

TOP TEN TIPS

New Year

31 December 2021

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If you can, simply attend an organised display

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Light fireworks with a taper at arm's length and stand well back

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Keep naked flames away from fireworks

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Keep fireworks in a metal box

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Don't set off fireworks indoors

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Keep a full bucket of water at hand

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Only buy fireworks with the CE mark on the box

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Notify neighbours who may have pets or farm animals

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Do not consume alcohol while lighting a bonfire or setting off fireworks

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Only burn dry wood, never use paraffin or petrol on a bonfire and think about the direction of smoke travel

Know your timings - Fireworks must finish by 1am on 1 January

For more advice, speak to your local citizens advice team