

CALVER PARISH COUNCIL –SNOW PLAN

Following a snowfall, the following actions are taken on behalf of Calver Parish Council by the Snow Warden, Mr Matt Boyes:-

1. The Snow Warden makes contact with the Chairman or in their absence, the Vice Chairman or another Member of the Council for approval to coordinate action in conjunction with Mr James Thorp the Derbyshire County Council approved contractor to be called out with his snow plough to clear the roads in the Village.
2. In conjunction with Mr Thorp, coordinate clearance of the exits/entry routes into the Village via use of a shovel which includes
High Street B6001
Bottom of Village onto A623
Sough Lane
Cross Lane
Then apply salting to these locations with snow wardens own grit supply.
3. Coordinate with Mr Thorp and his snow plough and Stuart Wilson with his grit spreader going around the Village covering Derbyshire County Council's tertiary route by clearing roads and spreading grit with supplies provided by the Snow Warden.
4. Secondary action then involve clearing paths around the Senior Citizens Homes on Smithy Knoll Road and spreading grit.
5. The following day, conduct a Village walkabout to check other locations or any isolated or problem areas and take appropriate remedial action.
6. Report activities undertaken and conditions on the ground to Derbyshire County Council to enable appropriate communications and publicity of local conditions on their website.
7. Keep the weather conditions under review/check forecasts and take further remedial actions as they become necessary.

The Snow Warden is assisted as necessary by the Deputy Snow Warden Mr Ron Canty who is designated as the sole volunteer. No other volunteers are formally called upon by the Council. A risk assessment has been prepared which documents potential hazards and remedial actions that are taken to mitigate against these risks.

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Clerk to the Council