



## Global PicNic for Peace

### Global PicNic for Peace around the world!

The very first Amsterdam Global Picnic was an interfaith and intercultural event that took place on Sunday, June 14, 2009, in Oosterpark, Amsterdam, The Netherlands. It was organized as a picnic where people of diverse cultures, religions and backgrounds came together to celebrate connection and stimulate dialogue, among other things, by sharing food. Something that all faiths have in common. This event was and is all about peace, diversity, and living together, with diverse encounters, food to share, music & dance, activities for young and old. Click here for a YouTube video that gives an impression of [Global PicNic Amsterdam](#) in June 2009.

The next [Global PicNic for Peace is in Oosterpark, Amsterdam East, The Netherlands](#) around the Music Dome on Sunday, September 28 2025 between 13:00hrs and 17:00hrs. People 'round the world are invited join in and create Global PicNic 's for Peace on squares and in parks or wherever you feel is appropriate. Community knows best! #fromspacetoplace

During 2025, the Peace Meal Amsterdam East was already held 3 times, with an ever-growing number of diverse intercultural partners. The intention of Global PicNic for Peace is to bring as many people and organizations around the world together under the banner of brotherhood and sisterhood. Everyone is welcome to join in. Global PicNic for Peace around the world is not an initiative of any particular organization, but belongs to all citizens in in the world who feel called upon to express that we are all brothers and sisters.

For the first time now we do go Global as Global PicNic for Peace. Global PicNic is dedicated to connection, peace, and freedom, and brings people from all backgrounds together to share food, share stories, and reflect on the value of freedom. It is an accessible way to engage in conversation with each other in the Park, in your home cities and towns around the World, about themes such as Community, inclusion, respect, and of course Peace. We invite all of you who feel they have any connection with the goals expressed by Global PicNic for Peace and who advocate the brotherhood and sisterhood of all people, especially now, to organize and/or participate in your own Global PicNic for Peace Now. Participating is easy. Global PicNic is based on Bring Your Own Food (Potluck). Everyone who can, brings food and we/you share it . So even if you just bring a banana, you are a participant. If for some reason this is not possible, you are still welcome! If you feel that you or an organization you are affiliated with can make a larger contribution to Global PicNic for Peace (singing and dancing, for example, but preferably not too many speeches), you are cordially invited to do so. We hope you will join in your parks and squares around the world on Sunday, September 28, 2025 or at another date of course. **Let's always use the Name : Global PicNic for Peace** and connect all of our Global PicNics forPeace via Zoom or Teams or a similar where possible. Use the free open source logo/image. Next Page)

To get started now: see Global Picnic for Peace around the world in 10 simple steps on next page. We look forward to: NewYork Global PicNic for Peace, Mexico City PicNic for Peace, Paris, GlobalPicNic for Peace, Global Pic Nic for Peace Toronto and many, many more...

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### Start Global Picnic for Peace around the world in 10 simple steps

1. Get inspired by the Global Picnic for Peace (see: the first page)
2. Create your own dream and adapt the event to your region: when (preferably Sun Sep 28, 2025), where and what?
3. Use your network, everybody may contribute in their own way.
4. If in a public place and if necessary: get permission from the city.
5. Jumpstart your media power with logo, press releases, video scripts, tips & tricks, [online presence](#), planning, see Logo and name
6. Seek some funding or sponsorship (not much, just to cover some basics)
7. Push endorsement (local influentials, artists, media etc.) and spread the word:  
\*The Global Picnic for Peace is coming to town!\*
8. Arrange logistics (toilets, market stalls, signing, stage, PA etc.)
9. Create appealing content: what's happening here? (who's bringing what?, confirmed performances etc.)
10. Make peace & have fun!

Good Luck with your initiatives and do keep in touch.



*Please always use above logo and name*

Global PicNic “insert your city”