

# Summer 2013 Newsletter

## What's been going on:

On Saturday, June 15th Brunnen had its second Block-Party. This year the sun was shining and we estimated that over 300 people from Brunnsbo came to join in the fun. This year we added a second jumping castle, a second partytent, and a prayer tent for those who wanted prayer. We also had some people from Brunnen share live music. There were kid games, face-painting, coffee, hotdogs, conversation, and a chance to meet people from the area. Over 30 volunteers came to help Brunnen serve the people in Brunnsbo and we are

very thankful, because this gave us the opportunity to mingle and meet people.

One of greatest things about the block-party this year was seeing just how much it means to people in Brunnsbo, and even better seeing acquaintances become friends.

This is what Aaron had to say about the block-party: "My parents were at the blockparty this year and while there I heard a lady from the neighborhood introduce herself to my dad as a friend of mine. She was the first person we met from the

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Brunnsbo area and now she is calling herself a friend. You know that God is really moving when people begin to open themselves for friendship."

# Thanks & Prayer:

• Praise God for a wonderful Block-Party and pray that the contacts we got would grow.

• Pray for the Kid's Days this summer. Pray for good weather and good connection with the families of Brunnsbo.

• This fall Brunnen will be doing Alpha. Pray that the relationships we have with people will become relationships with God.



### What are you guys doing next?

When Brunnen started, we longed for a church community that was founded on relationships-a relationship with God and relationship with other people. Therefore, we encouraged people in Brunnen to meet often in their DNA small groups (2-3 people) and with larger gatherings every other week. But now people in Brunnen are wanting something more. That is why Brunnen will have large gatherings every Sunday this coming fall. We will have a communion service, a cell-group (with dinner), a worship night, & another cell-group gathering. You're welcome to come!