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Public policy

## **This is where the Easter bonfires in Bocholt burn on Sunday**

**On Sunday, 31 March, a long-standing tradition will be continued in Bocholt: A total of eight Easter bonfires will be lit in various parts of the city. These events, which are organised by local clubs and parishes, are an integral part of Easter customs in the region.**

According to the case law of the Higher Administrative Court of North Rhine-Westphalia, traditional bonfires are characterised by the fact that they are organised "by religious communities, organisations or associations anchored in the local community and are open to everyone as part of public events".

These events not only offer the opportunity to celebrate Easter in a communal atmosphere, but also strengthen the sense of togetherness within the community.

There will be traditional bonfires at the following locations on Easter Sunday:

## Liederner Straße / Werther Straße

KLJB Liedern-Herzebocholt

## Bussardweg

TSV Bocholt

## Volmeringsweg / Alter Postweg

Parish of St George

## Am Marienplatz

Mussum village community

## Steggenkamp

Parish of St Ludgerus Spork

## Winterswijker Street

RV Barlo-Bocholt

## Auf dem Brande

Demming-Busch hunting co-operative

## Krüsallee

"Vor dessem Boorle" Verein für Heimatpflege e.V.