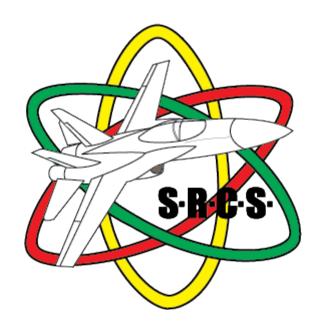
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## FIRE EMERGENCY SUMMARY

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## **EMERGENCY SUMMARY**

- SRCS overflies grass areas that may be easily ignited, including by <u>any</u> aircraft crash
- Fires cause loss of life, loss of livestock, and serious property damage
- The first few minutes of a fire are critical
- Over reaction is always better than under reaction
- Use maximum resources available
- Don't take personal risks and ensure you always maintain a safe way out
- If any doubt that you can contain the fire, immediately call 000 or 112 from ANY mobile, (even if out of your normal reception area provided there is another carrier available)
- Use red fire fighting knapsacks from unlocked small shed if any possibility of grass fire
- Knapsacks are heavy so only hand carry over short distances
- Dampened hessian sacks from small shed are also effective for beating out burning grass
- Transport using 4 wheel drives, cars, or SRCS mower and trailer (if available)
- Use quickest route to fire including through pit area gates
- Beware of obstructions in long grass
- Beware of heat from exhausts and catalytic convertors starting fires themselves