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# *Information Bulletin*

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## **Rideau Canal announces the complete re-opening of the navigation channel, from Ottawa to Kingston**

August 1, 2017

Smiths Falls, ON

Parks Canada

Parks Canada announces the complete re-opening of the Rideau Canal, from Ottawa to Kingston.

We wish to remind visitors to exercise caution around high flowing water, especially as flows on some parts of the system are well above seasonal norms. All boaters are also reminded to watch their wake as these can be dangerous and damaging to property along the canal, and reduce their speed accordingly.

Parks Canada thanks the public for their patience and cooperation at this time while our team continues its hard work to manage water on the system as levels stabilize after an unprecedented amount of precipitation.

For more information about the Rideau Canal, visit [www.parkscanada.gc.ca/rideau](http://www.parkscanada.gc.ca/rideau), or follow us on Facebook and Twitter @RideauCanalNHS.

For the most current boater specific information, please follow us on twitter:

**Rideau Canal:** @RideauBoatInfo, @RideauInfoNav

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<b>LOCK STATION</b>	<b>Status as of August 1, 2017</b>
Ottawa Locks	<b>OPEN</b>
Hartwells Locks	<b>OPEN</b>
Hogs Back Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Black Rapids Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Long Island Locks	<b>OPEN</b>
Burritts Rapids Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Lower Nicholsons Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Upper Nicholsons Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Clowes Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Merrickville Locks	<b>OPEN</b>
Kilmarnock Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Edmunds Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Old Slys Locks	<b>OPEN</b>
Smiths Falls Combined Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Smiths Falls Detached Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Poonamalie Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Lower Beveridges Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Upper Beveridges Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Narrows Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Newboro Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Chaffeys Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Davis Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Jones Falls Locks	<b>OPEN</b>
Brass Point Bridge	<b>OPEN</b>
Upper Brewers Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Lower Brewers Lock	<b>OPEN</b>
Kingston Mills Lock	<b>OPEN</b>