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Request:

How many calls to fires were attended each year, for the past five years, for the following Forestry Commission sites:

*Ingrebourne Hill
Berwick Glades
Bonnets Wood
Cely Woods
Thames Chase Forest Centre & Broadfields
Folkes Lane
Woodland Pages Wood
Harold Court Woods
Tylers Wood*

Can I also ask for the total number of hours spent at fires for each year of the past five years too please?

Response:

Our Data team have provided the tables attached to this response which show the number of fires attended at each site and the total number of pumps hours spent at each fire incident.

The postcodes used to identify fire near or in these parks are as follows:

Ingrebourne Hill
RM13 8SS
RM13 7DB
RM13 7YH

RM13 7DH
RM13 7EL
RM13 7EP
RM13 7ED
RM13 7EH
RM13 7EJ
RM13 7DE
RM13 7DJ
RM13 7DX
RM13 7DU
RM13 7DL
RM13 7DP
RM13 7BJ
RM13 7BX
RM13 7BE
RM13 7DD
RM13 7ER
RM13 7DA
RM13 7AP
RM13 7BH
RM13 7AJ
RM13 7XJ
RM13 7XH
RM13 7RP
RM13 7RL
RM13 7RS
RM13 7RR
RM13 7QT
RM13 7QX

Berwick Glades

RM14 2XS
RM13 9EJ

Bonnetts Wood

RM14 2XR
RM14 2TN
RM14 2TW
RM14 2YG
RM14 2EU
RM14 2YO

RM14 2YP
RM14 2TQ

Cely Woods

RM15 4XD
RM15 4XL
RM15 4XJ
RM13 9EW
RM13 9GJ
RM13 9FL
RM14 2TN
RM14 2TQ
RM14 2TE
RM14 2TF
RM14 2TG
RM14 2XL
RM14 2XB

Thames Chase Forest Centre & Broadfields

RM14 2TZ
RM14 3QP
RM14 3QL
RM14 3QJ
RM14 3PT
RM14 3PL
RM14 3NS
RM14 3NU

Folkes Lane Woodland

RM14 1TH
RM14 1TE
RM14 1TP
RM14 1TR
CM13 3JA

Pages Wood

RM14 1TT
RM11 3UJ
RM3 0NF
RM3 0NJ
RM3 0NH

RM3 OND
RM3 ONB
RM3 ONA
RM3 OTD
RM3 OTH
RM11 3TY
RM11 3TZ

Harold Court Woods

RM3 OLA
RM14 1TS
RM3 ONR
RM3 ONP
RM3 ORD
RM3 ORB
RM3 ORA
RM3 OQX

Tylers Wood

CM13 3JA
RM14 1TR
RM14 1TS

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Ingrebourne Hill

ParentPropertyType	PropertyType	2017		2018		2019		2020		2021		Total Number of fires	Total Total pump hours
		Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours		
Grassland, woodland and crops	Domestic garden (vegetation not equipment)									1	1	1	1
	Grassland, pasture, grazing etc			4	4							4	4
	Heathland	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	2	8	10
	Hedge	2	2	1	1							3	3
	Scrub land	2	2	1	1			2	3			5	6
	Standing crop			2	4							2	4
	Straw/stubble burning			1	1							1	1
	Tree scrub	3	3	1	2			4	5	1	1	9	11
	Woodland/forest - conifers/softwood	1	4			1	8	1	1			3	13
	Grassland, woodland and crops Total		11	14	11	14	2	9	8	12	4	4	36
Other outdoors (including land)	Cycle path/public footpath/bridleway			1	1							1	1
	Loose refuse	2	2	1	1	1	2					4	5
	Park			1	1					1	1	2	2
	Road surface/pavement									1	1	1	1
Other outdoors (including land) Total	2	2	3	3	1	2				2	2	8	9
Grand Total	13	16	14	17	3	11	8	12	6	6	44	62	

Berwick Glades

ParentPropertyType	PropertyType	2017		2018		2019		2021		Total Number of fires	Total Total pump hours
		Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours		
Grassland, woodland and crops	Grassland, pasture, grazing etc	1	2	3	4					4	6
	Heathland			2	2	1	1	1	1	4	4
	Scrub land	1	1							1	1
	Tree scrub					1	1			1	1
Grassland, woodland and crops Total		2	3	5	6	2	2	1	1	10	12
Other outdoors (including land)	Loose refuse	2	9							2	9
	Park	1	2							1	2
Other outdoors (including land) Total		3	11							3	11
Grand Total		5	14	5	6	2	2	1	1	13	23

Bonnetts Wood

ParentPropertyType	PropertyType	2017		2018		2019		2020		2021		Total Number of fires	Total Total pump hours
		Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours		
Grassland, woodland and crops	Domestic garden (vegetation not equipment)									2	4	2	4
	Grassland, pasture, grazing etc			1	3	1	3					2	6
	Straw/stubble burning	1	4									1	4
	Tree scrub			1	8							1	8
Grassland, woodland and crops Total		1	4	2	11	1	3			2	4	6	22
Other outdoors (including land)	Loose refuse	1	1					1	2	4	6	6	9
	Road surface/pavement			1	1							1	1
	Wasteland									1	1	1	1
Other outdoors (including land) Total		1	1	1	1			1	2	5	7	8	11
Grand Total		2	5	3	12	1	3	1	2	7	11	14	33

Cely Woods

ParentPropertyType	PropertyType	2017		2018		2019		2020		2021		2022		Total Number of fires	Total pump hours
		Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours		
Grassland, woodland and crops	Domestic garden (vegetation not equipment)					1	51	1	1	2	4			2	4
	Grassland, pasture, grazing etc													2	52
	Hedge							1	1					1	1
	Scrub land					2	2	2	140	1	4			5	146
Grassland, woodland and crops Total						3	53	4	142	3	8			10	203
Other outdoors (including land)	Landfill site							2	140	3	35			5	175
	Loose refuse	5	6	7	20	1	1			5	9	2	2	20	38
	Road surface/pavement			2	5									2	5
	Wasteland			1	3	1	1,334	3	67	4	60			9	1,464
Other outdoors (including land) Total		5	6	10	28	2	1,335	5	207	12	104	2	2	36	1,682
Grand Total		5	6	10	28	5	1,388	9	349	15	112	2	2	46	1,885

Thames Chase Forest Centre

ParentPropertyType	PropertyType	2017		2018		2019		2020		Total Number of fires	Total Total pump hours
		Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours		
Grassland, woodland and crops	Domestic garden (vegetation not equipment)					1	1			1	1
	Heathland					1	1			1	1
	Hedge	1	1	1	1					2	2
	Roadside vegetation	1	1							1	1
	Tree scrub					1	1			1	1
Grassland, woodland and crops Total		2	2	1	1	3	3			6	6
Other outdoors (including land)	Loose refuse	1	2					1	1	2	3
Other outdoors (including land) Total		1	2					1	1	2	3
Grand Total		3	4	1	1	3	3	1	1	8	9

Folkes Lane Woodland

ParentPropertyType	PropertyType	2017		2018		2019		2020		Total Number of fires	Total Total pump hours
		Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours		
Grassland, woodland and crops	Grassland, pasture, grazing etc	1	2							1	2
	Hedge			1	1					1	1
	Straw/stubble burning			1	2					1	2
	Tree scrub			1	1	1	1			2	2
Grassland, woodland and crops Total		1	2	3	4	1	1			5	7
Other outdoors (including land)	Human harm outdoors							1	1	1	1
	Loose refuse					1	2			1	2
Other outdoors (including land) Total						1	2	1	1	2	3
Grand Total		1	2	3	4	2	3	1	1	7	10

ParentPropertyType	PropertyType	2017		2018		2020		Total Number of fires	Total Total pump hours
		Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours		
Grassland, woodland and crops	Domestic garden (vegetation not equipment)	1	1					1	1
	Grassland, pasture, grazing etc			1	1	1	2	2	3
	Hedge	2	3	1	1			3	4
	Roadside vegetation			1	2			1	2
	Scrub land					1	2	1	2
	Tree scrub	1	1					1	1
Grassland, woodland and crops Total		4	5	3	4	2	4	9	13
Other outdoors (including land)	Loose refuse			1	1			1	1
	Park	2	2			1	1	3	3
Other outdoors (including land) Total		2	2	1	1	1	1	4	4
Grand Total		6	7	4	5	3	5	13	17

Harold Court Woods

ParentPropertyType	PropertyType	2017		2018		2019		2020		Total Number of fires	Total Total pump hours
		Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours	Number of fires	Total pump hours		
Grassland, woodland and crops	Grassland, pasture, grazing etc							1	1	1	1
	Tree scrub	1	1							1	1
Grassland, woodland and crops Total		1	1					1	1	2	2
Other outdoors (including land)	Loose refuse	1	2	2	2	1	1	3	3	7	8
	Park							1	1	1	1
Other outdoors (including land) Total		1	2	2	2	1	1	4	4	8	9
Grand Total		2	3	2	2	1	1	5	5	10	11

Tylers Wood

ParentPropertyType	PropertyType	2019		Total Number of fires	Total Total pump hours
		Number of fires	Total pump hours		
Grassland, woodland and crops	Tree scrub	1	1	1	1
Grassland, woodland and crops Total		1	1	1	1
Grand Total		1	1	1	1