

Planning Guide for Community Block Party

Check List in Helping to Plan a Community Block Party

Check List for Block Party Advertisement

- ✓ Block Party Sign/Banner
- ✓ Signs about Community
- ✓ Advertisement through Newspaper
- ✓ Advertisement through Local School
- ✓ Canvass the Community
- ✓ Word of Mouth Invitations

Check List for Setting up Block Party

- ✓ Contact Community Emergency Services
- ✓ Pick Up Block Party Trailer from Associational Office
- ✓ Set Up Block Party Trailer
- ✓ Set Up Welcome Center
- ✓ Set Up Seating
- ✓ Set Up Signs
- ✓ Make Arrangements for Restrooms

Entertainment

Welcome Table

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with two tables, four chairs, sign, and a canopy tent.
- ✓ Church Provides: Guest register cards, pencils, and markers.

Music

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with a portable sound system.
- ✓ Church Provides: Music group or musical CD's.

Clowning

- ✓ Provided: Trailer does not come equipped with supplies.
- ✓ Church Provides: Individuals who will do Christian Clowning.

Face Painting

- ✓ Provided: Trailer does not come equipped with face painting supplies.
- ✓ Church Provides: Paints and brushes.

Food

Bar-B-Q

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with two roasters.
- ✓ Church Provides: Meats, buns, condiments, grill, and charcoal, plates and silverware.

Funnel Cakes

- ✓ Provided: Outdoor gas cooker, propane tank, ten quart aluminum fry pot, perforated basket, and 5" thermometer.
- ✓ Church Provides: Funnel cake mix, powdered sugar, plates, and silverware.

Sno Cones

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with sno cone machine, cups, syrup, and scoops for ice.
- ✓ Church Provides: Sno cone tubs (for catching ice shavings), ladles for dipping, large igloo cooler, and ice.

Popcorn

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with popcorn machine, scoops, and measuring cups.
- ✓ Church Provides: Popcorn, oil, salt, and bags.

Nachos and Cheese – Potato Chips

- ✓ Provided: Trailer does not come equipped with these supplies.
- ✓ Church Provides: Crock pot, spatulas, serving bowls, chips, and cheese dip.

Drinks

- ✓ Provided: Drink Coolers available from the association.
- ✓ Church Provides: Drinks and cups.

Games and Booths

Bounce House

- ✓ Provided: Bounce house, generator, and gas can.

Fish Pond Game

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with background, two fishing poles, and prize tub.
- ✓ Church Provides: Small treats as prizes.

Lollipop Ring Toss Game

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with background, eight rings and prize tub.
- ✓ Church Provides: Lollipops as prizes.

Tic-Tac-Toe Game

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with background, six beanbags, and prize tub.
- ✓ Church Provides: Small treats as prizes.

Football Throw Game

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with background, three footballs, and prize tub.
- ✓ Church Provides: Small treats as prizes.

Ball Throw Game

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with background, three tennis balls, and prize tub.
- ✓ Church Provides: Small treats as prizes.

Washer Game

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with base, washers, and prize tub.
- ✓ Church Provides: Small treats as prizes.

Ring Toss Game

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with background, rings, and prize tub.
- ✓ Church Provides: Small treats as prizes.

Bean Bag Toss Game

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with base, six bean bags, and prize tub.
- ✓ Church Provides: Small treats as prizes.

Soccer Kick

- Provided: Trailer comes equipped with base and soccer balls.
- Church Provides: Small treats as prizes.

Evangelism Tools

Power Band Bracelet Craft

- ✓ Provided: Trailer comes equipped with colored beads, leather lace, and scissors.

Evangelism Picture Cubes (2) – Evangel Cube

I.Q. Quiz Cards

Variety of evangelism tracts

Check List for Closing Block Party

- ✓ Clean Up Trash.
- ✓ Put Away Tables and Chairs.
- ✓ Put Away Block Party Items and Return Block Party Trailer to the Association.
- ✓ Evaluate the Block Party.
- ✓ Follow-Up Prospects.