

The Inspector of Navigation is happy to register craft, answer questions and provide information on the bye-laws.

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Waterways Ireland is responsible for the management, maintenance, restoration and development of the inland navigations principally for recreational purposes.

The waterways under the remit of the Body are the Barrow Navigation, the Erne System, the Grand Canal, the Lower Bann Navigation, the Royal Canal, the Shannon-Erne Waterway and the Shannon Navigation.



Shannon Navigation Opening Times of Locks and Bridges

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LOCKS AND BRIDGES

Period	Weekdays	Sundays
Mar 14 – April 3	09.00 – 18.30	10.30 – 16.00
Apr 4 – Sep 25	09.00 – 20.30	09.00 – 18.00
Sep 26 – Nov 1	09.00 – 19.30	10.00 – 16.00
Nov 2 – Mar 13	09.00 – 12.30	10.00 – 12.30

LUNCH BREAK 13.00 – 14.00

PORTUMNA BRIDGE

Period	Weekdays	Sundays
Mar 14 – Apr 3	09.45 11.00 12.30 14.30 16.30 17.30	11.00 12.30 14.30 16.00
Apr 4 – Sep 25	09.45 11.00 12.30 15.00 17.30 19.30	11.00 12.30 15.00 17.30
Sep 26 – Nov 1	09.45 11.00 12.30 15.00 17.00 18.30	11.00 12.30 14.30 16.00
Nov 2 – Mar 13	09.45 11.00 12.00	11.00 12.00

LIST OF COLLECTORS AT LOCKS AND BRIDGES

The Shannon Navigation Bye-laws, 1992 state that passage of a vessel or boat through a lock or a lifting bridge on the Shannon Navigation is subject to a charge of €1.50 levied by the Commissioners.

Battlebridge, Drumleague & Drumshanbo Locks (Lough Allen Canal)

Paddy Joe Carty Tel no +353 (0) 71 964 1552

Clarendon Lock, Knockvicar

Padraig Lynch Tel no +353 (0) 71 966 7011

Albert Lock, Jamestown Canal

Michael Bourke Tel no +353 (0) 71 963 7715

Rooskey Lock

Tony Hudson Tel no +353 (0) 71 963 8018

Tarmonbarry, Clondra & Richmond, Harbour Locks

Liam Cox Tel no +353 (0) 43 332 6117
Mob no +353 (0) 87 922 2020

Athlone Lock

Tim Connolly Tel no +353 (0) 90 649 2026

Pollboy Lock, Ballinasloe

David Coyne Tel no +353 (0) 90 964 4938

Victoria Lock, Meelick

Stephen Mc Garry Tel no +353 (0) 57 915 1359

Portumna Bridge

Christopher Houlihan Tel no +353 (0) 90 974 1011

Sarsfield Lock, Limerick

Lock Keeper Mob no +353 (0) 87 797 2998

