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Be a good neighbour

10 good neighbour tips, as advised by the National Neighbourhood Watch Association:

1. Offer to keep an eye on your neighbour's home if they are going away, and invite them to do the same for you
2. If you trust your neighbour, give them a key while you are away on holiday so that they can come in to draw your curtains after dark, collect your post, and even turn lights on and off to make your home appear occupied. Offer to do the same for your neighbour
3. Ask your neighbour to push your post and any papers through your letter box while you are away, and do the same for them
4. Arrange for someone from your local police station to give a talk to elderly or other vulnerable residents
5. Use your security equipment (e.g. security lights, burglar alarm, car alarm or CCTV) responsibly so that you do not disturb or infringe upon your neighbour
6. Keep an eye out for your elderly neighbours – the group at most risk from Bogus Callers
7. Make an effort to get to know your neighbours – starting a Neighbourhood Watch scheme is an ideal way to do this
8. If you see someone acting suspiciously in your neighbourhood, contact the local police
9. If you witness a crime or have any information that may help the police then call Crimestoppers confidentially on 0800 555 111
10. Offer to do a good deed for your neighbour from time to time.