

Fantastic Fundraising Ideas for FAFS!

Here are a few ideas out of the norm, but fun to do!

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PET PARADE FUNDRAISER

Why have a regular fashion show when you can give it a twist? Create a fun event for pet owners by hosting a pet pageant. Find an animal friendly park. Make a "runway" one weekend afternoon. Make flyers and pass them around town. Have judges award prizes – you can make sashes in lots of different categories: Silliest Pet, Sleepiest Pet, shortest pet, furiest pet, etc. Charge \$5 for participants.

BALLOON-O-GRAM FUNDRAISER

It's a telegram with balloons. This fundraiser can run all year long. (Mother's Day, Father's Day, Get Well Soon, Thinking of You, etc.) Anyone can order a balloon-o-gram anytime. The deliverer would take a bunch of five to six balloons, a card and possibly sing a song for the receiver. The balloons could be color coded: Red is love, Blue is Get Well Soon, Yellow is etc. The club can determine the price.

DINNER FOR A WEEK

See if you can get 7 restaurants to donate a dinner for two (2) and raffled off a week of eating out. See if you can sell 100 tickets at \$30 each and the lucky winner gets to eat out every night for a week.

RENT-A-PUPPY

A club member can contact the Humane Society or shelter and ask them if they could come out to your venue of choice, and bring a bunch of puppies that you could "borrow" for five (5) hours. Distribute flyers all over and make a Facebook Event group. Make advertisements like, Do you love puppies? Can't have a puppy at this time? Come Rent-A-Puppy to play with for 30 min. Bring your driver's license. Get a good system in place such as who rented the puppy, reservation time, return time, which puppy. Maybe use 7 puppies at \$5 for 30 min.

LOTTERY RAFFLE FUNDRAISER -

Get a straw wreath decorated with ribbon that coordinates with whatever holiday or season it happens to be. Ask your fundraising committee to donate two (2) \$1.00 instant scratch off lottery tickets. Use removable sticky tack and attach the tickets to the wreath. Sell the raffle tickets for \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.

HONEY-DO FUNDRAISER

"Honey, will you do..." and maybe waited a while for a home improvement project to be completed? Each raffle ticket enters the buyer into a drawing to win a crew of "helpers" to help with a home improvement project. Helpers could paint a room, organize a closet or pantry, install a light fixture or fix a small appliance, plant a garden in the spring or help with the garage or basement cleaning. The key is to have a (Helper Crew). Raffle tickets can be sold for \$5 each or five (5) for \$20

TEST DRIVE FUNDRAISER

Ask a local car dealership if they would donate a dollar to your fundraiser, for every mile driven. Obviously the car dealers want people to drive their cars in hopes they will make a sale. They do this everyday from their showrooms. Have your club provide free advertising and hopefully more "test drivers" will come out to their dealership. Start with BMW dealers. They are some of the more eager dealers that might participate and also might not have to get approval from their corporate office.

**Remember the "norm": Here are a few mainstream ideas for FAFS
Hold an auction - use donated items, services donated, children's items...**

Organize a Gala or Beef and Bear

Sponsor a raffle

Create a "kids night out" with games, snacks and more

The children of FAFS need your help. Please raise generously!!!