



## Frequently Asked Questions

### **When did the accident occur?**

The accident occurred on June 21 at approximately 11:50. Lunch was being served at the time of the accident.

### **What type of device was being used that caused the accident?**

A tabletop s'more maker recommended for indoor use was being used by staff. The device was made by HKZ TECH and purchased from Amazon on September 1, 2024. According to the included documents with the device, it consists of a concrete container inlaid with a metal bin and a removable lid. The bottom of the bin was lined with a cotton wool wick. As per the directions, the wick was dampened with isopropyl alcohol. When lit, the device creates an approximately 2" flame and burns until the wick dries or until the lid is placed on top.

### **What was the response of Jasmine Moran Children's Museum staff after the accident occurred?**

The museum staff acted immediately according to the museum's emergency procedures. Two staff members were attending the s'more station. A third staff member was next in line when the accident occurred and immediately started to smother the fire on the child by patting. A museum guest assisted the effort and, in tandem with the staff member, helped the child and got the fire out. Several guests and staff members began passing bottles of water to use to cool the burns. At approximately the same time, another staff member walked into the room carrying water and was able to extinguish the fire on the table top of the station to keep it from spreading. They then immediately called 911. Several other staff members arrived with fire extinguishers and additional water, but the fire had been extinguished by that time.

Two staff members went outside to meet the ambulance and direct emergency crews, two escorted the mother and child, and two went to retrieve a burn spray from the first aid station. Another staff member met the child's additional parent upon their arrival at the museum.

### **How many staff members were assisting with the special event? How many staff were available on the property?**

There were seven staff members in the room at the time of the accident and one additional staff person responded immediately following the accident. Thirty-two staff were available on property on June 21.

### **How can we get more information?**

Do to recent court filings the museum can not answer any other questions. Further inquiries should be directed to Chris Davis at Crowe & Dunlevy (918) 592-9890