

WHOA National Night Out 2018



As stated on City of Plano website, “National Night Out (NNO) is an annual event hosted by the [National Association of Town Watch](#) and occurs the first Tuesday in October. The Plano Police Department participates in National Night Out and is proud of the commitment our community has to this program.”

“The primary purpose of National Night Out is to get neighbors to leave their front porch lights on, showing their support with their local police departments in the fight against crime. Neighbors are encouraged to get out of their houses and meet other neighbors in the area and get to know them. The theory being that if neighbors meet and get to know each other, they are more apt to report suspicious activity in their neighborhood rather than “look the other way” when they see something noteworthy. When you know your neighbors and watch out for them, overall crime in the area is reduced.”



Whiffletree HOA has proudly participated in NNO for several years to encourage neighbors to meet neighbors as well as police and fire personnel. On October 2, there were 68 Whiffletree neighbors at NNO, which was held at Prairie Meadow Park and catered by Hutchins BBQ. We also hosted visits from a number of Plano Police, including Plano Chief of Police, Gregory Rushin, Sergeant Wes Gerig, Crime Prevention, and numerous other officers and Fire Department personnel.

We want to thanks Jerry Smith for his tireless work to make NNO a success and for all our neighbors who joined us and the Plano Police and Fire personnel.