



Organise a Special Event

A

Auction: clothing, household goods or even favours, such as washing someone's car.

B

Barefoot Lawn Bowls: A set entry fee covers food, green fees and any extra goes towards your fundraising effort.

Bingo Night: Why not organise a game of bingo with friends, family or amongst a local community group!



Book Sale: Ask family and friends to bring books or magazines they'll never read again. You can sell them to each other or set up a stall in a local market.

Bowling night: Get friends together for a bowling night, charge an entry fee to cover costs plus a little extra. Give the night a theme to make it more fun.

C

Cake Stall: Always a winner on the weekends. Contact your local shopping centre/mall, community centre for permission to set up.

Casual Day: Through your workplace or local school (gold coin donation). Other ideas include 'crazy tie day' or 'loud shirt day', fancy dress theme days.



Chocolate Drives: A tasty way to raise funds!

D

Darts Tournament: Organise a night playing darts. Challenge all the pub teams in the area to compete for cash prizes or a slab of beer, and ask the pub to donate!

Dollar for dollar: Ask your employer or local business to match all the donations you have raised.

E

Easter egg hunt: Charge an entry fee and ask confectioners to donate the eggs.



F

Fashion show: Ask local shops to help with garments, get your friends to be models. Charge for entry and obtain a commission on any goods sold.

Fine Box/Swear Jar: Do you have work mates who constantly let expletives slip? A fine box is a great way to raise money.

G

Garage Sale: A great way to clear your house of unwanted items.

Give it up: Get sponsored to give up chocolate, caffeine or your favourite afternoon snack for a month.



Guessing Competition: How many lollies in a jar? (gold coin donation).

H

Household Sale: Hold a household party and ask a group of friends to bring along old house items or appliances they no longer use to sell to each other.

I

International Theme Night: Cook and sell traditional dishes. You can also play music or show a film from the country featured.



J

Jump rope: Be sponsored for how many times you can jump rope.

K

Karaoke night: Everyone loves to sing! The most entertaining act can win a prize. Charge a small fee for participation and admission.





L

Lawn bowls: Join your friends or workmates for a day out on the green, charging for entry of course.

M



Morning Tea: Set up a morning tea, lunch or afternoon tea at work in exchange for a contribution towards your fundraising goal.

N

Night at the races: Organise an evening with famous races on video. Elect a bookie and raise money from bets and entries.



O

Odd job Day: Offer your services to your family and neighbours for a day. Charge them for you to do all the odd jobs they haven't got around to yet.

P

Poker night: Get your friends around and donate a percentage of the winnings towards your fundraising efforts or charge for chips.



Q

Quiz night: Test your general knowledge or persuade your local pub to donate takings from a regular quiz night.

R

Raffle: Get prizes donated and raffle them off.

S

Sausage sizzle: Cook up a storm on your BBQ and charge a fee for each sausage/ meal sold.



T

Tour: organise a day or weekend tour for friends and family. Organise transport, accommodation and activities. Local businesses should arrange a discount for your group and charge a set price, some of which goes towards your fundraising.



U

Ugly duckling competition: Bring in a couple of snaps of yourself from twenty years ago and hold a photo competition.

V

Video-a-thon: Instead of going to the movies for a marathon session why not hold your own at home?



W

Walk-a-thon: Get active - have a walk and ask your friends and family to sponsor you per kilometre.

Wine and cheese night: It's a great way to host a gathering of friends in a relaxed atmosphere.

X

Xmas hampers: Make up and sell your own Christmas hampers.

Y

Yoyo Challenge: Collect money for the number of minutes you can keep a trick going or for the number of tricks you can perform in a certain time.

Z

Z-night: Host a theme party where people have to dress up as things starting with z.

