

## Juliet Creek (K62317)

<b>This information is current as of:</b>	August 24, 2018
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<b>Fire camp</b>	Merritt ICP
<b>Incident overview</b>	The fire was discovered on August 8 <sup>th</sup> and was actively monitored due to the remote location of the incident and stretched resources across the Province. On August 12 <sup>th</sup> heavy equipment resources commenced work on the incident. The status of this fire is out of control.
<b>Weather forecast</b>	Much cooler today, mix of sun and cloud. High temp of 17 C and RH low of 37%. Winds W 10-20km/hr. Low possibility of the odd shower. Overnight low near 7 C and RH recovery to near 90%. Winds diminishing to light west overnight. The upper trough passes to the east on Friday and another upper trough digs in for Saturday and Sunday. Isolated to scattered showers may occur in the fire area over the weekend or early next week. Temperatures will remain in the teens and RH values will be in the thirties and forties. Winds will be light to moderate west to southwest each day.
<b>Fire behavior prediction</b>	With winds and temperatures dropping and RH recovering better overnight, fire behaviour should be moderate/high today. The underlying indices are still high, so any increases in wind will create the potential for aggressive fire behavior, with fast rates of spreads and elevated intensities in all fuel types. We still have the potential for intermittent crowning in specific fuel types as temperatures increase.
<b>Challenges</b>	Temperatures and wind have been creating some challenging conditions in the early to late afternoon and have resulted in increased fire behaviour during afternoon periods.
<b>Yesterday's achievements</b>	Finish contingency guard from Jono Lake Road to Murray FSR. Tie guard from Jono Lake Road into old burn and ridge top. Establish hose lay on fire between Jono Road and Debbie.
<b>Today's objectives</b>	Assess if a guard can be put in from Michael Lake north down to Maka Creek. Conduct small scale planned ignitions (conditions permitting) and mop up on south side of Maka Creek along existing guard.

### Definitions: Stages of Control

<b>Out of Control:</b>	Describes a wildfire that is not responding (or only responding on a limited basis) to suppression action, such that the perimeter spread is not being contained.
<b>Being Held:</b>	Indicates that (with the resources currently committed to the fire) that sufficient suppression action has been taken that the fire is not likely to spread beyond existing or predetermined boundaries under the prevailing and forecasted conditions.
<b>Under Control:</b>	Indicates that the fire has received sufficient suppression action to ensure no further spread of the fire.
<b>Out:</b>	Indicates that the fire has been extinguished.

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