

'Don't kill your mates' campaign

THE shocking consequences of speeding are brought home to young drivers in TfL's latest road safety campaign.

The short clip 'Kill Your Speed Not Your Mates' is being featured at cinemas across London and depicts a young man facing the tragic outcome of showing off in the driving seat.

The message to young drivers is that they should take more care of the

people they care about; their friends. The BBC3 series 'Barely Legal Drivers' shows that while young drivers enjoy having their friends as passengers, they sometimes show off behind the wheel and take unnecessary risks.

One of TfL's top priorities is to reduce by 40 per cent the number of people killed or seriously injured on London's roads by 2020.



Fantastic festivals!

IT'S festival fun in East London over the next few weeks with music, food and dancing events being held, as well as the Lord Mayor's Show.

All venues are close to Docklands Light Railway (DLR) stations so it's an ideal way of getting to the festivities.

Visit the Dance Umbrella (October 14 to 31), London's international dance festival which is celebrating

21st century choreography at various venues across the capital. Watch performances at Stratford Circus, Southbank Centre, the Barbican and Shaw Theatre. Nearest DLR stations: several, including Tower Gateway.

The Lord Mayor's Show takes to the streets on November 8 with floats, dancers, singers and performers filling the three-and-a-half mile stretch of road from Bank to Aldwych. Join the crowds between 11am and 2.30pm. Nearest DLR station: Bank.

There's great fun for all the family at Brick 104 from November 27 to 30. This is the largest ever LEGO themed event to be held in the UK and celebrates the building brick

toy that's been loved for generations. Watch as some spectacular specimens are constructed at the ExCeL exhibition centre. Nearest DLR station: Custom House.

Plus, the London Restaurant Festival is being held at various eateries across London until October 27 and the EFG London Jazz Festival is showcasing an eclectic mix of music from November 14 to 23.

For participating food venues, visit www.londonrestaurantfestival.com.

For music venues, go to www.efglondonjazzfestival.org.uk.

■ For more information and an interactive map, go to tfl.gov.uk/dlr

Traffic information for the capital

Battersea Park Road, SW8 Until November 10, 9am

Gas works at the junction of Havelock Terrace will close Prince of Wales Drive from the junction with Battersea Park Road. Four-way temporary lights will operate.

Brentfield Road, NW10 October 23, 8.30am to 10.30pm

Brentfield Road will be closed for Diwali celebrations and large numbers of pedestrians are expected to cross the A406 North Circular Road at this point. Motorists are advised to drive with caution.

Haringey October 24, 10pm to November 3, 5am

Lane restrictions, banned turns and diversions will be in place around The Hale, Broad Lane and

Ferry Lane for water works as part of the Tottenham Hale gyratory upgrade scheme.

Marylebone Road, NW1/W1U October 25, 8am to October 27, 6am

Lane closures will be in place for Thames Water works and there will be no right turn eastbound from the Marylebone Road into Baker Street.

New Kent Road, SE1/SE17 October 25, 11pm to October 27, 4am

Road closed between the Elephant and Castle and Bricklayers Arms roundabouts for footbridge demolition works. Traffic will be diverted via Great Dover Street, Borough High Street and Newington Causeway.

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