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Block Parties Planned For 2014 National Night Out Event



On Tuesday, August 5th, 2014, the Visalia Police Department, in conjunction with the National Association of Town Watch, will be celebrating the 31st annual National Night Out city-wide block party.

Neighborhood Watch groups across America will be gathering in their communities to take a stand against crime and show their support for local crime prevention programs. National Night Out is designed to heighten crime and drug prevention awareness, generate support and participation in local crime prevention efforts, and to help strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships. Last year, 37.8 million people participated nationwide.

Neighborhood Watch groups across Visalia will be hosting block parties, BBQs, potlucks, and ice cream socials. However, you don't have to be a member of a Neighborhood Watch group to participate.

If your neighborhood would like to participate in this year's event, please contact Visalia Police Department-Crime Prevention at 713-4370. We ask that you register your block party by July 14th.

