



FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

Scavenger Hunt

Collect 100 points to win a prize! Bring your card to the Kickoff on October 6 or the Grand Finale on October 12. Can't make it? Email Captain Gilbert Monroe: gmonroe@albemarle.org

10 POINTS EACH Visit www.albemarle.org/safeathome to learn about safety.

TRIVIA



How many times a month should you **test your smoke alarms**?



What is the **phone number** that you would call for emergency help?



How many times a year should you **change the batteries** in your smoke alarms?



Where should your smoke alarms be **installed**?



True/False: You have less than **2 minutes** to escape your home once the smoke alarm sounds.



How often should you **replace your smoke alarms**?

20 POINTS EACH Check the items you complete.

MISSIONS



Take a picture with a firefighter.



Post your picture to a social media site and tag @AlbemarleFire.



Try the Physical Ability Test (PAT) at a Community Event.

OUTSIDE THE HOME



Check all the smoke alarms in your home.



Draw a home escape plan.



Watch the "home fire escape planning video" at Albemarle County - Safe-at-Home



Practice a home fire drill with everyone in your home.



IN THE HOME

30 POINTS EACH Check the events that you attend. Visit www.albemarle.org/calendar for more details.

VISIT



10/6 Kickoff: 5th Street Station, 11 am-3 pm



10/7 Storefront: Chipotle (Pantops), 11:30 am-1 pm



10/7 Open House: Hollymead (St. 12), 6:30-8 pm



10/7 Open House: Earlysville (St. 4), 6:30-8 pm



10/8 Storefront: Crozet IGA, 11:30 am-1 pm



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10/8 Open House: North Garden (St. 3), 6:30-8 pm



10/9 Storefront: Market at Scottsville, 11:30 am-1 pm



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10/10 Open House: Stony Point (St. 6), 7-9 am



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10/10 Storefront: Earlysville Farmers Market, 3-4:30 pm



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10/11 Open House: East Rivanna (St. 2), 7-9 am



10/11 Storefront: Walmart, 11:30-1 pm



10/11 Open House: Seminole Trail (St. 8), 6:30-8 pm



10/11 Open House: CARS, 6:30-8 pm



10/12 Finale: Hollymead Town Center, 11 am-3 pm

TOTAL POINTS

Win prizes donated by: Kohr Bros., The Donut Kitchen, Putt-Putt Golf Course, Bowlero, Alamo Drafthouse Cinema, Crumbl Cookies, Get Air Trampoline Park, and Domino's Pizza (while supplies last)



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OCTOBER 6-12, 2024

Save the Date and Invite a Friend! Join Us at an Event Near You!

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**events will have a variety of interactive and fun activities*

SCAVENGER HUNT

Join us for a scavenger hunt during Fire Prevention Week.

The object of the game (on the back) is to complete all the missions before you. Along the way, you will learn all about fire prevention and safety throughout your home and about Albemarle County Fire Rescue.

Smoke Alarms

Fire is fast! Did you know you could have less than 2 minutes to get out safely once the smoke alarm sounds?

By following a few safety tips you can make sure your smoke alarms are working for you.

SMOKE ALARMS: MAKE THEM WORK FOR YOU WITH THESE TIPS

- Smoke alarms should be **installed** on every level of the home (including the basement), outside each sleeping area, and inside each bedroom.
- For the best protection, **interconnect** all the smoke alarms so when one sounds, they all sound.
- Age matters when it comes to smoke alarms. All smoke alarms need to be **replaced** when they are **10 years old** or if they don't respond when tested.
- **Test** smoke alarms at least **once a month**. Taking a few seconds to test them could save a life.
- A smoke alarm should be on the **ceiling** or **high on a wall**.
- Make sure smoke alarms **meet the needs** of all family members, including those with sensory or physical disabilities.

IF YOU HAVE ANY DOUBT ABOUT FIGHTING A FIRE...

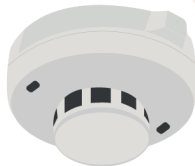
- Just get out! When you leave, **close the door** behind you to help contain the fire.
- Call **9-1-1** from outside the home.

REQUEST A FREE SMOKE ALARM FROM ACFR!



FACTS

Working smoke alarms cut the risk of dying in a home fire in half.



Roughly 60% of home fire deaths happen in homes with no smoke alarms or no working smoke alarms.

