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## 34<sup>th</sup> Annual National Night Out

On Tuesday, August 1st, 2017, the Visalia Police Department, in conjunction with the National Association of Town Watch, will be celebrating the 34th annual National Night Out city-wide block party. We invite you and your neighbors to participate with us this year.

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.

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 submit a completed registration form. Forms can be picked up at the Visalia Police Department headquarters 303 S. Johnson Street or send an email to [ypdcrimeprevention@visalia.city](mailto:ypdcrimeprevention@visalia.city). We ask that you register your block party by Monday July 17<sup>th</sup>. For more information on this event you can contact our Community Outreach Coordinator at 713-4370.



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