

# A-Z List

## Fundraising Ideas



**Here's a Thought...**

To get big things you  
have to begin with  
little things.

~ Lord Baden Powell

**A** afternoon tea, auction, abseil, aerobics night, arts and crafts sales, arm wrestling, art exhibition.

**B** bag packing, bake sale, baby sitting, barn dance, band night, BBQ, beer tent, bingo, balloon release, bungee jump, beard shave, beat the goalie, bike ride.

**C** car wash, car boot sale, cleaning for neighbours, cake sale, Christmas tree recycling, coffee morning, carol singing, charity ball, coin collection, clothes swap, comedy night, Christmas present wrapping.

**D** dog walking, disco, darts match, dress down days, dress up days, dry month, dates on a calendar, danceathon, dance-off.

**"The secret to change is to focus all of your energy not on fighting the old, but on building the new."**

~Socrates

**E** egg throwing competition, eating competition, Easter egg hunt, endurance running, exercise, egg and spoon races, expeditions, expert talks, entertainment show.

**F** firework displays, fairs, fetes, face painting, football match, five-a-side tournament, fancy dress day, film night, fun run, fun day, Facebook fundraiser.

**G** games night, golf tournament, guess the weight of the cake, guess the name of the teddy, give something up, garden party, gardening service, guess the number of sweets in the jar.

**H** Halloween party, hot dog stall, head shave, hiking challenge, hairdressing, hair growing.

**I** ice cream stand, ice cream tasting, it's a knockout, international evening, indoor sports, indoor market, ice bucket challenge, indoor rowing challenge, iron man challenge.

**J** jumble sale, jam making, jazz night, jewellery selling, jungle trek, junk selling, jewellery making, jog-athon, James Bond party, joke-athon, jigsaw marathon.

**K** keepy-upy challenge, karate tournament, kick a habit, karaoke night, knitting and selling, kite flying, kayaking.

**"Be happy with what you have while working for what you want."**

~Helen Keller

**L**emonade stand,  
line dancing, leg  
waxing (sponsored),  
loose change collection,  
lent challenge, loud tie day.

**O**pen mic night,  
own uniform day,  
obstacle course,  
office Olympics, old clothes  
collection, odd jobs,  
overseas challenges, open  
gardens event.

**Q**uiz, quiet day,  
quiff competition,  
quirky clothes day  
(ie. odd socks), Quidditch  
tournament, quit drinking.

**T**ombola, tuck shop,  
treasure hunt or  
trail, tea and coffee  
selling, tug-of-war, talent  
show, 24 hour challenge,  
tea party, table top sale.

**W**hack the  
rat, waxing,  
wear it pink/  
purple/etc, walk to work,  
world record attempt,  
wine tasting, walk, window  
cleaning, wrestling event.

**y**es day, yacht race, yoyo competition,  
yoga session/yoga marathon, yodelling,  
year- selling dates on a calendar.

**M**asquerade  
ball, murder  
mystery  
night, match day  
collection, minute-  
to-win-it night, movie  
marathon, magic show,  
music concert, mini  
Olympics.

**“Fundraising is the  
gentle art of teaching  
the joy of giving.”**  
~Hank Rosso

**R**ace night,  
raffle, rounders  
tournament,  
restaurant night, read-  
athon, running.

**U**ndies on top  
day, university  
challenge,  
unwanted present sale,  
used stamp collection,  
uniform free days,  
unusual shoes day.

**“No one has  
ever become  
poor from  
giving.”**  
~Anne Frank

**N**o make-up selfie,  
new year's party,  
nature trail, name  
the baby, netball tournament,  
nearly new sale, new year's  
resolutions- get sponsored to  
keep them, non-uniform day,  
noodle sucking races.

**P**lant sale, present  
wrapping, poker night,  
paint balling, physical  
challenge, penalty shoot out,  
pool competition, pamper  
evening, pancake races,  
photography competition.

**S**kydive, swear box,  
smarties tubes (fill  
them with 20p/£1  
coins), sweepstake, sponsored  
silence, street party, singing,  
silent auction, sports day,  
sponge throw, swimathon,  
salsa dancing.

**V**ariety show, value  
dinner, vintage sale  
volleyball match.

**X**'x' marks the spot  
(treasure hunt/trail),  
xmas craft fair, e-X-  
treme sports.

**Z**ipwire, zumba night, Zzzzz- sleep  
out, zumbathon, zoo day, zodiac  
reading.

**Remember:** always make it clear what you are raising funds for and keep people updated with your progress, it's always nice to know how your contribution (however big or small) has helped!