

USE OF CRYALLS LANE BY HEAVY VEHICLES

Several residents have contacted the Parish Council regarding their concerns of the use of Cryalls Lane by heavy vehicles going to and from the Wises Lane development site. This use was as a result of the closure of the northern part of Wises Lane for highway and drainage works. However, the diversion route agreed by KCC Highways Streetworks was the A2, Borden Lane, The Street and the southern part of Wises Lane. Nevertheless, some lorry drivers decided to use the shorter route via Cryalls Lane which did not form part of the agreed diversion route and is not suitable for this type of constant heavy vehicle use, and which may also disturb local wildlife.

The following actions have been agreed by BDW to try to stop lorry drivers using Adelaide Drive and Cryalls as a through route to Wises Lane.

“No construction traffic to use this road” signs will be placed at the junction of Adelaide Drive with the A2 and also at Brisbane Ave and Sydney Ave junctions with Adelaide Drive. This hopefully will mean drivers use the diversion alternative which is Borden Lane, from the A2, then The Street and the southern part of Wises Lane. The Parish have suggested that they also put the same sign at the junction of Chestnut Street and School Lane to stop lorries using this route, which BDW have agreed to put in place as soon as possible.

We are hoping that the signs will stop the lorries using the shortest route through unsuitable roads and countryside.

Attention has also been drawn by the Parish to the damage of the triangle outside the Maypole Inn caused by large lorries, and BDW have made some interim repairs to the damage.

As always if residents of the parish have a query or complaint about what is happening at the Wises Lane development, they can, in the first instance email BDW at wiseslanedevelopment@dhaplanning.co.uk.

If you are not satisfied with their response, then please contact the Wises Lane Monitoring Group through the Clerk at clerk@bordenparishcouncil.gov.uk where we will endeavour to make sure your query is addressed.