



Fire Prevention Week Municipal Newsletter

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MUNICIPAL OFFICE

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Hours of Operation

Monday – Friday
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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www.redlake.ca

After Hour Trouble Calls

Please call 727-2597



FIRE PREVENTION WEEK ~ OCTOBER 7 – 13, 2012

SOUND THE ALARM – FAMILY FIRE ESCAPE PLAN PRACTICE

All Stations – 6:00 to 7:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 10, 2012

Red Lake Fire Rescue Service Fire Stations Open Houses

St. 1	Balmertown	5:00 to 7:00 p.m.	Tuesday, October 9
St. 2	Cochenuour	6:00 to 8:00 p.m.	Tuesday, October 30 (Gate Night)
St. 3	McKenzie	6:00 to 8:00 p.m.	Tuesday, October 9
St. 4	Red Lake	5:30 to 7:30 p.m.	Tuesday, October 9
St. 5	Madsen	6:00 to 8:00 p.m.	Tuesday, October 9



Test your smoke alarms once a month and change the batteries at least once a year.

Smoke alarms don't last forever. After 10 years, all smoke alarms need to be replaced with new ones.

PROCLAMATION

As Mayor of the
Municipality of Red Lake

I hereby proclaim the
week of

October 7th – 13th, 2012

as

"Fire Prevention Week"
in the
Municipality of Red Lake.

Phil Vinet
Mayor

FIRE PERMITS – REMINDER

This is a reminder that fire season continues until October 31st, 2012. By-Law No. 1295-10 states that fire permits are required for burning within the municipal boundaries during the fire season. The conditions of the By-Law shall be complied with and a Fire Permit shall be purchased. For more information contact the Municipal Office at 735-2096.

In case of fire – GET OUT AND STAY OUT. Never go back into a burning building.

- ❖ Crawl low near the floor to the nearest exit maintaining contact with the wall.
- ❖ Test the door by feeling it with the back of your hand. If it is hot, do not open. Use an alternative route.
- ❖ Feel a closed door before opening it. If it is hot, be ready to close it if smoke and heat rush in.
- ❖ If trapped, put as many closed doors as possible between you and the fire, and seal all cracks in doors and windows with towels or bedding.
- ❖ If your clothing catches fire, stop where you are, drop gently to the ground and cover your face with your hands while rolling back and forth to put out the flames.
- ❖ Cool minor burns with cold water.

DEVELOP AND PRACTICE A FIRE ESCAPE PLAN!



Family
discussion
Plan your escape



Practice Often



Maintain your
smoke alarms

IN CASE OF A REAL FIRE



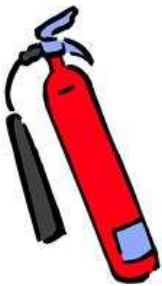
Call out to others



Get out of the
house



Call for help from a
neighbour's house.



Designate a meeting place outside
Your home in the event of fire

Never go back into a burning house!

