

Wilton Fire Department

Safety Bulletin

This bulletin is in regards to **Wildland Season**.

The Safety of our personnel (you) while performing their duties while on grass fires is of the utmost importance. Our ability to stay safe while fighting grass fires comes largely in part from knowing and following our 10 Standard Fire Orders and the 18 Situations that Shout Watch Out. Please review and know these. Hydration is another big factor. Staying hydrated is very important when out in 100 degree weather fighting grass fires. Staying hydrated helps keep you from getting overheated or from possibly getting heat stroke. Please remember to stay hydrated by drinking water during the day and by drinking water at night before going to bed. Also remember to keep an eye on each other while we are out during these incidents. If you see someone exhibiting the signs and symptoms of heat exhaustion or heat stroke alert command right away as this is serious emergency.

Thank You!!

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Remember, We are all Safety Officers!
Be Safe!