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Fire Successes All over the Nation

The National Park Service assists local volunteer fire departments.

The Natchez Trace Parkway fire management office kicked off Fire Prevention Week at the Tupelo Visitors Center on October 3. Assisting Natchez Trace fire staff were members of the Tupelo Fire Department, the Mississippi Forestry Commission, the US Fish and Wildlife Service Noxubee National Wildlife Refuge, and Smokey Bear. A total of 130 children from local schools attended the event, as did 78 visitors. Each agency showed their fire equipment and presented both structural and wildland fire prevention information.



Southeast Region Fire Management Display



Tupelo Fore Department Engine 4



Mississippi Forestry Commission Tractor Plow



NPS and USF&WS Engines



Smokey and the Fire Crew



Two Satisfied Customers

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