

## **Community Notice**

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## **Chichester District**

Halloween and Bonfire Night is a great opportunity to celebrate, but we want to make sure that everyone is both kept safe and feel safe. Where possible we would encourage people to attend organised displays and urge anyone who is using fireworks or having a bonfire to consider the potential risks and use the code below for Bonfire Night Monday 5 November.

## **Bonfire Night Code**

- Keep fireworks in a sealed box or tin
- Use them one at a time, replacing the lid immediately
- Never put fireworks in your pocket
- Read the instructions carefully, using a torch or hand lamp NEVER use a naked flame
- Light fireworks at arms length using a taper or a firework lighter
- Stand well back and NEVER return to a firework after it has been lit, it could explode in your face
- Ensure that all children with fireworks are well supervised
- **Never** throw fireworks
- Keep all pets and animals indoors
- Take care of sparklers, wear gloves to hold them and dispose of the sparkler in a bucket of water as soon as they are finished

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If you see anything suspicious please report it immediately.

It might be the vital piece of information we need! Sussex Police gratefully receive information on <u>all</u> suspicious activity, suspicious persons and Anti-Social Behaviour, occurring in your area. We thank you for your vigilance and together, in partnership, we will effectively reduce and detect crime.