

UPDATED NAVIGATION ADVISORY NOTICE



RIVER STOUR

DATE: 10 September 2018 – Until Further Notice

LOCATION:
River Stour Trust Visitor Centre Great Cornard

DETAILS:

Please note that unfortunately the River Stour Trust Visitor Centre at Great Cornard near Sudbury suffered a serious building fire on the morning of Saturday 8th September. As a result the Visitor Centre Building only is cordoned off on the site and is closed until further notice including the toilet facilities. People are strongly advised to keep off and stay away from the building until the fire damage is repaired and the Visitor Centre re-opened.

In contrast the lock and canoe portage's on the site remain unaffected and open. The official canoe portage route is the one closest to the weir and Sluice on the upstream limit of the site and it is recommended that these portages and this portage route is the safest to use at present. The other River Stour Trust portages are much closer to the fire damaged building so these are not recommended for use at present. This advice is in the interest of river user safety so we thank you for your co-operation and understanding in this matter.

For further information please call the Environment Agency on 03708 506506 between 9am and 5pm Monday to Friday and ask for the Great Ouse Waterways team. In an emergency please contact our incident hotline number on 0800 80 70 60

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