



COMMUNICATION BULLETIN

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

- Weekly updates will be posted Monday's by 1:30 pm on the Village Facebook Page, Website and poster at Post Office.
- Remaining days during the week, 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 9, 2021 – UPDATE TREMONT CREEK (K218490)

- YD Ranch, Barnes Lake area remain on Evacuation Alert;
- The current threat to Ashcroft remains minimal;
- Current estimated size is 36,724 hectares;
- Resources actioning the fire include: 89 firefighters, 7 helicopters and 35 pieces of heavy equipment. Heavy equipment and structure protection teams are on site;
- Large Air Tankers placed retardant lines to protect critical infrastructure on Mt. Savona and were successful.
- The northern flank of the fire from Barnes Lake to Walhachin continues to show very minimal to no fire activity. Patrolling for hot spots in the west and north flanks will also continue today.
- In the south, the planned ignitions early last week at Glossy mountain were successful and the fire is well within containment lines at this point in time. Crews are working along the south to mop up and strengthen containment.
- The fire was extremely active on the east and north east in Tunkwa Provincial Park and is currently burning on the top of and backing down the north slope of Mt. Savona
- Guards are currently being built along the power lines next to Tunkwa Lake road, down to and including Haywood Farmer road.
- 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 – Monday, August 16, 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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