

# Safety Calendar 2024

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☀️ External event

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⚠️ Safety week






We have used a data-led approach to identify and prioritise safety campaigns that are most relevant to our Service area. We will also support safety campaigns led by our partner agencies although these are not listed here.


Find out more

To access campaign resources search 'safety campaigns' on the intranet or go to


Departments and Sections > Communications and Engagement > Safety campaign resources

Help us to promote our online Community Conversations events. Visit: [dsfire.gov.uk/conversations](https://dsfire.gov.uk/conversations)

January	February	March
<b>Treasured People</b> 1 Nov 2023 - 31 Jan 2024 Winter campaign aimed at reducing false alarms in the over 65's		
<b>Planning and evaluation</b>		
<b>Wet - flooding/driving into flood water</b>		
<b>Smoke alarm testing</b>	<b>Cooking</b>	<b>Smoke alarm purchasing</b>
<b>Register my appliance week</b> (Dwelling fires - electrical fires) Mon 	<b>Valentine's Day</b> (Dwelling fires - cooking/false alarms) Wed 14  <b>Pancake Day</b> (False alarms/candle safety) Tues 20  	<b>Swaling comms</b> <b>Global Recycling Day</b> (Secondary fires - lithium ion batteries) Sun 18  <b>Community Conversations Wildfires and outdoor safety</b> Fri 22 (12 - 1pm)  <b>Clocks go forward</b> Sun 31    

April	May	June
<b>Get summer safe</b> Dates: 1 April – 31 August Focus: Aim to prevent fires in the open, wildfires (human causes) and reduce common outdoor incidents. This will include: camping safety, disposable BBQs, bin fires and road safety. We will also focus on outdoor water safety.		
<b>Wet - flooding</b>	<b>Wild fires</b>	
<b>Smoking</b>	<b>Escape routes</b>	<b>Outdoor fire safety</b>
<b>South West Expo (Thur 18)</b>  <b>NFCC Be Water Aware</b> (Accidental drowning) Mon 24 - Sun 30  	<b>Media launch event for wildfire safety</b>  <b>Deaf awareness week</b> (Dwelling fires - alarms) Mon 6 - Sun 12  <b>Devon County Show</b> (Partnership working) Thur 16 - Sat 18	<b>Bath and West Show</b> (Rural safety) Thur 30 May - Sat 1 June  <b>Child safety week</b> (home safety) Mon 3 - Sun 9  <b>Project EDWARD</b> (Road safety) Fri 10 - Tues 14  <b>Carer's week</b> (Dwelling fires) Mon  <b>NFCC motorcycle safety week</b> Mon  <b>CC/Road safety</b> Wed 11 (12 - 1pm)  <b>Drowning prevention week</b> (Accidental drowning) Tues 18 - Tues 25  <b>Glastonbury Festival</b> (secondary fires/camping safety) Wed 26 - Sun 30

July	August	September
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<b>Hot - water safety</b>		<b>Cold - dwelling fires</b>
<b>Cooking</b>	<b>Smoke alarm purchasing</b>	<b>Home fire safety</b>
<b>Landlord events</b>		<b>Fire door safety</b>  <b>Community Conversations Winter safety campaign</b> Wed 11 (12 - 1pm)  <b>Chimney fire safety week</b> (Dwelling fires - chimneys) Mon  <b>Recycle week</b> (Dwelling fires/secondary fires - lithium ion battery fires) Wed 25 - Tues 1 Oct
<b>(Summer) school holiday period</b>		

October	November	December
<b>Are you winter ready?</b> Dates: 16 October - 31 January Focus: chimney sweeps, boiler servicing, heating homes safely. A seasonal focus on fireworks, bonfire safety, smoke alarms, and safe practices around Halloween.		
<b>Cold - dwelling fires</b>	<b>Ice/snow - road safety</b>	
<b>Smoke alarm testing</b>	<b>Electrical</b>	<b>Christmas</b>
<b>EV/lithium-ion campaign</b>		
<b>National burns awareness day</b> (Dwelling fires - emollients) Wed 16  <b>Clocks go back</b> (RTCs/be safe be seen) Sun 27  <b>Halloween</b> (Dwelling fires) Thurs 31  	<b>Bonfire night</b> (fire safety around sparklers, candles and costumes) Sun 5 <b>Community Conversations Lithium-ion batteries/EV</b> Fri 8 (12 - 1pm)  <b>Electrical fire safety week</b> (Dwelling fires - electrical) Mon  <b>National road safety week</b> (RTCs) Mon 18 - Sun 24	