

Follow Ben for a safe fireworks night



Don't forget
your gloves.

Ben loves fireworks night. To make sure he stays safe every year, he follows the **fireworks code.**

Fireworks will scare your pets, so keep them safely indoors.

Never give sparklers to a child under five.

Only adults should hold fireworks.

When you are watching fireworks, always stand well back.

You have to be **18 years old** before are allowed to buy fireworks in the

Never play with fireworks

They are dangerous and can hurt

If you are given a sparkler, always wear gloves.
Always hold sparklers at arm's length.

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When a sparkler goes out,
DON'T TOUCH IT. It could still
burn you, so put it in a bucket
of water, hot end down.



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Never go near a firework
when it has been lit.
Even if it hasn't gone off,
it could still explode.



The Fireworks Code for adults

- Only buy fireworks marked BS 7114.
- Don't drink alcohol if setting off fireworks.
- Keep fireworks in a closed box.
- Follow the instructions on each firework.
- Light them at arm's length, using a taper.
- Stand well back.
- Never go near a firework that has been lit. Even if it hasn't gone off, it could still explode.
- Never put fireworks in your pocket or throw them.
- Always supervise children around fireworks.
- Light sparklers one at a time and wear gloves.
- Never give sparklers to a child under five.
- Keep pets indoors.
- Don't set off noisy fireworks late at night and never after 11pm.

www.dti.gov.uk/fireworks

**FIREWORKS
BE SAFE
NOT SORRY**
ALWAYS FOLLOW THE CODE

