

Fundraising ideas

Our top fundraising ideas which you can use at **work**, with **friends** and **family** or in your local **community**



Bake sale

Liam O'Shea organised an Easter bake sale at his workplace and raised an incredible £461.82!

Open house afternoon

If you have an idea for an event but are not sure of a venue, remember you can always use your house or garden! Open your house to friends and neighbours in your community and ask them each to make a donation at the entrance or donations at stalls & activities inside. You can even try asking a local supermarket to donate food and drink to keep your costs at a minimum!

Non-uniform / Fancy dress day

At your school or workplace, charge everyone £2 to dress up for the day.

Quiz night Simply charge entry per person or per team. Most pubs or bars will let you use the venue for free under the condition that guests will be purchasing drinks from the bar!

Therapy evening

Carolyn Turner held a therapy evening for her friends and neighbours and raised a wonderful £180. Therapies included massages and nail treatments.



Gala Dinner

For those of you who like to party and have an excuse to dress up! This could be a black tie dinner with entertainment and an auction.

Kerri Lee held a charity ball to raise awareness and support for Chiari Malformation, a neuro condition that her sister suffers from. She held it in her local hotel in Southend-On-Sea and raised an amazing £7,890. The owner of the hotel was so impressed he ended up donating the cost of the venue!

Raffle or auction

Adding a raffle or auction to your event is a great way to raise a few more pennies and pounds. Approach local businesses for prizes to give away, you'll be surprised how generous they are! We can provide you with an official fundraising authorisation letter.

Zumbathon If you already attend a Zumba, Pilates or Yoga class, ask the teacher if you can hold a Zumbathon one day. Or hold your own in your local community centre or school. Get your friends involved and ask people to sponsor you. How long will you be able to dance for?!

Vintage tea party

Gavin Tovey and his sister organised a vintage tea party in their garden and raised £150 by charging small amounts for tea, cake and other summer fare activities!



Leg waxing A simple and easy activity to inflict upon male work colleagues! Simply get sponsored or charge colleagues £2 a go.

Jail Break Popular with work colleagues or student RAG groups. Simply get as far away as you can in 36 hours, by any means, without spending any money. A lot of people get to European locations, but some do make it as far away as Morocco and Thailand!

Masquerade Ball

Add a bit of drama to your ball by asking everyone to wear a mask!

Tennis tournament

Get your friends and colleagues to pay a small amount to take part in a tennis tournament, a great fun summer activity!



Music gig

Are you a keen musician or perhaps you know someone who is? Simon Hensley organised a gig in Leicester for locally signed bands and raised £950!

Car boot sale

Do you have lots of pre-loved items hanging around? Find out when your local car boot sale is and book a spot! A great, easy way to de-clutter and raise money!

Car washing

Hold a car washing service and charge £5 to clean the outside and £10 to clean the outside and inside.

Matched giving

Many organisations offer matched giving to their employees. Whatever you raise by running, cycling, baking or quizzing can be doubled! Find out if your company offers this.

Golf tournament

If you or someone you know is a member of a golf club, ask for a date to hold your own tournament and charge for individual or team entry!

