

## Meet our Employees

**SCOTT HOPPIE**  
ALARM PROJECT MANAGER



Scott has been with Action for 8 years but has been in the industry for 23. He has a son named Cody. In his spare time he enjoys training for and competing in triathlons and playing in Corn-hole tournaments with his son.

## Halloween Fire Safety Tips

Halloween is a fun and spooky time of year for kids. Make trick-or-treating safe for your want-to-be monsters with a few easy safety tips.

When choosing a costume, stay away from billowing or long trailing fabric. Provide children with flashlights to carry for lighting or glow sticks as part of their costume.

Dried flowers, cornstalks and crepe paper are highly flammable. Keep these and other decorations well away from all open flames and heat sources, including light bulbs, and heaters.

It is safest to use a flashlight or battery-operated candle in a jack-o-lantern. If you use a real candle, use extreme caution. Make sure children are watched at all times when candles are lit. When lighting candles inside jack-o-lanterns, use long, fireplace style matches or a utility lighter. Be sure to place lit pumpkins well away from anything that can burn and far enough out of way of trick-or-treaters, doorsteps, walkways and yards.

Remember to keep exits clear of decorations, so nothing blocks escape routes.

Tell children to stay away from open flames. Be sure they know how to stop, drop and roll if their clothing catches fire. (Have them practice, stopping immediately, dropping to the ground, covering their face with hands, and rolling over and over to put the flames out.)

Use flashlights as alternatives to candles or torch lights when decorating walkways and yards. They are much safer for trick-or-treaters, whose costumes may brush against the lighting.

If your children are going to Halloween parties at others' homes, have them look for ways out of the home and plan how they would get out in an emergency safety tips.

### DID YOU KNOW?

Decorations are the first thing to ignite in home fires each year.

There are 900 home fires reported each year and two of every five of these fires were started by a candle.

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**BRETT SMITH**  
SPRINKLER SALES ESTIMATOR



Brett has been married to his wife Lacey for 11 years and has 2 boys: Hayden and Bentley. In his spare time he enjoys faith, family and most things sports related. He has been in the trade for 11 years and with Action for almost 7 years.



# Action in Action



Derek Wallis



Texas Instruments Crew—  
Paul, Trevor & Chris



Dwayne Wenner



Greg Sonoff



Itasca Wampus Cats A Team Cheerleaders



Michelle & Ashley at  
Cupcake Wars



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& BLUE BBQ" to support our  
location Police & Fire Departments



Blake and her husband Joe helping with  
Hurricane Harvey Relief Efforts

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