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## NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

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**Berkeley, California (July 23, 2012)** - Berkeley residents will be coming together on Tuesday, August 7<sup>th</sup> for the 29<sup>th</sup> annual National Night Out. The City of Berkeley welcomes all Neighborhood Watch Groups, local businesses, faith based organizations and community groups to come join us in a fun and positive night.

National Night Out is held every year on the first Tuesday in August. The goal is to promote community involvement and partnerships, crime prevention, and safety and disaster preparedness in the effort to create safer communities. Since 1984, "[National Night Out-America's Night Out Against Crime](#)" has grown to involve over 37 million people from more than 10,000 communities nationwide.

Please join members of the City of Berkeley Police and Fire Departments as well as City of Berkeley staff on Tuesday, August 7<sup>th</sup>.

**HOW TO SIGN UP:** Residents can [download the registration form here](#) or from the [BPD website](#). Groups must submit a block party permit with the City of Berkeley for street closures for this event. More information regarding the necessary permits required for this event can be found on the [City of Berkeley's website](#).

Residents with questions can visit <http://www.cityofberkeley.info/police> or contact Officer Stephanie Polizziani at (510)981-5772 or via email at [spolizziani@cityofberkeley.info](mailto:spolizziani@cityofberkeley.info).

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