



# REGIONAL DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

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## Fire Prevention Week 2020

This year's FPW campaign, "Serve Up Fire Safety in the Kitchen!" works to educate everyone about the simple but important actions they can take to keep themselves, and those around them, safe in the kitchen.

### Did you know?

Cooking is the #1 cause of home fires and home fire injuries. Unattended cooking is the leading cause of fires in the kitchen.

### Enter the Contest!

The Office of the Fire Commissioner is holding a Fire Prevention Week poster and video contest.

Visit [prrd.bc.ca/services/emergency-services](http://prrd.bc.ca/services/emergency-services) to download the contest information sheet and entry form! The contest deadline is October 23, 2020!

For more fire prevention tips and activities, visit [fpw.org](http://fpw.org)!

Next PRRD Board Meetings: **October 8, 2020** 10:00am | Dawson Creek **October 22, 2020** 10:00am | Dawson Creek

To view board schedules and minutes visit:  
[prrd.bc.ca](http://prrd.bc.ca)

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## Get Ready for Fall Cleanup!

The Peace River Regional District Fall Clean Up Program will be happening this year from October 5 to October 18. Tipping fees will be waived for sorted, self-hauled waste that comes from your property.

Please remember to practice social distancing while at the landfills and transfer stations. Thank you for working with us during this time.

### Do I need to sort my loads?

Yes! All waste must be sorted (wood, metal, tires, etc.) or fees will be applied.

### What materials are accepted at which sites?

Landfills, Tier 1, and Tier 2 Transfer Stations accept different types of materials. Check online at [prrd.bc.ca/landfill-transfer-station](http://prrd.bc.ca/landfill-transfer-station) to find more information on locations, hours of operation, and accepted materials!



## Waste Reduction Week 2020

Waste Reduction Week is taking place from October 19 - 25 this year. Waste Reduction Week in Canada provides information and ideas to reduce waste in all areas of our daily lives. Each day has a different theme to better explain different ways to reduce waste!

**Monday** - Circular Economy and Kick-Off!

**Tuesday** - Clothing and Textiles

**Wednesday** - Electronic Waste

**Thursday** - Plastic Waste

**Friday** - Food Waste

**Saturday** - Sharing Economy

**Sunday** - Swap & Repair



Watch the Peace River Regional District Facebook page during Waste Reduction Week for helpful daily tips to help you reduce waste in your daily life.

## Regional Parks Open

Are you looking for a place to enjoy the beautiful fall colours? Look no further than any of the PRRD parks! Blackfoot Regional Park, Montney Centennial Regional Park, Spencer Tuck Regional Park, and Sundance Lake Regional Parks all remain open to the public until the first snowfall.

Stay tuned to the PRRD Facebook page for updates regarding park closures, but in the meantime, get out there and enjoy!



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