





# CELEBRATE FREEDOM SAFELY



- Never allow young children to handle fireworks.
  - Older children should use them only under close adult supervision.
  - Never use fireworks while impaired by drugs or alcohol.
  - Anyone using fireworks or standing nearby should wear protective eyewear.
  - Never hold lighted fireworks in your hand.
  - Never light them indoors.
  - Only use them away from people, houses and flammable material.
  - Never point or throw fireworks at another person.
  - Only light one device at a time and maintain a safe distance after lighting.
  - Never ignite devices in a container.
  - Do not try to re-light or handle malfunctioning fireworks.
  - Soak both spent and unused fireworks in water for a few hours before discarding.
  - Keep a bucket of water nearby to fully extinguish fireworks that don't do off or in case of fire.
  - Never use illegal fireworks.
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