West-Central Oregon - Lookout and Bedrock Fire

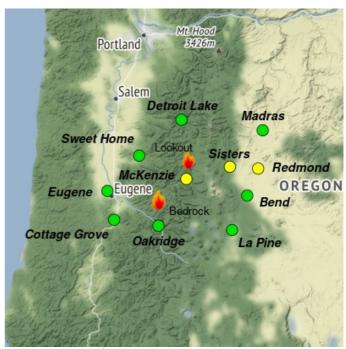
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Fire

The Lookout Fire is 24,457 acres with 30% containment. The Bedrock Fire is 31,590 acres with 90% containment. Latest fire information is available at InciWeb: tinyurl.com/Fire-Information

Smoke

Like yesterday we will likely continue to see GOOD air quality along the Willamette Valley. McKenzie is starting the day with MODERATE and will likely increase to see periods USG as smoke production increases. Like yesterday the increased smoke production and westerly winds will lead to smoke being pushed from the fire toward Sister and Redmond and may settle down in Bend in the evening and overnight hours. Air quality is likely to be moderate for those locations. The air quality in Detroit Lake, Sweet Home, Eugene, and Cottage Grove should remain GOOD.



Daily AQI Forecast* for Friday

	Yesterday	Thu	Forecast*	Fri	Sat
Station	hourly	9/07	Comment for Today Fri, Sep 08	9/08	9/09
	6a noon 6p	_		_	_
Cottage Grove City Shops			Air quality will continue to be GOOD in the area.		
Eugene			Air quality will continue to be GOOD in the area.		
Sweet Home			Air quality will continue to be GOOD in the area.		
Detroit Lake			GOOD air quality will continue in the area.		
La Pine			Air quality will be GOOD for the area, may see brief period of MODERATE		
Oakridge			Air quality will continue to be GOOD in the area.		
Madras			Air quality will be GOOD with potential brief periods of MODERATE.		
Bend			Air quality will be GOOD in the area.		
McKenzie			Air quality is expected to continue to be MODERATE.		
Redmond			Air quality will be GOOD with periods of MODERATE.		
Sisters			MODERATE air quality expected today with smoke pushing in the area.		

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Air Quality Index (AQI) Actions to Protect Yourself		
Good	None	
Moderate	Unusually sensitive individuals should consider limiting prolonged or heavy exertion.	
USG	People within Sensitive Groups* should reduce prolonged or heavy outdoor exertion.	
Unhealthy	People within Sensitive Groups* should avoid all physical outdoor activity.	
Very Unhealthy	Everyone should avoid prolonged or heavy exertion.	
Hazardous	Everyone should avoid any outdoor activity.	

*Disclaimer: This forecast is based on fine particulates only; ozone is not included. Forecasts may be wrong; use at own risk. Use caution as conditions can change quickly. See your health professional as needed. Smoke sensitive groups should take appropriate precautions.

Additional Links

AirNow Fire & Smoke Map -- https://fire.airnow.gov Oregon Smoke Blog -- https://oregonsmoke.org $Oregon\ Health\ Authority\ C\ ommunity\ Wildfire\ Resources -- https://www.oregon.gov/oha/ph/preparedness/prepare/pages/prepareforwildfire.aspx$

