Mauna Loa Solar Observatory Observer's Log

Mon Dec 19 17:21:44 GMT 2016

Year: 16 Doy: 354 Observer: rose

WEATHER COMMENT: rose: Mon Dec 19 17:22:22 GMT 2016

Temp: 39.5f, Humidity: 70%, Pressure: 28.941in, Wind: 12mph from 161degs, Skies: 100% altocumulus

end

WEATHER COMMENT: rose: Mon Dec 19 17:27:03 GMT 2016

It snowed yesterday and last night it looks like the snow line is at 12,000ft. The top of this mountain and Mauna Kea are covered in snow above 12,000ft. I notice increased traffic already this early with snow seekers coming up here because M auna Kea road is closed. I hope that hundreds of people don't come again and clog our one lane road that cannot support the traffic.

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GENERAL COMMENT BY rose: Mon Dec 19 19:52:07 GMT 2016

Headed down before all of the people come and make the observatory road very dangerous. We need a gate at the bottom for winter days like today.

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