



WILDFIRE UPDATE

Okanagan Complex

Mt. Eneas Wildfire (K51264)

Fire Size: 1793 hectares (estimated)

Status: Being Held

Cause: Lightning-caused

Resources: 82 personnel, a night shift is assigned to this fire

Objectives: Today's objectives are to extinguish hot spots and mop up. Night crews are continuing to mop up and patrol. On the north end of this fire, the challenge continues to be patchy ground with some unburnt areas remaining in the perimeter. Good progress is being made with some sections having blackline 400 feet into the perimeter.

Evacuations: All Alerts and Orders have now been lifted.

Peachland Creek (K51247)

Fire Size: 23 hectares

Status: Being Held

Cause: Lightning-caused

Resources: 11 personnel, 1 water tender

Objectives: This fire is in very steep terrain particularly on the west flank. The ground is largely shale with an inaccessible cliff adjacent to the worksite. Approximately 30% of this fire is left to search for remaining hot spots. A scan of this fire has been requested.

Evacuations: Evacuations Alerts have been lifted

Other: This will be removed as a 'Fire of Note' on tomorrow's Situation Report.



Goode's Creek, July 26, 2018

ADDITIONAL CONTACT INFORMATION:

Information Officers: Noelle Kekula or Shelley Zupp | 250-319-4815 or 250 320-1124



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Law Creek Wildfire (K51248)

Fire Size: 15.5 hectares
Status: Under Control
Cause: Lightning-caused
Resources: 30 personnel, 1 water tender, air support as needed
Objectives: Today's objectives are to extinguish the last of the hotspots. Patrol and demob.
Evacuations: None

Goode's Creek (K51242)

Fire Size: 577 hectares
Status: Out of Control
Cause: Lightning-caused
Resources: 63 personnel, and air support as needed
Objectives: Fire is working its way through the small drainages, hitting unburnt fuels creating visible smoke. Crews will continue to strengthen the east flank.
Evacuations: None

Mount Conkle (K51243)

Fire Size: 118 hectares
Status: Being Held
Cause: Lightning-caused
Resources: 41 personnel and air support as needed
Objectives: This fire has an extended perimeter due to all the fingers and bays. There is hose around all of it. Today's objective is to mop up to 100 feet in and push to the middle.
Evacuations: None
Other: This fire experienced an isolated shower yesterday.

Glenfir (K51256)

Location: 10km North West of Naramata
Status: 32 hectares – Out of Control
Cause: Lightning
Resources: 65 personnel, air support as needed.
Fire Camp in place: Yes
Objectives: Fire is burning in cracks and crevices of numerous small steep canyons. Unit Crew will work south through to middle of the fire.
Evacuations: None
Other: Structures are not threatened at this time. Naramata Fire Department on night shift.

Fri 07/27 Sunny	Sat 07/28 Sunny	Sun 07/29 Sunny	Mon 07/30 Sunny	Tue 07/31 Showers	Wed 08/01 Chance of a shower	Thu 08/02 Chance of a shower
33°	33°	34°	35°	34°	29°	28°

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Additional Information:

- Three of the fires will be taken off the 'Fires of Note' page tomorrow as the fires continue to be demobbed and moved into Patrol status. Fires that will be removed include: Peachland Creek, Law Creek and Mount Conkle.
- All Orders and Alerts have been lifted.
- Smoke in the Okanagan Valley is the result of smoke from Greece, Finland and Siberia. For more information go to: www.firesmoke.ca.
- We have been getting numerous inquiries about road closures. Currently we have no road closures due to fires in this Complex. As a precaution always check [http://www.drivebc.ca/](http://www.drivebc.ca) before leaving home.
- Just a note that the KVR Trail is open and has not been impacted: <http://bcrailtrails.com/>.
- Fire (K51344) was changed from Paradise Ranch to Frederick Creek. This fire is not a fire of note.
- Total Personal assigned to this Complex is 355.
- The fires that continue to challenge crews are in extremely, steep and challenging terrain. The three fires in Okanagan Mountain Park provide no shade for crews due to the lack of trees and vegetation. Crews are working in 34+ degree temperatures, with no shade and shifts may be shortened to manage fatigue and dehydration.
- The generosity of the public has been overwhelming. If you would like to support the BC Wildfire Service we ask you (if you are able and so choose) please support Honour House at: <https://honourhouse.ca/>. Honour House is a refuge, a "home away from home" for members of our Canadian Armed Forces, Veterans, Emergency Services Personnel (including BC Wildfire Service personnel) and their families to stay, completely free of charge, while they are receiving medical care and treatment in the Metro Vancouver area.



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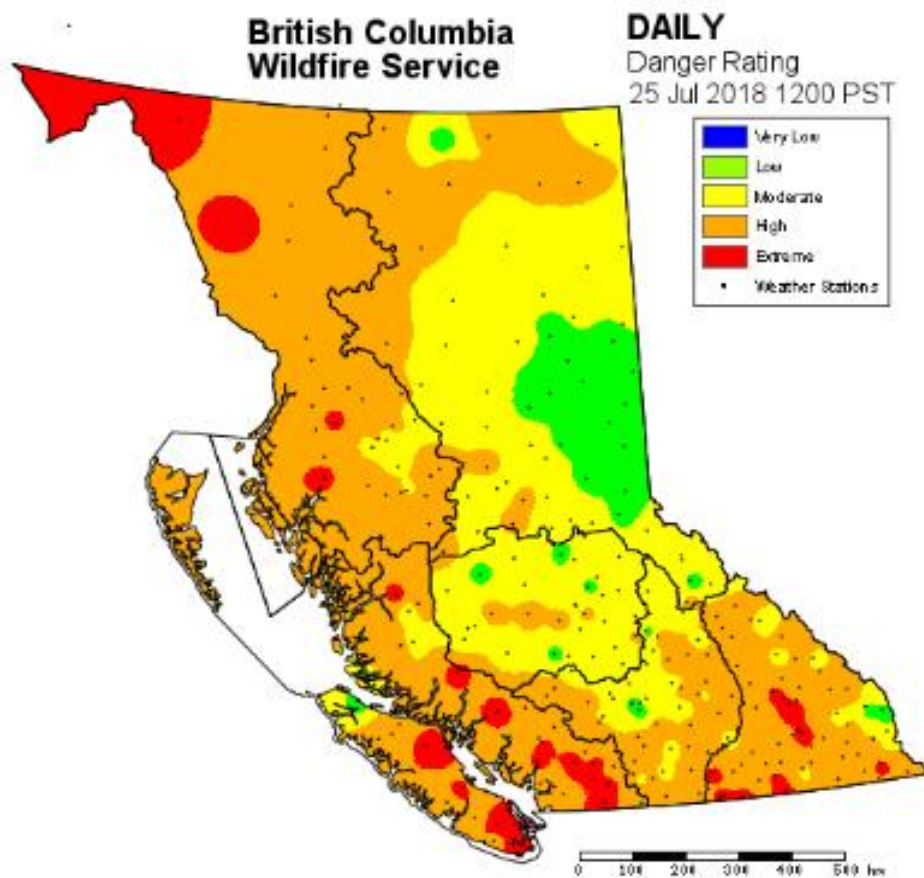


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Fire Danger Rating:



Spot a wildfire, smoke or illegal fire activity?

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HELPFUL RESOURCES:

Drifting Smoke: www.bcairquality.ca/bluesky/west/index.html

Smoke Health Concerns: HealthLink BC | dial 8-1-1 | www.healthlinkbc.ca/kbaltindex.asp