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Pleasanton PD Invites Community to Participate in National Night Out 2021

The Pleasanton Police Department is excited to bring back National Night Out and invites the community to participate on Tuesday, August 3rd from 5-9 pm. National Night Out is a law enforcement event sponsored by the National Association of Town Watch and co-sponsored locally by the Pleasanton Police Department. By joining forces to celebrate National Night Out, residents can get to know their police department and neighbors!

National Night Out is open to all residents and is designed to: (1) Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships, (2) Generate support for, and participation in, local anti-crime programs, and (3) Send a message to criminals letting them know that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back.

Nearly 20 years ago, when National Night Out was first introduced to Pleasanton, it started with four neighborhood block parties. Since then, thanks to our active Neighborhood Watch Groups, the event has grown to over 40 block parties. Parties can include potlucks, barbecues, ice cream socials, live bands, bounce houses or kids parades. Parties who register with the police department before the deadline could be visited by the Pleasanton Police Department, Elected City and State Officials, the Livermore-Pleasanton Fire Department and a host of allied agencies.

The Pleasanton Police Department understands if your party has concerns about COVID-19 and is willing to accommodate specific requests such as wearing face coverings or maintaining social distance. For the latest guidance on planning a safe event, please visit the [Alameda County Health Public Health Department website](#).

If you are interested in hosting a National Night Out party, fill out a [registration form](#) before Friday, July 23rd. Questions can be directed to Crime Prevention at (925) 931-5100 or crimeprevention@cityofpleasantonca.gov.

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