

FUNDRAISING IDEAS



**DRAGON BOAT
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THE RACE WITH A MISSION

NEED IDEAS TO HELP WITH FUNDRAISING?

Below you will find 10 easy ways to get started.

Simply Ask

Use your fundraising website as a tool! There is an email template that you can send to all of your contacts. If you don't ask, you don't know if someone will help support you.

Change Jar

Keep it simple and have a donation jar on your desk for people to drop change in.

Team T-Shirt Sale

Order your event day t-shirts early and sell them to family, friends, and co-workers.

Pancake Breakfast or Spaghetti Dinner

Talk to local restaurants, schools, or churches to see if you can hold a pancake breakfast or spaghetti dinner at their location. People love to enjoy a delicious meal for a good cause.

Car Wash

Advertise and set up a car wash with permission of a local business or church. You can also set up a barbecue or lemonade stand for everyone to enjoy as their cars are being cleaned.

Silent Auction

Ask groups from the community to donate various items (gift baskets, skateboards, sports equipment, music, etc.) and sell away.

Burger or Chili Cook-Off

Invite the community to participate in the tried-and-true burger or chili cook-off. Charge \$5 for guests to get a taste of these delicious recipes and be sure to vote for the Champion Burger or Chili Chef of 2018!

Letter Writing Day

Gather your friends to write letters to local businesses requesting that they sponsor you for this year's KARM Dragon Boat Festival. Be sure to include a little information about yourself, such as why you care about the homeless and how they can help you make a difference in the lives of those staying at KARM.

Potluck Lunch

Charge \$5 for employees to participate in a potluck lunch. Make it fun with door prizes and contests that would raise money for your team.

Jeans Day

Have to wear formal business clothes to work everyday? Have a Jeans Day and have employees pay \$5 to wear jeans.