



Lyndoch CFS

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BE PREPARED, BE READY.... BUSHFIRE SAFETY

Prepare.....Act.....Survive

Recent studies were undertaken by the University of Adelaide and UniSA for residents in bushfire prone areas for property preparedness.

The study found residents were hesitant to clear their property of vegetation fuel load due to the fear of losing native plants and animals.

However, there are simple things people can do to make their properties more bushfire ready, and this doesn't mean clearing your entire block of trees and shrubs.

Some simple things can be clearing gutters of leaf litter, cutting over hanging tree branches, raking leaf litter and fine fuels under existing trees so fire doesn't have a clear path to your home.

- **Know and understand your bushfire risk.**
- **Home and Property Preparation.**
- **Prepare a Bushfire Survival Plan for yourself and your family.**

**Contact the Bushfire Information Hotline on 1300 362 361
or visit www.cfs.sa.gov.au**

FIRE DANGER SEASON

**Fire Danger Season (1st December 2017 to 30th April 2018):
NO Lighting of Fires (Penalties Apply)**

**Contact the Barossa Council 8563 8444
or visit www.barossa.sa.gov.au for a fact sheets**

IF YOU WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR LOCAL CFS BRIGADE, VISIT OUR WEB SITE
www.lyndochcfs.com.au

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INTERESTED IN BECOMING A VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER? (Call in Wednesday Nights see Jacque)