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The **MD of SMOKY RIVER No. 130** has ISSUED a **FIRE ADVISORY.**

The MD of Smoky River No. 130 has issued a burning advisory for the region. At this time NO new fire permits will be issued with the exception of Burning Barrels upon inspection of a fire guardian.

Anyone who has conducted open burning during the last calendar year is reminded to check their burn sites to ensure there are no hold over or ground fires and completely out.

Use extreme caution while using your fire pits, burn barrels and while conducting any open burning. In a split second a "under control" fire can take a turn for the worse. Before and during your fire, be aware of the current weather conditions and re-evaluate if the weather changes. Always extinguish your fire if the change in weather increases the hazard of your fire.

Please use extreme care during all activities in or around dry cured fuels or forest areas.
The MD of Smoky River No. 130 urges everyone using an ATV (all terrain vehicle) or OHV (off highway vehicle) to be mindful of debris collecting on the exhaust which could result in the ignition of a fire.

Thank You for being safe!

More information can be found at https://albertafirebans.ca/.

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