

Covid-19 Community Support Message From Marcus Chaloner

The impact of the Coronavirus (COVID19) will be felt by us all at different times and in different ways. In our small rural community we are lucky to enjoy the kindness of our friends and neighbours, and at the moment that is more valuable and important than ever.

During the restrictions being imposed through the Coronavirus please check in with neighbours, make sure no one is isolated, and help if you can safely. We need to respect the guidance on distancing and isolation where appropriate, but do keep in touch with neighbours and ask for help if you need it.

Although the Parish Council is not set up to be care providers we will do what we can, and we can also try and coordinate help. If you need help you can contact the Parish Council via our email shocklachparishclerk@outlook.com . Also if you are willing to help let us know and we can help link you up with those who need help.

If you are worried about Coronavirus (COVID-19), there are simple effective things we can all do to reduce our risk of catching coronavirus or transmitting the virus to other people. Click on the NHS image below to get the latest guidance and advice directly from the NHS.



For anyone who wants to volunteer to help others in the wider community you may like to look at Covid Mutual Aid UK <https://covidmutualaid.org/> is a group of volunteers supporting local community groups organising mutual aid throughout the Covid-19 outbreak in the UK. We focus on providing resources and connecting people to their nearest local groups, willing volunteers and those in need.

Alternatively, Snow Angels, is a local social enterprise which supports older people to continue to live independently and keep well. They operate schemes across Cheshire and work with a range of local organisations. <http://www.snowangels.org.uk/>

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