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A-Z of Fundraising

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Ask. Personally approach your friends, family, colleagues, neighbours—everyone you know to donate.

B

BBQ. Host a BBQ. Who can resist a sausage on bread! Get sausages and bread donated.

C

Coffee. Offer to do the coffee run for your office and charge a commission for the effort.

D

Dog Walking. Get some exercise and raise money at the same time. Offer your services as the neighbour dog walker.

E

Email. Personalise emails to your network. Greet them by their first name and be sure to mention something specific about your relationship to them.

F

Free Dress Day. Organise a free dress day at work or school and charge a fee for entrants. Offer a prize for best dressed.

G

Guessing game. Guess the number of Iollies in a jar. Charge per guess.

Н

Hobby. Turn your hobbies into a fundraiser. Your baking, jewellery-making, photography or web building skills can be turned into \$.

Italian feast. Invite your friend to be Italian for an evening with pizza, pasta and gelato for a good cause.

J

Jogging. Set a training regime and ask your friends to donate for each KM you achieve.

K

Karaoke. Hold a night where people can sing along to all their favourite songs.

Luncheon. Invite everyone in your workplace, school or friends and family to a community lunch.

M

Matched giving. Ask your workplace to match \$ for the amount you raise. Double the impact of your efforts!

N

Numbers board. Create a 100 board, sell each square for \$10, the winner gets \$500 and \$500 for your fundraising.

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Odd jobs. Charge a fee to do handyman odd jobs around your local area.

P

Party. Throw a party and ask your friends to come along and make a donation.

Q

Quiz night. Host a quiz night. Who doesn't love a little trivia?

R

Raffle. Ask a local business you know to donate a prize. Sell raffle tickets at work or school.

S

Sport. Get active and host a golf tournament, tennis round robin, bowls day, or darts night.

Т

Tea party. Morning or afternoon tea is so much better with homemade cup cakes and cookies.

U

Uniform. Organise a causal dress day at your child's school.

V

Virtual challenge. Virtual walk, run, swim or row the equivalent distance of a marathon or trek without leaving the gym.

W

Wine and cheese. Knock off early on Friday afternoon with wine and cheese tasting at the office.

X

X-ercise. Ask your local gym to organise a work-out-a-thon.

Y

Yard sale. Have a spring clean and sell off all your unwanted goods. One person's trash is another person's treasure!

Z

Zest. Your enthusiasm, passion and creativity for your fundraising will inspire all those around you!