

The National Night Out Against Crime is celebrated each year in the York Neighborhood on the second Tuesday in August. The 2007 celebration held August 7 at Nelson's Market had over 60 people enjoying hot dogs and great food. Each year the event brings neighbors together to socialize and meet new neighbors. The event reminds us that knowing your neighbors and watching out for one another is an important part of building a safe and comfortable neighborhood.

For more information about Bellingham's Night Out Against Crime, or to learn more about the Block Watch program, go to the City's website at [http://www.cob.org/documents/police/Sept\\_2007\\_Block\\_Watcher.pdf](http://www.cob.org/documents/police/Sept_2007_Block_Watcher.pdf)

If you are interested in hosting a Block Watch meeting in the York Neighborhood, contact Officer Tara Fleetwood, Crime Prevention Unit of the Bellingham Police Dept., [tfleetwood@cob.org](mailto:tfleetwood@cob.org), or 360-676-6924.