



INCIDENT UPDATE

Narcosli Creek (C12302)

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| This information is current as of: | August 27, 2018 |
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| Fire camp | Location: Sylvia’s Café on Nazko Road |
| Incident overview | <u>Status:</u> Out of Control 75% Contained 100% Guarded <u>Size:</u> Mapped at 4517.3 hectares <u>Resources:</u> 73 fire fighters, 20 pieces of heavy equipment, 10 helicopters for Baezaeko Complex |
| Weather forecast | Today: Sunny with clouds moving in later afternoon. Winds W-NW 8 to 15 km/h becoming SW-W 10 to 15 in the late morning and gusts to 25. Min RH near 30%. High 21. Outlook for Monday to Wednesday: Monday night mainly cloudy. Lows near 5°C with good recovery. Winds SW-W 10 to 20 km/h through the night with 20 to 30 at higher elevations. Light winds near dawn. Tuesday: Westerly brings in a weak cold front in the late afternoon that pushes south in the early evening. Sunshine with increasing clouds and scattered showers developing late afternoon. Winds SW 20 km/h gusts 30 shifting to W-NW behind the front. Highs near 22 with humidity in the upper 20s before cooling takes place late afternoon. Tuesday night mainly cloudy |
| Fire behavior prediction | Rain amounts varied between the fires. Fire is wicking along higher fuels and is finding pockets of fuel. Rank 2 and 3 has been observed in fuel loaded areas. The same is expected for today. Rank 2 is a low vigorous surface fire. Rank 3 is a moderately vigorous surface fire. |
| Challenges | The challenges crews face on this fire are difficult terrain and an extraordinary amount of danger trees. |
| Yesterday’s achievements | Completed mop up of escape on the north side and now have guard around fire 100%. |
| Today’s objectives | Crews will be monitoring and patrolling this wildfire. They will be mopping up along the fire edge in the northeast corner, mid-way down the western flank, and 50 feet off the fire edge in the south from the 10F road to the Desserters South Road. Specialists are conducting danger tree assessments and falling prior to crews commencing mop up. |
| Other | An Evacuation Alert has been implemented by the Cariboo Regional District. For more information, please visit the Cariboo Regional District Website: www.cariboord.bc.ca |

Definitions: Stages of Control

- Out of Control:** 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.
- Being Held:** 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.
- Under Control:** Indicates that the fire has received sufficient suppression action to ensure no further spread of the fire.
- Out:** Indicates that the fire has been extinguished.

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