

Dear Napoleon Road residents,

As you know, the Street has agreed to a 'Napoleon Road Summer street party' on **Saturday 4**<sup>th</sup> **September from 4pm until 9pm**.

Given all we know about the last 18 months, we did not want to plan anything too 'organised' as the party could yet be cancelled if Government restrictions are reimposed (fingers crossed they are not).

## This is what we have organised:

- 4 6pm: Various kids' activities including street quiz, pavement chalk art, musical statues and wellie wanging! These will be aimed at children aged between 4 – 10 years old.
- 6pm: The local ice-cream van will arrive at 6pm at the top of the street you will still have to pay for the ice-cream, but it will be close-by!
- 6 9pm: BYO food and drink. If you want to make food or drinks to share (with the street or direct neighbours), you are very welcome to, but any food and drink made by others is consumed using your own common sense (ie. ask if you have allergies, or whether the drink contains alcohol etc).
- An amplifier will be situated towards the school end of the street. If you would like
  to contribute songs, please visit Spotify (<a href="www.spotify.com">www.spotify.com</a>) and search for the
  'Napoleon Road Summer Social 2021' playlist (you do not need a paid account to add
  songs).
- The street will be zoned (see below) to help people mingle!

## What we would like you to do:

- <u>Please move and park your car in another street by (at the latest) 9am on Saturday</u> morning.
- Please let any builders know they can't park in the street and please re-organise any deliveries / avoid Saturday afternoon for supermarket deliveries.
- If you want to socialise over some food, bring a folding table and chairs out onto the street by 3pm and place between houses 19/20 and 34/35 (down the middle of the street – see picture below).
- Buy a 'Get to know you BINGO card' on the day (c. £3 £5) to help recover the costs
  of closing the street.
- Volunteer for one of the jobs on the reverse side of this page!

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Ice-cream truck (6pm) / space for deliveries

Tables and chairs – eating, drinking!

Kids zone & being MERRY zone (ie. music and dance!)

## Volunteer jobs and suggested volunteers (leaders in brackets)

- Kids games (Wendy)
  - o #25, #27, #29, #41
- Putting up bunting 10am Saturday (Gareth)
  - o Gareth will come knocking to ask you to string from your balcony...
- Helping people bring table and chairs out around 3pm (Louisa & Chrissie)
  - o Anyone who offered to help on the day!
- Selling 'Get to know you' Bingo cards
  - Jack #27, Paddy # 30
- Bins and cleaning (Louisa and Chrissie)
  - Anyone who offered to help on the day please put out a bin for any rubbish if you can
  - All rubbish needs to be cleared that night to avoid fox visits and to comply with the Council guidelines for street parties.
- Music Tech (Nominally Gareth!!)
  - Tim #47 and Louisa #10.
  - o Extra help may be needed on the day....please contact Gareth directly
- Piano/ Singalong (Yolande #48 plus Simon #20 if around)
  - o Anyone else?
  - O Volunteer to help piano shifting Dan #41?
- Table tennis or any other street games (Gareth)
  - Any offers please contact Gareth
- Making people welcome
  - All especially for new arrivals

If you have any questions or would like to add your name to help on the day with any of the above tasks, please drop the job leader a message on Whatsapp.

We can't wait to see you all on the 4th,

Gareth (#48), Wendy (#27), Chrissie (#11) and Lou (#10)