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*"Building Partnerships with the Community We Serve"*

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## National Night Out 2010

**(Lexington, South Carolina)** On Tuesday, August 3, 2010, neighborhoods across Lexington will turn on porch lights for National Night Out, an annual event promoting neighborhood safety.

National Night Out is an opportunity for neighborhoods across the country to turn on their porch lights, go outside and meet their neighbors. It promotes crime prevention, the prevention of drugs, strengthens neighborhood spirit and police/community relations. It is also an opportunity for neighborhoods to let criminals know that they are organized to ensure the safety and security of their neighborhoods.

Encourage your neighbors to turn on their porch lights, meet with your neighbors for a block party or barbecue and involve kids in making posters and yard signs promoting National Night Out. The Lexington Police Department will be available to participate at your function at your request to discuss crime prevention tips.

To Host a National Night Out Party, meet with your homeowner's association or equivalent and organize with your immediate neighbors for a block party. You may contact the Lexington Police Department's Community Action Team and ask to speak with a C.A.T. team member for their assistance with activities at 803-359-6260 or 803-358-1504.



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