



In the ACT...

The community you want starts at your front door™ and Neighbour Day is Australia's annual celebration of our communities.

Whether for a cuppa, a picnic in the park or a message of support; it's the perfect opportunity to say thanks for being a great neighbour, connect with people who are new in your neighbourhood or come together to feel part of your wider community.

The theme for Neighbour Day 2019 is *'Loneliness - What neighbours can do to create connections.'*

Neighbour Day is officially held on the last Sunday in March, however events can be held on any day in March, with many streets and neighbourhoods across the ACT choosing a different date to celebrate - it's up to you.

You can make Neighbour Day as big or small as you'd like, from a chat with the people next door, to a barbecue with everyone in your street. You can organise a 'bring a plate' street party, a neighbourhood game of cricket on the local oval, host a party on your front lawn or meet your neighbours for afternoon tea in the local park.

The options are endless and to help you get started we have created a special ACT Neighbour Day invitation and postcards for you to use to connect with your neighbours. Just fill in the details and invite your neighbours to celebrate what's great about your community.

If you want more tips to help you plan your Neighbour Day event check out neighbourday.org and you are also welcome to register your participation online.

You can also connect with Neighbour Day via Twitter, Facebook or Instagram and share the plans for your event. We'd love to see how your neighbourhood celebrates what it means to be part of your community.

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