

Street parties



Street parties have a long tradition in this country. They are a great way to meet neighbours, build a sense of community and belonging, and are fun for children who love playing in traffic free streets.

In recent years Oxford has seen more than most other UK cities. Oxford City Council has made them so easy to organise. For small street parties there is no cost for closing a road, and usually there is no need to take out insurance.

Street parties can be held at any time. Obviously Saturday and Sunday afternoons in the warmer months are the most preferred. There is no set date, but nationally there will be many street parties taking place on the weekend of 22 and 23 June which is the '**Great Get Together Weekend**' www.greatgettogether.org/ organised by the Jo Cox Foundation.

Headington Action can provide, at no cost, road closed signs and bunting, and has a few street games available.

If you are interested in organising a street party helpful advice can be found in these websites.

www.oxcivicsoc.org.uk/what-we-do/streets-for-people

www.oxford.gov.uk/info/20146/streets/72/apply_to_hold_a_street_party

www.streetparty.org.uk

For advice or to borrow equipment email headington.action@gmail.com or call 07802215517.



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