



A Friendly Blitz Can Spark Neighbourhood Connections

Neighbourhoods in Kitchener have enjoyed a Blitz to get started organizing a get-together

During past summers, some neighbourhoods have been blitzed by the Festival of Neighbourhoods Outreach Team whose mission is to promote FoN, its tools and resources to encourage neighbours interested in gathering together. Team members would knock on doors, talk to residents and hand out invitations to simple gatherings. Blitzes encourage neighbours to hold future gatherings.

The Festival of Neighbourhoods Outreach Team is ready this summer to bring the FoN message to new neighbourhoods. They have found over the years that there is a great yearning by people to connect with their neighbours and feel like they belong in their communities. A Neighbourhood Blitz is one way to overcome some of the barriers that make it difficult to reach out, with a simple activity that helps neighbours connect, share a bit of time together, and have fun. Contact Festival of Neighbourhoods if you think that a Neighbourhood Blitz can help you get started with bringing your neighbours together.



2013 Traynor Vanier



2014 Moorgate



2014 Heritage Park



2016 Foxglove Park

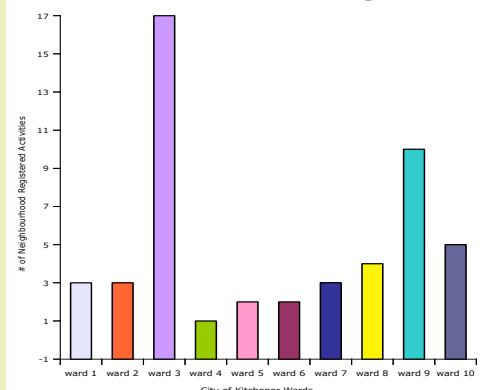
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Billboard

- *Congratulations to King East Neighbourhood, the winners of the June Early Bird prize, a \$50 gift card from a local grocery store. Neighbours came together for a Neighbours Day Party organized by the First Mennonite Church*
- *Register your activity before July 28 to enter the next Early Bird Draw for a chance to win a prize for your next neighbourhood gathering!*

Ward Challenge



Neighbourhood Registrations by Ward as of July 5, 2017
Everyone Wins When Neighbours Come Together!