



In the Community



This December the Frederick-Firestone Fire District will bring Santa on a fire truck through each neighborhood for its 17th Annual Santa Run. This year's event will be Dec. 17-19, 2021, and will begin at 6 p.m. each night. Route maps are available on the District's website. To view the route maps and see which evening the District will be coming through your neighborhood check the District's social media sites or visit the *Santa Run page*.

Here is the latest news from your Fire District.

Public Safety Planning Update - Fall 2021

A Public Safety

Planning Update from the Frederick-Firestone Fire District should have went out to each registered voter within our District this week. This update is to keep residents in the know about what is happening with the Fire District. Next week, a public opinion survey will also be coming in the mail. Please take the time to read through this





Thursday, Dec. 2, 2021, 6 p.m. Carbon Valley Regional Library 7 Park Ave., Firestone, CO 80504



Saturday, Dec. 4, 2021, 8 a.m.
The Back 9 at
Bella Rosa Golf Course
75830 Bella Rosa Pkwy.,
Frederick, CO 80504



Monday, Dec. 6, 2021, 6 p.m. FFFD Administration Building 8426 Kosmerl Place, Frederick, CO 80504

Questions? Contact Summer Campos at scampos@fffd.us or visit www.fffd.us.

information and give the District your honest feedback. Thank you and please reach out with any questions to Summer Campos at scampos@fffd.us or 720-484-3367.

MORE INFORMATION

Update: Prescribed Burns in Frederick

A remote weather station has been installed in the field northwest of Godding Hollow Pkwy. and Colorado Blvd. The weather station will provide hourly weather readings plus monitor the fuel moisture. This data

FIRE WEATHER MONITORING EQUIPMENT

PLEASE DO NOT DISTURB

Click the QR Code to learn more about RAWS Stations







will be beneficial in helping establish dates for the Town of Frederick prescribed and controlled burns.

MORE INFORMATION



As you deck the halls this holiday season, be fire smart. A small fire that spreads to a Christmas tree can grow large very quickly.



PICKING THE TREE
Choose a tree with fresh, green needles that do not fall off when touched.

- PLACING THE TREE Before placing the tree in the stand, cut 2" from the base of the trunk.
- . Make sure the tree is at least three feet away from any heat source, like fireplaces, radiators, candles, heat vents or lights.
- Make sure the tree is not blocking an exit.
- Add water to the tree stand. Be sure to add water

- LIGHTING THE TREE
 Use lights that are listed by a qualified testing laboratory. Some lights are only for indoor or outdoor use.
- Replace any string of lights with worn or broken cords or loose bulb connections. Read manufacturer's instructions for number of light strands to connect.
- Never use lit candles to decorate the tree.
- Always turn off Christmas tree lights before leaving home or going to bed.



holidays to prevent hazards and make them last longer. **FACTS**

After Christmas Get rid of the tree after Christmas or when it is dry.

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Dried-out trees are a fire
danger and should not be
left in the home or garage,
or placed outside against the
home.

Check with your local community to find a recycling program.
Bring outdoor electrical lights inside after the

- Almost one third of home Christmas tree fires are caused by electrical problems.
- Although Christmas tree fires are not common, when they do occur, they are more likely to be serious.
- A heat source too close to the tree causes more than one in every five of the fires.



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