excavated fill material and stockpiling it with excavators, to be removed by barge
- Demobilising of the crane barge for the Christmas break
- Removing redundant steel tie rods in the cofferdam, using thermal cutting equipment
- Continuing surface drainage and ducting work, including the use of an excavator for concrete breaking
- Continuing kiosk MEICA works (Mechanical, Electrical, Instrumentation, Control and Automation) and architecture, landscaping and installation of security fencing behind the kiosk
- Finishing works at Loftie Street for the new road layout and entrance into the Thames Water area
- Removing the Loftie Street traffic management for the road to reopen tomorrow



Photograph shows the continued progress of cofferdam removal, looking north-east

THIS WEEKEND

We are planning to work this weekend, predominantly at Loftie Street on the east side of site, installing hoarding and fencing, as well as other works. The 24 hour, site-based, security team will be on regular patrol, while site staff will conduct periodic inspections of safety and monitoring equipment.

NEXT WEEK & LOOKAHEAD

The site team will be working through to 24 December. Ahead of the Christmas shutdown, they will be:

- Continuing the landscaping works around the kiosk and Loftie Street entrance
- Continuing works at Loftie Street and cleaning up
- Cleaning up the newly-constructed jetty area
- Generally tidying up and making the site safe for the Christmas shutdown

COFFERDAM REMOVAL

For more information about cofferdam removal, see the separate information sheet [here](#).

WORKING HOURS

Standard working hours are:

- Monday to Friday: 8am to 6pm
- Saturday: 8am to 1pm

Concrete breaking activities will only be:

- Monday to Friday: 8am to 6pm
- Saturday: 9am to 2pm (starting and finishing an hour later than standard hours)
- We will endeavour to finish all works onsite by 6pm, but other support activities, such as moving materials and pouring concrete, may continue until 8 pm
- Certain activities for the cofferdam removal such as barge movements, which are dependent on the tides may take place from 5am to 10pm

OTHER NEWS – Latest Tideway Videos

Watch our latest 'People Behind the Tunnel' video, which stars the former Deputy Delivery Manager for Tideway at Chambers Wharf.

["Everyone dreams of contributing and playing a part" - The People Behind the Tunnel: Mousa Khalifeh](#)

You can view other videos about the Tideway project on our dedicated YouTube channel – [Tunnel Vision](#) including: [Season's Greetings: Switching on the Super Sewer, 2024 Rewind - Tunnel Vision Episode 24](#)

In 2024, all underground construction of the Super Sewer was completed, London's largest manhole cover was lifted into place, tunnel testing and commissioning began and our sites have been getting connected into the system. As Christmas descends on London, Georgia and James look back on a year when the River Thames began to be protected for the first time.

OTHER NEWS – Community Enhancement Fund (CEF)

Under the project's Section 106 agreement, a Community Enhancement Fund of £1 million was allocated for community-led projects to improve the area around our Chambers Wharf site. Just over £30,000 remains.

The next deadline for applications is at the end of February. If you have a community idea and wish to apply for some of the remaining money, or are interested in joining the panel of local representatives, please email Jacqueline Christie, at Southwark Council: Community.Engagement@southwark.gov.uk.

Further information and details on how to apply are available on Southwark Council's [webpage](#).

INDEPENDENT COMPENSATION PANEL

If you feel affected by our work, please continue to contact the Helpdesk, who can advise you on support available through the Independent Compensation Panel. Typical mitigation could include daily respite, alternative office accommodation, installation of secondary glazing, blackout blinds or noise cancelling headphones. If you would like to make an application to the Independent Compensation Panel (ICP), please contact the Helpdesk at helpdesk@tideway.london to request a copy of the form.

CONTACT DETAILS

If you have any questions, contact the Tideway Helpdesk on 08000 30 80 80 or at helpdesk@tideway.london.

Jacqueline Christie, Consultation and Involvement Officer for Southwark Council, can be contacted for Tideway enquiries at: Community.Engagement@southwark.gov.uk.

The Southwark Council Environmental Health team can also be contacted directly if you have concerns about our work - environment@southwark.gov.uk