



Fireworks Safety

- Use only legal fireworks sold from a licensed retail stand.
- Have a hose or bucket of water handy for emergencies and to douse misfired or exhausted fireworks.
- Always have an adult present when using fireworks.
- Read and follow label directions carefully.
- Use fireworks only outdoors - away from buildings, vehicles, dry grass and other flammable objects.
- Light one at a time and move away quickly.
- Keep fireworks, lighters and matches away from small children.
- Never point or throw fireworks at people, pets, cars or buildings.
- Do not alter any fireworks or attempt to make your own.

Fire Safety Starts With YOU!

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Outdoor Fire Safety



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Camping Safety

- Only use candles, matches or open flames outside and away from the tent.
- Avoid cooking inside a tent, it is dangerous.
- Build campfires downwind and well away from the tent.
- Be sure to fully extinguish campfires before leaving the campsite or before retiring for the night.
- Use extreme caution when operating fuel powered lanterns and heaters inside the tent. Use battery operated equipment instead.
- Always refuel lamps, heaters or stoves outside and away from the tent.
- Extinguish and turn off all fuel lanterns before going to sleep.
- Store flammable liquids outside and well away from the tent.

Outdoor Cooking

- Use an electric starter, cake fire starter or charcoal starter and match to start charcoal fires. Never use gasoline or add more charcoal starter to an existing fire.
- Always light the match before you turn the gas on to ignite a propane gas grill.
- Rekindle a slow fire by tucking dry kindling under the coals and adding more charcoal.
- Supervise children at all times when fires are burning or grills are in use.



Fuel Storage

- Store gasoline and other flammable liquids in approved safety cans, away from open flames (like water heater and furnace pilot lights) and out of reach of children.
- Refuel your lawn mower only when the engine is off and cool. Use a funnel to prevent spillage.
- Never smoke while you are handling fuels.

