

RB United Coalition Wildfire Risk and Assessment Class Schedule

Funded by The San Diego Foundation’s “After the Fires Fund” and led by local wildfire experts. Information provided by RB United Coalition. (858) 485-8502 or rbunitedfirewise@gmail.com

Registration is encouraged but not required. There is no fee to participate.

| Living With Wildfire | | |
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| <i>This three-hour class will focus on “how houses ignite,” attributes of ignition-resistant structures and fire-wise landscaping, responsible fuel/brush management and the costs of excessive vegetation reduction, quick low-cost maintenance and retrofits to reduce property risks, community assessments, and more.</i> | | |
| Tuesday, July 22 | 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. | Westwood Club Gymnasium |
| Thursday, August 7 | 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. | Rancho Bernardo Library |
| Saturday, August 2 | 2:00 – 5:00 p.m. | RB Swim & Tennis Club |
| Classes are identical. Attend only one. | | |

| Homesite Self-Assessment Class | | |
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| <i>This two-hour session is conducted by a local fire behavior specialist who will inspect and assess property risks at two homesites for structures as well as landscaping. Learn how to complete your own home assessment and discover what is going on next door and down the street.</i> | | |
| Tuesday, July 29 | 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. | Locations will be provided to those who register at RB United. (858) 485-8502 |
| Thursday, August 14 | 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. | |
| Saturday, August 9 | 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. | |
| Homeowners may attend all three or only one. | | |

| Personalized Home Assessment |
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| <i>Each homeowner will have the opportunity to conduct a simple 15-minute on-line survey that will produce an individualized risk assessment of their home. After completing the assessment, each homeowner will also get an easy-to-understand checklist of action items rated by priority, cost and ease of implementation, and list of resources for those interested in taking action. Based on science developed by researchers at the Center for Fire Research and Outreach based at UC Berkley’s College of Natural Resources, <i>Community Green Scene</i> has created a user-friendly neighborhood-wide action focused application of the concept. Data collected from the project can also be used to identify community-wide risks and start developing action plans to reduce homeowner and community losses in the next wildfires. Available online from July 25 to September 1.</i> |

| Homeowners’ Action Planning Workshop | | |
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| <i>During this two-hour session, you will be guided through your personalized checklist and develop action plans for maintenance and retrofits for your house.</i> | | |
| Tuesday, August 5 | 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. | Westwood Club Gymnasium |
| Thursday, August 21 | 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. | Rancho Bernardo Library |
| Saturday, August 16 | 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. | RB Swim & Tennis Club |
| Classes are identical. Attend only one. | | |

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