Ten Steps to a Successful Evangelistic Block Party

What is an Evangelistic Block Party?

An Evangelistic Block Party is a <u>community celebration</u> in a neutral environment designed to establish relationships that <u>intentionally connect people to Jesus</u>.

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Four Top Reasons to Do an Evangelistic Block Party

- 1. *The Friendship Factor:* It puts the church where lost people are.
- 2. *The Equipping Factor:* It is on the job training for evangelism.
- 3. *The Network Factor:* It builds stronger networks within the business and civic world.
- 4. The Discipleship Factor: It allows the church to find "sheep without a shepherd."

What are Ten Steps to Success for Your Evangelistic Block Party?

Step # 1 ... Grasp the Vision!

Step # 2... Enlist Your A-Team!

Step # 3... Plan and Pray!

Step # 4... Don't Do It Alone!

Step # 5... Train Every Person as a Missionary!

Step # 6... Have a "Mock" Block Party!

Step # 7... Go Over the Game Plan Again!

Step # 8... Block Party Day... Smiles Everyone!

Step # 9... Remember... Capture the Data!

Step # 10... It's About Follow Up, Saint!

The Lord has done great things for us, and we are filled with joy. Restore our fortunes, Lord, like streams in the desert. Those who sow in tears will reap with songs of joy. He who goes out weeping, carrying seed to sow, will return with songs of joy, carrying sheaves with him.

Psalm 126:3-6