



Fire Pits and Burn Barrels Sideburn 2024

Theme Camps and Open Campers may have a fire pit or burn barrel without FAST inspection for the purpose of burning clean dry wood provided the conditions below are met, and/or providing no other City-wide or provincial burn bans are in effect:

- The ground must be cleared and free of vegetation in a 3m (10 feet) radius around the barrel or fire pit.
- The fire must be supervised at all times by a competent adult human • All fires must be raised off the ground on a non-flammable platform, metal sheet on bricks, in a portable fire pit, or in a burn barrel on legs or bricks • A bucket of water must be available in the vicinity of all fires. Any unattended fires will be extinguished by FAST.
- Clean dry wood is the only material that may be burned. Painted or treated wood, brush, leaves, grass clippings, garbage and other materials may not be burned.

Fire Pits:

- The fire area is no larger than 1m (3 feet) in diameter
- The fire area is contained within a pit designed for said use, not on the ground or in the forest
- Fire pits must be at least 3m (10 feet) away from the treeline

Burn barrels:

- Barrels must be constructed of metal and be in good condition
- A heavy duty screen with mesh not greater than 0.5cm is placed on top of the barrel
- Draft holes at the bottom of the barrel are no larger than 2.5cm in diameter • Barrels must be at least 5m (16.5 feet) away from the treeline

Fire wood may be purchased locally prior to the event or by placing an order before March 25th at baerman2.0@gmail.com

FAST (Fire Art Safety Team) is here to make sure that everybody has a safe Burn. If you have any questions about fire policies or concerns both before and during the event, get in touch with fast@sideburn.ca