



Incident Information from WSCC Resilience and Emergencies Team - Flood Warning



Flooding is expected for Mock Bridge to Betley Bridge, near Shermanbury on the River Adur. Immediate action required.

The River Adur is high and rising. In the last 12 hours, more than half a month's rain (46mm) has been recorded at Cowfold, which is a lot in a short period of time. From 15:30 on Thursday (03/11/2022), flooding will affect the A281 at Mock Bridge, near Shermanbury. As well as extensive water in fields, flooding will also affect properties near Mock Bridge and their gardens. Rain is now clearing to the east, leaving a largely dry afternoon. The river should begin to fall by 21:00 on 03/11/2022 but will be higher than normal until Friday (04/11/2022). Flood impacts should begin to slowly ease when river levels start to fall. There is a chance further rain on Thursday evening could cause river levels to rise again. Some roads, including the A281 at Mock Bridge, may become impassable. Please plan to avoid driving through routes vulnerable to flooding. The Environment Agency continues to monitor the levels and forecast.

View the full warning at the [Flood Warning](#) site.

Flooding can cause disruption to travel, damage to property, and present some health hazards.

You can keep yourself and your family safe by doing some simple actions:

- Keep up to date with the latest information including by listening to local radio
- Move important items to a higher level if possible
- Prepare an emergency grab bag containing bottled water, warm clothes, medicines and other essential items.

For more information go to:

- Gov.uk [What to do in a flood](#)
- WSCC [Dealing with extreme weather](#)
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