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RE: CLOCK CHANGE on Saturday, November 2, 2013



On Saturday, November 2nd, we will all change our clocks as daylight savings time ends. It is a great time to remember to do some fire safety checks in your home. Every month you should check to see that your smoke detectors are working by pressing the alarm button on the front. But when we change our clocks, we should also change the batteries. Whether they need it or not, we want a fresh, full battery in the detector at all times. You can always use the battery for something else. Use your vacuum to make sure the detector is free of dust as well. Sometimes, even the electric, interconnected smoke detectors have a back-up battery that needs to be changed according to the manufacturer's recommendation.

While we change our clocks and batteries, it is a great time to also make and practice your EDITH – Escape Drills In The Home plan. Go to www.ionafire.com for a link to the steps of an EDITH plan. Make sure your family practices your plan twice a year.

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