



Bonfires and Fireworks



Bonfires

We actively encourage the public to attend an organised display

- ✓ Keep everyone at a safe distance from the fire
- ✓ Bonfires should be on open ground at least 15 metres away from houses, fences, sheds, trees or overhead cables etc. Always keep bonfires small
- ✓ Always check bonfires for nesting animals and other wildlife before lighting
- ✗ Whoever is supervising the fire should not drink alcohol
- ✓ Never leave bonfires unattended
- ✓ Water should be readily available to control the fire. If the fire becomes out of control call **999** immediately and ask for the fire service
- ✗ Never use accelerants on a bonfire, i.e. petrol, paraffin or aerosols

Fireworks

We actively encourage the public to attend an organised display

- ✓ Keep everyone at a safe distance during celebrations
- ✗ Never leave fireworks unattended. Never go back to a firework once it has been lit
- ✓ If using sparklers, always wear gloves
- ✓ Keep pets inside during bonfire and firework celebrations



If your clothes catch fire

STOP, DROP AND ROLL

