

MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS AND EVIRONMENT
THE ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1947

TRAFFIC NOTICE NO: 42/2025

2025 BERMUDA DAY EVENTS
FRIDAY, MAY 23rd, 2025

The Ministry of Public Works and Environment wishes to inform motorists that the Bermuda Day Road Races and Parade will take place on Friday, May 23rd, 2025, from 7:30 am until 8:00 pm. The following roads will be closed to all vehicular traffic until they are reopened by the Bermuda Police Service or at a time as stated within this Notice.

RACE ROUTES:

1. **Marathon Derby:** Mullet Bay Road, Kindley Field Road, The Causeway, Blue Hole Hill, North Shore Road, Hamilton Parish, Middle Road, Smiths and Devonshire Parishes, Cavendish Road, Lane Hill, Crow Lane into the City of Hamilton, leaving the City of Hamilton then onto Cedar Avenue, Marsh Folly Road, Dutton Avenue and finishing at Bernard Park. This Marathon Derby Race will start at 8.30 am on Bermuda Day
2. **Junior Classic Run:** Front Street, Queen Street, Church Street, King Street, Victoria Street, Cedar Avenue, Marsh Folly Road, Dutton Avenue to Bernard Park.
3. **Parade Route:** Starting on Pitt's Bay Road and heading in an Easterly direction on Front Street, Hamilton, then parade participants will follow a route within Hamilton as agreed upon by the City of Hamilton. The parade route will continue along the streets in the City and then exit on Cedar Avenue, travelling in a Northerly direction towards Marsh Folly Road, Easterly along Marsh Folly Road to Dutton Avenue, South along Dutton Avenue until reaching the Bernard Park Field, where the Parade Route will conclude.

TRAFFIC CONTROL:

All traffic, including pedal cyclists (but excluding the official vehicles preceding the Sinclair Packwood Memorial Cycle Race, the Marathon Derby Race, along with buses and emergency vehicles following the runners), will be diverted from the Marathon Route after **8:00 am** and until opened by the Bermuda Police Service.

For persons intending to enter the City of Hamilton, the following procedure will be in place: Motorized traffic will be allowed to cross over and enter through the Half Marathon race route at only the following junctions:

Middle Road & Harrington Sound Road to North Shore Road, Flatts.

Tee Street and Middle Road to Orange Valley Road and Middle Road.

Hermitage Road to Vesey Street.

Brighton Hill to Barkers Hill.

ROAD CLOSURES:

Mullet Bay Road

Mullet Bay Road between Kindley Field Road and York Street, St George's will be closed to all traffic from 8:45 am until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.

Kindley Field Road	Kindley Field Road between St David's Road and The Causeway will be closed to all traffic except for access for residents from 9:00 am until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
Blue Hole Hill	Blue Hole Hill between The Causeway and North Shore Road, from 9:00 am until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
North Shore Road	North Shore Road between Blue Hole Hill and Middle Road near Flatts, from 9:00 am until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
Middle Road	Middle Road from North Shore Road near Flatts to Cavendish Road from 9:00 am until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
Canal Road	Canal Road between Marsh Folly Road and Laffan Street will be closed to traffic except for access for residents from 9:00 am to 11:30 am.
Cedar Avenue	Cedar Avenue from City Boundary to St John's Road junction between 1:30 pm until the parade passes.
Marsh Folly Road	Marsh Folly Road between St John's Road to Dutton Avenue between 1:30 pm until the parade passes.
Dutton Avenue	Dutton Avenue from North Street to Marsh Folly Road in Pembroke will be closed to all traffic from 6:00 am to 8:00 pm.
Palmetto Road & Marsh Folly Road	Between Bishop Spencer Road to Dutton Avenue, between 10:30 am and 6.30 pm, to Westbound ONLY traffic or until reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
Black Watch Pass	Between 10:30 am and 6:30 pm from Marsh Folly Road to the junction at North Shore Road, to all traffic until reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
Crow Lane	North Roundabout (The Lane) to City boundary (Westbound ONLY) from 1:45 pm until, reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
Pitt's Bay Road	From Woodbourne Avenue to Bermudiana Road, until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
Gorham Road	Between Woodbourne Avenue and Bermudiana Road, until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
NO PARKING:	
North Shore Road	Between Blue Hole Hill and Middle Road in Flatts, there will be no parking for any vehicles from 9:00 am until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
Middle Road	From North Shore Road in Flatts to Cavendish Road, there will be no parking for any vehicles from 9:00 until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
Cavendish Road	Between Middle Road and Lane Hill, there will be no parking for vehicles from 8:00 am until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
Marsh Folly Road	Between St John's Road and Dutton Avenue, from 8:00 am until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.

Dutton Avenue	Between Marsh Folly Road and North Street, from 8:00 am until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.
Blackwatch Pass	Between Marsh Folly Road and North Shore Road, from 8:00 am until it is reopened by the Bermuda Police Service.

In addition, the Bermuda Police Service and the Corporation of Hamilton are hereby authorized to "Close-Off" streets or portions of streets, restrict and authorize parking as the Commissioner of Police and the City of Hamilton Manager decide.

Dated this 21st day of May 2025

By Order _____
The Hon. Jache Adams, JP, MP
Minister of Public Works and Environment