



HOW TO ORGANISE A STREET PARTY

Celebrate 40 years of Neighbourhood Watch with a street party



Bringing neighbours together is what Neighbourhood Watch does best. One way to connect, celebrate and share with your community is by holding a street party!

In 2022 we will celebrate 40 years of neighbourliness, connection, and our large volunteer network.

GETTING STARTED 3-4 MONTHS IN ADVANCE

- Talk with your neighbours about celebrating our 40th anniversary in June 2022
- Invite your neighbours in writing by popping a 'Save the Date' through their doors
- Apply to your council for a road closure permit

PLANNING

1-2 MONTHS IN ADVANCE

- Make sure that everyone is involved in the decision making
- Plan activities for all ages, not just the kids, such as a street quiz
- Arrange for neighbours to bring food, games, chairs, tables
- If you are playing music, make sure that it isn't too loud and caters for all tastes
- Arrange for road signage
- Arrange for bunting to decorate the street



HAVE A FANTASTIC TIME ENJOYING
YOUR NEIGHBOURS COMPANY! ”

A WEEK BEFORE THE EVENT

- Send out a reminder to your neighbours about the event
- Arrange that the neighbours move their cars the night before
- Display a legal order for road closure if you are required to



ON THE DAY

- 1 Set up road closure barriers and decorate
- 2 Set up the tables, chairs, music, food and drinks
- 3 Clear up and open the road after the party

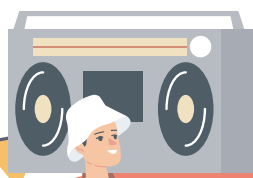
NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH
NETWORK covers you for Public
Liability Insurance so long as
you are organising the event
in the name of your
NEIGHBOURHOOD
WATCH SCHEME

REMEMBER THAT TO BE
CLASSED AS A STREET
PARTY, THE FOLLOWING
MUST BE IN PLACE:

- Non-externally publicised event between 1-2 streets (neighbours only)
- Road closure is a residential street
- No alcohol is sold
- Self-organised

AFTERWARDS

Share pictures of the event with other neighbours, and with **Suffolk Neighbourhood Watch Association** by emailing comms@suffolknwa.co.uk or tag us on social media.



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