



## COMMUNICATION BULLETIN

Consistent community updates regarding the status of the Tremont Cr. Wildfire will be as follows:

- Daily updates Monday - Friday by 1:30 pm on the Village Facebook Page, Website and poster at Post Office.
- After hours or weekend updates will only be posted when emergent information is received and must be communicated immediately to the public.
- Voyent Alerts will be sent for critical information only, not for daily fire status updates.

### **August 5, 2021 – UPDATE TREMONT CREEK (K218490)**

- The Mesa Subdivision Evacuation Alert has been rescinded to an all clear as of today
- YD Ranch, Barnes Lake area remain on Evacuation Alert;
- The current threat to Ashcroft remains minimal;
- Current estimated size is 30,000 hectares;
- Resources actioning the fire include: 71 firefighters, 7 helicopters and 32 pieces of heavy equipment;
- The fire is currently 15 kilometres North-North-west of Logan Lake and is moving in an easterly to north-easterly direction at a slow to moderate pace;
- Machine guards are currently being progressed through the Tunkwa provincial park in an attempt to gain some containment and ensure the fire remains on the western side of the lake;
- Planned ignitions may occur if conditions arise along the eastern front in the Tunkwa Provincial Park;
- The northern flank of the fire from Barnes Lake to Walhachin has very minimal to no observed fire activity. Along the west in the Barnes Lake area, mop up and patrol is occurring;
- Glossy Mountain, crews conducted planned hand and aerial ignitions to bring the fire down the existing guard. This planned ignition was successful and small areas may continue today if conditions allow. This reduces the chance of spotting over guards;
- With moderate fire behaviour today and clearer visibility, there may be increased smoke visible from Logan Lake and the Tunkwa Lake FSR;
- Follow this link to the BC Wildfires Daily Update:  
<http://bcfireinfo.for.gov.bc.ca/hprScripts/WildfireNews/OneFire.asp?ID=843>
- Village approach remains the same, to plan, be prepared, stay informed and share information to our residents;
- An updated wildfire perimeter map of the Tremont Creek has been provided by BCWS and will be on display at the post office and updated as often as possible by BCWS.

**NEXT UPDATE – Friday, August 6, 2021**

**For more information:**

**BC Wildfire Service at:** <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/wildfire-status/wildfire-situation>

**Thompson Nicola Regional District at:** <https://www.tnrd.ca/>

**Village of Ashcroft at:** <https://ashcroftbc.ca/>

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