

This year the Groton Town Police Department, along with our community, is hosting its fifth annual **National Night Out**. The **National Night Out** is “America’s Night Out Against Crime”. The date for this year’s event is Tuesday, **August 5, 2014 at Poquonock Plains Park 150 Fort Hill Road in Groton. The event will begin at 5:00 pm and end at 8:00 pm.**



The purpose of the **National Night Out** is to:

- \*Promote emergency and disaster preparedness
- \*Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness
- \*Generate support for, and participation in local anticrime programs
- \*Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships
- \*Send a message to criminals letting them know that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back