

Name _____



Make Mine Plain, Please

Scott and his family are packing up the van for a picnic at the park with some of their neighbors. It is a lovely, summer day, and everyone is very excited to be going on this special outing. There will be games to play like baseball, soccer, and capture the flag. The park has a pool where they can splash, swim, and cool off. Scott's older brother is organizing some water relay races and bringing a volleyball set for the pool. It all sounds like amazing fun.

The neighborhood moms have planned a delicious lunch and dinner to eat at the park. There are grills at the picnic sites for roasting hot dogs and hamburgers. Scott's mom is bringing ketchup, mustard, pickle relish, onions, cheese, and other toppings for the hot dogs. His family members will pile their hot dogs and burgers high, but Scott will just pass by all those toppings. When his dad gives him his hot dog fresh off the grill, he will plop it into the bun and take a big bite...no toppings for Scott. He says they just hide the yummy flavor of his favorite picnic food.

1. Scott's family is preparing for a picnic in the _____.
(back yard, park, neighbor's yard)

2. One of the games they will play at the park is _____.
(golf, tennis, baseball)

3. Scott's _____ is organizing water relay races for the park pool.
(brother, sister, neighbor)

4. The picnic sites at the park have grills for _____ hamburgers.
(freezing, roasting, boiling)

5. Scott's favorite picnic food is the _____.
(hot dog, hamburger, pickle relish)