### NEWS FROM THE BARKING - GOSPEL OAK RAIL USER GROUP 25 APRIL

#### **ENGINEERING WORK SUNDAY 27 APRIL**

Buses replace trains between Barking and South Tottenham until 12:00 on Sunday 27 April. For details of the rail replacement bus service (pages 3 & 4) and other planned engineering work on Barking - Gospel Oak and connecting lines (pages 1 & 2) see the attached pdf file. BGORUG is grateful to London Overground for improving the direction signage to the rail replacement bus stops at Forest Road (Blackhorse Road station) and South Grove (Walthamstow Queen's Road station). BGORUG continues to provide direction signage to the rail replacement bus stops in Selbourne Road (Walthamstow Central) and rail replacement bus timetables to bus stops at Barking, Walthamstow and Crouch Hill.

#### PLANNED STRIKE ACTION ON LONDON UNDERGROUND 28-30 APRIL

Barking - Gospel Oak services are expected to be grossly overcrowded during peak times and London Overground are will operating crowd control and queuing measures at stations. BLACKHORSE ROAD is operated by London Underground and is expected to be open until 23:00 Mon - Wed and to open at 07:00 on Tues - Wed. London Overground trains WILL NOT CALL if the station is closed. The Victoria Line is planned to operate every 5 mins between Seven Sisters and Victoria with possible extension to Brixton. Seven Sisters station is a short walk from South Tottenham station. Passengers should allow a lot of extra time for their journeys and try to avoid travelling at all, especially during the morning and evening peaks. There is a link to the TfL website on our links page. Join our 'Have your say' message board (http://www.barking-gospeloak.org.uk/) and keep your fellow passengers up to date with the latest events/disruptions on the Barking - Gospel Oak Line from your PC or mobile device.

#### SUMMER TIMETABLE

The Summer National Rail timetable commences on Sunday 18 May. Copies of the new London Overground timetable booklets are now available from stations including Blackhorse Road.

#### **ESCALATOR RENEWAL AT BLACKHORSE ROAD**

There will be no down escalator service to the Victoria Line at Blackhorse Road until June.

#### LEYTONSTONE HIGH ROAD

Ticket gates have been installed here and may be operational already.

#### LEYTON MIDLAND ROAD

BGORUG is grateful to London Overground for reinstating the glazing in the two original passenger platform shelters on a trial basis. The Midland Road entrance to this station was closed permanently on Tuesday 22 April and the new ticket gates at the High Road entrance were commissioned on Thursday 24 April. An additional ticket vending machine has also been provided.

#### WALTHAMSTOW QUEEN'S ROAD

The ticket vending machine for the new Edison Close entrance was finally delivered on Wednesday 23 April and the signage for the entrance was installed on Tuesday 22 April. Waltham Forest Council has installed CCTV in Edison Close, so London Overground should be able to open this long awaited station entrance in the VERY near future! There is still no sign of work starting on the equally long awaited footpath, to be named Ray Dudley Way, to link Edison Close with Walthamstow Central. BGORUG is grateful to Waltham Forest Council for agreeing to provide pedestrian direction signage between Walthamstow Queen's Road station and Walthamstow Central and Walthamstow Queen's Road station and the High Street at Willow Walk. The Council has also agreed to lobby Transport for London to agree to BGORUG's proposal to add the words "Alight here for Walthamstow Town Centre" to signs on the station platforms.

#### **BLACKHORSE ROAD**

BGORUG is grateful to the London Underground station manager, Mike Donnithorne, for providing a train departures indicator in the Ticket Hall and additional platform signs. However we are disappointed that the Department for Transport funded 'Access For All' scheme to the Overground platforms has been shelved.

#### SOUTH TOTTENHAM

This is the site of the only other ticket gating and 'Access For All' schemes on the line and London Overground insist that these works are still going ahead in spite of there being no sign of any work taking place on the ground.

#### **UPPER HOLLOWAY**

At last the much needed ticket vending machine has been installed at the down side entrance.

#### **GOSPEL OAK**

A recent surprise addition here was a brand new passenger shelter on the Barking platform, WITH INTERIOR LIGHTING!

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

This has been postponed due to the strike on London Underground. The new date will be confirmed as soon as we have confirmation from the venue.

Glenn Wallis Secretary Barking - Gospel Oak Rail User Group



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# ENGINEERING WORKS BETWEEN BARKING & GOSPEL OAK PLANNED AT 22<sup>ND</sup> APRIL 2014

	Barking – South Tottenham blocked to trains until 12:00						
Sunday 27th April	Note also no North London Line rail service Camden Road –						
	Gospel Oak – Willesden Junction – Shepherd's Bush/Richmond						
	until 12:30 & Gospel Oak – Stratford after 21:30						
	No North London Line rail service Camden Road – Gospel Oak –						
Sunday I I <sup>th</sup> May	Willesden Junction – Richmond until 18:00;						
	No service Willesden Junction – Clapham Junction all day						
18 <sup>th</sup> May	No North London Line rail service Willesden Junction - Richmond						
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> May –	Ne Viscovia Line Welthemateur Highburg & Jelington						
Bank Holiday Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	No Victoria Line Walthamstow – Highbury & Islington						
Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	No North London Line rail service Camden Road – Gospel Oak –						
	Willesden Junction – Shepherd's Bush/Richmond						
Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Barking – South Tottenham blocked to trains until 12:00						
	Note also no North London Line rail service						
	Camden Road – Gospel Oak – Shepherd's Bush/Richmond all day.						
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Sundays 15 <sup>th</sup> & 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Camden Road – Gospel Oak – Willesden Junction all day.						
	No North London Line rail service Camden Road – Gospel Oak –						
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	Willesden Junction – Clapham Junction all day &						
	no service Camden Road – Stratford after 21:45.						
Sundays 6 <sup>th</sup> & 13 <sup>th</sup> July	No North London Line rail service						
Sundays 8. & 1.5. July	Camden Road – Gospel Oak – Willesden Junction						
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	No North London Line rail service Camden Road – Gospel Oak –						
	Willesden Junction and Kensington (Olympia) – Clapham Junction.						
Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> July	No <mark>Victoria Line</mark> Walthamstow – Seven Sisters Sat/Sun						
&	Also Sunday only no North London Line rail service						
Sunday 27th July	Camden Road – Gospel Oak – Willesden Junction all day &						
	Willesden Junction – Shepherd's Bush.						
	Barking – Gospel Oak blocked to trains						
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> August	Note also no North London Line rail service						
	Camden Road – Gospel Oak – Willesden Junction						
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> August	Barking – South Tottenham blocked to trains						
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Sunday 17th August	Note also no North London Line rail service						
	Gospel Oak – Stratford after 21:30						

Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup> August	Barking – South Tottenham blocked to trains after 20:00				
Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup> August & Bank Holiday Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> August	Barking – South Tottenham blocked to trains				
Sunday 31st August	Barking – South Tottenham blocked to trains				
Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> September	Barking – South Tottenham blocked to trains				
	Note also no North London Line rail service Camden Road – Gospel Oak – Willesden Junction - Shepherd's Bush/Richmond				
Sundays 14 <sup>th</sup> & 21 <sup>st</sup> September	No North London Line service				
	Camden Road – Gospel Oak – Willesden Junction				
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> September	Barking – Gospel Oak blocked to trains				
	Note also No North London Line rail service Camden Road – Gospel Oak – Willesden Junction.				
Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> October	No North London Line rail service Willesden Junction – Richmond				
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> October	Barking – Gospel Oak blocked to trains Also No North London Line rail service Camden Road – Gospel Oak – Willesden Junction – Shepherd's Bush/Richmond				



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BARKING -> SOUTH TOTTENHAM RAIL REPLACEMENT BUS SERVICE

# Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April until 12:00 BARKING → GOSPEL OAK

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- § Outside Walthamstow Central Rail & Bus stations  $\Rightarrow \ominus \ominus \Box$
- † Nearest stop to Walthamstow Queen's Road station <a>[C]</a>

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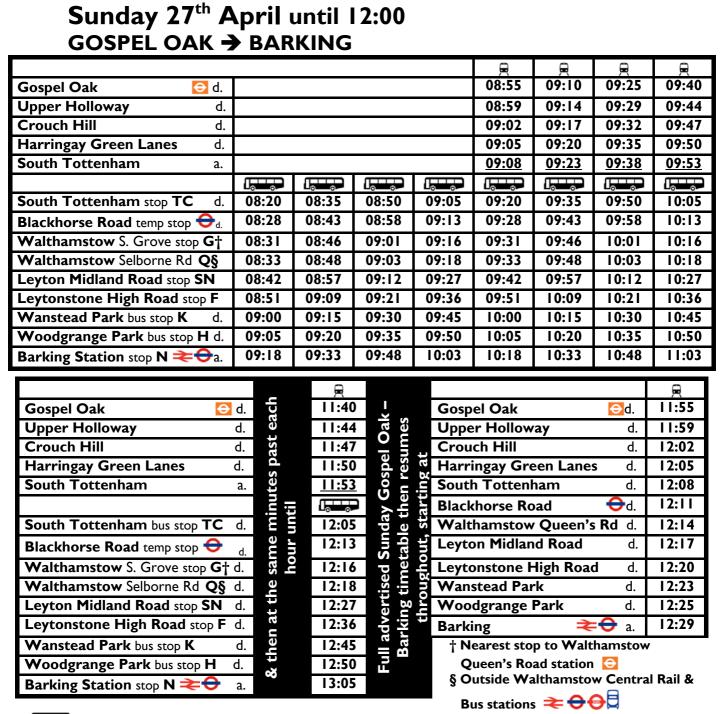
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