

Fund-raising ideas A – Z



Have fun, make new friends and support Feed The Children (UK) at the same time with a fund-raising event.

Try one of these ideas for your event—or let us know about your winning ideas to add to the list.

Auction of promises

Art competition

Athletics

Assault course

Auctions – silent or otherwise

Austerity lunch

Apple bobbing

Bad Tie day

Balloon race

Barbecue

Barn Dance

Bazaar

Beard or head shave

Bed Race

Bike Ride

Bingo

Black tie bowling: formal dress from waist up, anything else from waist down. Prizes for best costume.

Bouncy castle

Bring and Buy

Cake sale

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Car boot sale

Carol singing

Car rally

Car wash

Cheese and wine

Christmas grotto

Coffee morning/evening

Fun run: keep fit and help needy children.

The annual Peppard 10K Fun Run raises a substantial amount for Feed The Children and gets bigger every year.



Concert

Craft Fayre

Cricket

Cash Prize Game – guess the last 3 digits of a banknote

Dances

Darts competition

Duck Race

Dieting

Dress Down Day

Dog stay

Expeditions

Easter Egg Hunt

Egg and Spoon Race

Fancy dress

Guess the weight of ... the cake, sack of sweets, your teacher, the boss...

Gymkhana

Garden party

Halloween

House cleaning

Hawaiian evening

Hook a duck

It's a Knockout

Jobs about the house

Jogging

Jumble sale

Jail breaks

Karaoke evening

Limbo dancing



Face painting:

Always popular with younger children, especially as part of a fun day out. Use the creative skills within your organisation.

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Marathon
 Mufti days
 Murder mystery evening
 Music quiz

Musical recitals – invite a local celebrity, or use the talents within your school, company, church or club.

Name the teddy bear

Obstacle race

One Price Sale

Odd Sock Day

P for a wee – charge to use the loo

Pack & carry shopping at a local supermarket (ask for the manager's permission first!).

Plant sale

Pool competition

Painting competition

Quizzes

Race Night

Ransom – kidnap your colleagues' desk mascots and hold to ransom.*

Raffles:

Well-known quilt makers Sally Bramald and Pauline Saunderson donated a number of beautiful hand-made quilts. The raffle raised over £3000.



Three legged race

Tombolas

Treasure hunt

Tug of War

Theme Party or disco – pyjamas, cowboys and Indians, 70s, 80s, etc.

Walking

Window cleaning

Welly throwing

Walking dogs

Wet sponge throwing

Xylophone playing

Yard of ale

ZZZ - sleepover

Ransom (2) – plant a tacky garden ornament in a colleague's, or church member's front garden. Leave a note to say that it's a fiver to take it away, a tenner to plant it in someone else's garden.*

Recycling — ask Feed The Children for a supply of envelopes to recycle printer ink cartridges.

(Sponsored) Silence

Silent auction

Slave auction

Snooker

Stop smoking

(Sponsored) Swimming

Talent contest

Tennis

** Discretion essential. Don't try with anyone you know is hard up, elderly or has no sense of humour! Works well within a work, church or club group.*

Penny Power:

At Long Lane Primary School, Tilehurst, the year groups compete to see who can collect the most pennies. They raised nearly £800 for the tsunami appeal. Scott Bennett received a certificate on behalf of the school.



Ask Feed The Children (UK) for:

Speakers (subject to staff availability)

Posters

Leaflets

Help with PR and marketing of your event

Donation envelopes

Collecting tins

Collecting buckets

Lapel Stickers