



NATIONAL NIGHT OUT 2007

America's Night Out Against Crime

Tuesday, August 7th

On **Tuesday, August 7, 2007** neighborhoods throughout Marion County will participate in the Twenty-Fourth Annual **National Night Out: *America's Night Out Against Crime***.

National Night Out is designed to heighten crime and drug prevention awareness; generate support for and participation in local anti-crime efforts; strengthen neighborhood spirit; **help form good relationships between the community and police**; and send a message to criminals that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back.

Neighbors can participate by hosting a block party, cookout, pitch-in, ice cream social, flashlight walk, neighborhood parade, pizza party, "Make Your Own Sundae" party: popcorn and pop party; "Bring Your Favorite (*fill in the blank*) Party" (i.e. Snack, Cookie, Pretzel, Cheese, Fruit or Dessert); youth activities (games, bike parade, chalk art, skits, jump rope or hula hoop contest, watermelon seed-spitting contest, sing-along or karaoke, volleyball, badminton, croquet) - **anything that brings you and your neighbors together outside.**

Don't miss this great opportunity to show your support for law enforcement and crime free neighborhoods; strengthen police - community partnerships; and celebrate neighborhood unity.

If you have any questions, **please call Ann Westropp**, Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department Southeast District CrimeWatch Specialist, at **327-6365**.

