Fire Prevention Happens

ALL YEAR LONG

Here are some seasonal topics that you can use to keep fire prevention top of mind all year round. Resources for all these topics can be found at nfpa.org/public-education.

ALL SUMMER

The leading causes of grill fires are failing to clean and having the grill too close to something that could catch fire. Share our gas grill video and grab the NFPA grill safety checklist to share with your community at nfpa.org/grilling.

JULY 1

Celebrate in style by hosting a party with glow sticks, noise makers, and cake!

AUGUST

Ask your local schools to include the Cooking Family Checklist in their email communications at the start of the school year. fireprevetionweek.org

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OCTOBER 4-10

Fire Prevention Week.™ Serve up fire safety in the kitchen!™ firepreventionweek.org

Thanksgiving.

OCTOBER

This is the leading day for home fires involving cooking equipment. Use our tips and tools to help keep people safe at nfpa.org/thanksgiving.

OCTOBER 31

Halloween. Keep decorations away from open flames. Use batteryoperated candles or glowsticks in jack-o-lanterns. Keep Halloween remain fun and fire-safe. Visit nfpa.org/halloween.

DECEMBER 1-JANUARY 1

The holidays. As people deck the halls this holiday season, make sure they do so with fire safety in mind. Christmas tree fires can grow very quickly. A few simple tips and guidelines can go a long way toward a festive, fire-safe season. Find out more at nfpa.org/holiday.

FEBRUARY

Heating the home. Heating is the second leading cause of US home fires, deaths, and injuries. Space heaters are the type of equipment most often involved in home heating equipment fires. Find resources for your community on heating safety at nfpa.org/heating.

MARCH

Alarm check. Often called the invisible killer, carbon monoxide (CO) is an odorless, colorless gas created when fuels burn incompletely. CO alarms provide an early warning of deadly CO gas—remind people to test their alarms monthly. Learn more at nfpa.org/co.

Wildfire Community Preparedness Day. Commit a couple of hours, or the entire day, to work together and watch as your actions positively contribute to reducing your community's wildfire risk. Find out more about Wildfire Community Preparedness Day at wildfireprepday.org.



How can we apply this year's theme to some of these seasonal topics? Share your ideas, suggestions, and success stories on social using #firepreventionweek.



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