



Neighbor Day

February 10, 2018



IDEAS TO HELP YOU CELEBRATE!

We encourage all Seattle residents to celebrate this day by indulging in random (or organized) acts of kindness. You can simply do something nice for a neighbor or grab some neighbors and organize a party, project, or potluck! Below are a few ideas to get you started.

Join in a neighborhood service project:

- Clean up a nearby park: Visit [Seattle Parks and Recreation volunteer page](#) or email ParksVolunteer@Seattle.Gov.
- Paint a fence, rake leaves, or other yard cleanup - especially for an elderly or disabled neighbor.
- Plant a tree or some native plants.
- Organize a neighborhood clean-up.

Organize a neighborhood event:

- Organize a [Block Watch](#), a program of Seattle Police Department.
- Hold a neighborhood food or clothing drive.
- Host a neighborhood potluck, pancake breakfast, or spaghetti feed.
- Organize a [SNAP \(Seattle Neighborhoods Actively Prepared\)](#) group.
- Organize a game, sporting event, block party, or group art project.
- Have a neighborhood treasure hunt.
- Have a book, plant, or cookie exchange.
- Hold a "[Stencil a Storm Drain](#)" party.
- Hold a bake sale for charity or to raise money for a neighborhood project.

Other ideas:

- Have your children color our [Neighbor Day coloring sheet](#) and give it to a neighbor.
- Invite your neighbor to go for a [hike](#) or [bike ride](#) or a walk in your [local park](#).
- Make food and deliver it to your neighbors, or invite them to coffee or over for dinner.
- Stop by your local [Fire station](#) and meet the crew.
- Find other neighbors who play instruments and play music together.

However you choose to participate, please let us know:

- If your event is open to the public, you can post it on our [event calendar](#).
- Share stories of your activities on our social channels: [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#).
- Or, you can email Neighbor Day coordinator Sam Read at sam.read@seattle.gov.

*Share stories of your neighbors and Neighbor Day activities on social media using: **#neighborday***

If you have questions or want to discuss a Neighbor Day idea, feel free to contact Sam Read at sam.read@seattle.gov.