No Community Left Behind – Fire-Wise and Smoke Readiness Workshop 4 to 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, July 13, 2023

In-Person Event – Pybus Event Center and Live Streaming Event – Chelan Fire Hall

Summary

Community engagement event to raise public awareness around the impact of wildfire smoke on human health and the actions people can take to prepare themselves and their property before the wildfire season and what to do in the midst of wildfire or periods of heavy smoke.

Description

This event will feature a series of speakers sharing information about the risks of wildfires and smoke exposure, and what people can do to protect themselves, their loved ones and their properties. There will be booths with free masks, family friendly activities and information around topics that span the range of human health, fuels reduction and home preparedness, evacuation procedures, and climate resilience hubs. We will also have a live-streaming event at the Chelan Fire Hall for Chelan and Manson residents to listen to the speakers and participate in the discussion. Come join us for an evening of learning and help us make Chelan County more Fire-Wise and Smoke-Ready!

Agenda

4:00-4:30 pm	Welcome and Booth Fair
4:30-4:45 pm	What are the impacts of smoke on human health?
	 Kent Sisson, Chelan-Douglas Health District
4:45-5:00 pm	Pillowcase Project and Live Box Fan Demonstration
	 Café Wenatchee
5:00-5:15 pm	Evacuation Protocols
	 Jason Reinfeld, Chelan County Emergency Management
5:15-5:30 pm	Resident and Community Wildfire Resilience
	 Joe Hill, Cascadia Conservation District
5:30-5:45 pm	Biochar Applied Research and Development (BARD) Project
	 Tom McCoy, C6 Forest to Farm
5:45-6:00 pm	CHAI Program and Climate Resiliency Hubs
	 Marnie Boardman, DOH; and Corrina Farho, Gonzaga University
6:00-6:30 pm	Chat and Mingle
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