

BE HALLOWEEN Safe



Halloween is a fun, and spooky, time of year for kids. Make trick-or-treating safe for your little monsters with a few easy safety tips.

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HALLOWEEN FIRE SAFETY TIPS

- »» **When choosing a costume**, stay away from long trailing fabric. If your child is wearing a mask, make sure the eye holes are large enough so he or she can see out.
- »» **Provide children** with flashlights to carry for lighting or glow sticks as part of their costume.
- »» Dried flowers, cornstalks and crepe paper catch fire easily. **Keep all decorations** away from open flames and other heat sources like light bulbs and heaters.
- »» **Use a battery-operated** candle or glow-stick in jack-o-lanterns. If you use a real candle, use extreme caution. Make sure children are watched at all times when candles are lit. When lighting candles inside jack-o-lanterns, use long, fireplace-style matches or a utility lighter. Be sure to place lit pumpkins well away from anything that can burn and far enough out of the way of trick-or-treaters, doorsteps, walkways and yards.
- »» **Remember** to keep exits clear of decorations, so nothing blocks escape routes.
- »» **Make sure** all smoke alarms in the home are working.
- »» **Tell children** to stay away from open flames including jack-o-lanterns with candles in them. Be sure they know how to stop, drop and roll if their clothing catches fire. (Have them practice, stopping immediately, dropping to the ground, covering their face with hands, and rolling over and over to put the flames out.)

If your children are going to **Halloween parties** at others' homes, have them look for ways out of the home and plan how they would get out in an emergency.

Did you know?



Decorations are the first thing to ignite in **900** reported home fires each year. Two of every five of these fires were started by a candle.

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Take the survey at www.campbellriver.ca

Community Energy & Emissions Plan – revised October 2016

Are you interested in energy issues in our community? Do you want to learn about what the City is doing to reduce energy consumption and emissions? We want to hear from you! Check out the revised draft Community Energy and Emissions Plan (CEEP) and take the brief survey!

The CEEP can be found at www.campbellriver.ca under What's New. The survey can be found at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/NDQ9FTR>.

You can also fill out the survey in the ad and mail it to:

Marianne Wade,
Acting Manager of Community Planning & Development Services
301 St. Anns Road, Campbell River V9W 4C7.

The survey closes **October 28**.



1. What is your postal code? _____
2. Are you aware that the City is taking action to address climate change?
 Yes No
 Other (please specify) _____

3. Are you aware of the Community Energy and Emissions Plan (CEEP)?
 Read the plan at www.campbellriver.ca
 (under Your City Hall/Green City.)
 Yes No
 Other (please specify) _____

4. Is the CEEP easy to follow and understand?
 Yes No
 Suggestions for Improvements _____

5. Are you in support of community energy consumption and emissions reductions initiatives?
 Strongly Agree Agree Neutral
 Disagree Strongly disagree
 Other (please specify) _____

6. Do you have additional comments or suggestions on how to improve the plan, and its goals and actions?

Christmas Marketplace

Campbell River Community Centre

Saturday
November 5th
10am - 2pm



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