

BEACH BBQ EVENT



Decide on the day.

It is a good idea to allow plenty of time for publicity to get out. British weather can be difficult, decide ahead of time if you will have a wet weather alternative or be clear about suitable clothing if wet/cold. Winter BBQ's can be fun too!

Decide on the beach.

Sand is good for beach ball games. Rocks are great for hiding games, make sure risk assessments are carried out sufficiently and first aid on hand for cuts and falls

Decide on the time.

Times will be subject to the tide. Check tide times. Low tide is good for running beach games and High tide is a good point to have the food as it naturally gathers young people together. Some beaches disappear at high tide - so check!

Decide on your budget.

Are you going to charge to recoup funds?

Decide on the food.

Burgers and sausages are fine. Don't forget to check for allergies - some seeded baps for example. Decide on what drinks you are offering - always buy good brands and spend a bit more on decent food

Decide on the games.

There are loads of ideas online

Decide on the worship.

One of our key objectives is to help Young People explore faith. Prepare good worship - involve your young people with this. Include an engaging short talk

Decide on publicity.

Eventbrite is an easy-to-use platform to advertise and record who is coming. Word of mouth is the best method and blast the event through your social media outlets. Old school posters can be useful too

Risk Assessment - Legal and necessary

It is a legal responsibility to be safe and consider the suitability of our ministry. You can download a generic risk assessment here that will help you carry out your activity specific assessment