



**Bonfire & Firework  
Safety**



**Firstly, and most importantly...**

**To **stop** young  
people like  
ourselves  
from being  
hurt or  
seriously  
injured...**

**50%**  
...of people injured by  
fireworks are children  
aged 14 years and  
younger

# **Impact** on Fire Crews



**House Fires**  
**Delays** in helping people?  
**Car Accidents**

**WHY DO  
FIREFIGHTERS  
PUT  
BONFIRES  
OUT...**



**Danger To Young  
Children**

**Danger To Property**

**No Responsible Adult  
Supervision**

**Sparkler**



**Oven**



**Cooking  
oil**



**boiling  
water**



**100 C**

**150 C**

**200 C**

**2,000 C**

**FACT  
FILE**



Wear **gloves**...

...Keep away  
from **face**...

Sparkler Safety

...Only hold **1**  
**sparkler** at a  
time...

...and **loose**  
**clothing**...

...When **finished**  
put into bucket  
of cold water or  
sand.

**Firework**



**Police Car**



**Fire Engine**



**Usain Bolt**



**FACT  
FILE**

**38 mph**

**70 mph**

**125 mph**

**150 mph**



Ideally attend  
**organised**  
displays...

Stand **well**  
**back...**

Firework Code

Only **adults**  
should handle  
fireworks...

Fireworks will  
**scare** your  
pets...

**Never go back**  
to a firework  
that has been lit  
it could go off



**Fire crews in County Durham and Darlington**  
Would like each member of the community to have a fun, safe, enjoyable fireworks' night!

For further information  
visit  
[WWW.DDFIRE.GOV.UK](http://WWW.DDFIRE.GOV.UK)

