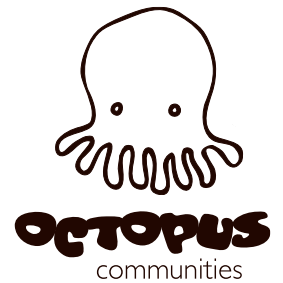


I love my  
community  
centre

COMMUNITY CENTRES  
are full of energetic, inspiring  
people, offer creative  
spaces to let imaginations  
run wild, and have great  
facilities too.



WE'RE SURE you can come  
up with loads of ideas to get your  
community participating  
in and celebrating  
COMMUNITY CENTRE WEEKUK,  
but here are our  
TOP TIPS - just to  
get you  
started.

### 1. SPREAD THE WORD.

On social media tell your followers about the campaign, ask them to participate and don't forget to always use #loveyourcc and @CCWeekUK.

### 2. FIRE UP SOME COMPETITION.

Run an inter-generational activity to design CCWeekUK t-shirts, cloth bags or tea towels that carry messages to say why community centres are loved. Add a bit of competition and offer prizes for the best in each category. Don't forget to post your pictures on social media, and give your cloth creation to someone you love!

### 3. SHARE MESSAGES.

Jazz up your tree, fence or wall. Encourage your local community to write messages on bunting hung around your centre (or provide the materials to create your own), supply the materials (ribbons, labels), to create a message tree. Not got a tree? - then use a fence, not got a fence ... you must have a wall!

### 4. GET CREATIVE.

Encourage your choir, poetry or singing group to come up with a unique CCWeekUK song, poem or short story that sums up what they love about community centres. Post pictures or videos on Facebook or Twitter - to inspire others and share the love!

### 5. ORGANISE A BBQ OR TEA DANCE.

No description needed - there's always more than one good reason to have a get-together and throw a few shapes on the dance floor!

### 6. CREATE AN EXHIBITION.

Encourage your community to bring along personal stories about the neighbourhood or the community centre and share old photos that capture key point in time. Post your exhibition and key stories online.

### 7. HAVE A BAKE-OFF.

What's better than having a bake-off competition to celebrate what we love about community centres - just how creative can people get with the logo, the @CCWeekUK or #loveyourcc? Organize a competition for the most creative or imaginative bake. Post your pictures on Facebook and Twitter.

### 8. CREATE A POP UP PARK.

Create your own pop up park, indoors or out, organize a picnic, make kites (carrying the @CCWeekUK and #loveyourcc) - encourage everyone to bring something to create their own unique park for the day- or the entire week!

### 9. PHOTO EXHIBITION AND COMPETITION.

Encourage your young people to take photos or make a short film that sum up what their community centre means to them, ask them to create and host an exhibition or a screening, and post their creations on Facebook and Twitter.

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CCWeekUK  
your own!

Celebrate!

Participate!

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