Fire Pit / Recreational Fires Regulations


2. Must always be attended by adult.

3. Means to extinguish must be readily available. Acceptable forms are: extinguisher, garden hose, water barrel, sand or dirt.

4. Recreational fires not contained in a store bought UL listed portable fireplace must be at least 25 feet from any structure or combustible material. Fires may not be greater than 3 feet in diameter.

5. Portable UL listed fireplaces must be used according to the manufacturer’s instructions and may not be closer than 15 feet to any structure or combustible material.

6. Bonfires or fires greater than 3 feet in diameter are prohibited without Borough and Fire Department approval.

7. Burning of yard waste and trash is prohibited.

8. Use of an approved recreation fire is prohibited when conditions are unsafe for its use such as high winds, high fire hazard due to drought or dry weather.

9. Operators are to be mindful of smoke direction and shall operate the recreation fire in a manner that does not cause a nuisance to neighbors.