Preparing for Wildfire Indoors

Wildfire Ready Tip: Create a Go-Bag

Some of you have been thinking about making your emergency Go-Bag for months, and now is the perfect time to do it. A Go-Bag is an evacuation bag that contains a three-day supply of items you would need to safely evacuate your home. These bags are prepared in advance, before an emergency, and are kept in an easily accessible place.

When creating your Go-Bag, first add your personal items:

- Fire Resistant Clothing: goggles, leather gloves, long sleeve shirt, pants (cotton or wool), boots & cotton hat
- Respirator (N95 Rated)
- Eye Drops
- First Aid Kit (compact)
- Sanitation Items: toilet paper, feminine hygiene, wipes/diapers, garbage bags
- Extra Eyeglasses or Contact Lenses
- Wool Blanket

Add Food, Water & Pet Supplies:

- Water Bottle
- Water: 1 gallon day per person or animal
- Non-Perishable or Canned Food for 2 days
- Pet Supplies: food leashes, medication
- Paper Cups, Plates & Utensils, Paper Towels & Can Opener
Important Equipment to add:

- Flashlight & Headlamp with Spare Batteries
- Cell Phone Charger
- Whistle to Signal for Help
- Pocket knife

Evacuation Route Map

- Map Marked with Two Evacuation Routes (if possible)

An additional evacuation resource:

Wildfire Evacuation Checklist

Thank you for reading this tip, and we hope you feel more prepared for wildfire!

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