How To Make Self-Igniting Fire Starters

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I thought the Charge A Cell Phone With ANY Battery post I did earlier was great, but this one is equally as good, if not better!

I always go on about the importance of having the ability and tools to create fire in survival situations. When temperatures are cold, the ability to create fire even exceeds the importance of obtaining drinkable water. You will survive a night without water, but you might not survive without a fire to keep your warm...

I usually recommend you carry several different ignition sources (firesteel, matches, lighter, etc) and some dry tinder with you at all times. Until now my tinder recommendation has been for home-made cotton ball fire starters, but this may be about to change as these self-igniting fire starters from 'Dirt Time' are an amazing idea and they are very cheap and simple to make at home. Anyone can make these.

I would still carry a backup to these self-igniting fire starters, just in case, but I think these are a game changer. An ignition source and a tinder all-in-one, that could be a life saver.
Head over to Dirt Time and check out their excellent tutorial with photos and step-by-step instructions on how to make your own self-igniting fire starters.

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(Photo from: Dirt Time)