

# 500 fabulous fundraising ideas from the Family Holiday Association!

## A

- 24 hour challenge
- 50:50 raffle
- Abseil
- Abstinence
- Advertising booklet
- Aerobics
- After school party
- Afternoon Tea
- Annual Leave Day auction
- Antiques valuing/sale
- Apple bobbing
- Arm wrestling
- Art exhibition
- Arts & crafts
- Astrology night
- Auction of goods
- Auction of promises

## B

- Baby photo competition
- Babysitting
- Bad hair day
- Bad Tie Day
- Badge-making
- Badminton
- Bag packing
- Baked beans bath
- Balloon race
- Barbecue
- Bar crawl
- Barn dance
- Battle of the bands
- Bazaar
- BBQ
- Beard shaving
- Beat the goalie
- Beatboxing
- Beaujolais Nouveau evening
- Bed push
- Beer festival
- Beetle drive
- Behind-the-scenes/backstage tour
- Bike show
- Bingo night

- Birthday lottery
- Black and white party
- Black tie ball
- Board games night
- Boat race
- Boat trips
- Bonfire party
- Bonny baby contest
- Book fair
- Boot sale

## C

- Boss for a day
- Bottle drive
- Bouncy castle
- Bowls
- Bread baking
- Bring & buy sale
- Bring your child to work day
- Bucket-shaking
- Buggy race
- Bulb sale
- Bungee Jump
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- Bus pull
- Busking

- Cabaret
- Cake competition
- Calendars
- Camping trip
- Candle-making
- Canoeing
- Caption competition
- Car boot sale
- Car show
- Car treasure hunt
- Car wash
- Carbon Freelay
- Cards
- Carnival
- Carol concert
- Cartoons day
- Casino evening
- Caving
- Champagne lunch
- Chariot race
- Charity brunch
- Cheerleading
- Cheese & wine
- Cheese rolling
- Chicken chucking
- Chinese New Year Party
- Christmas cards
- Christmas raffle
- Christmas wreaths
- Circus skills
- Classic movie night
- Clay pigeon shoot
- Climb a mountain
- Club dinner
- Coast to coast walk

## D

- Cocktail making
- Cocktail soiree
- Coconut shy
- Coffee morning
- Coin line
- Coin toss
- Collect stamps
- Collecting tin
- Colour theme day
- Colouring competition
- Colouring wall
- Comedy night
- Community awards night
- Cook book sale
- Cookie dough
- Cooking contest
- Cooking demonstration
- Cow patty bingo
- Crab walk
- Craft fayre
- Crawling race
- Cricket match
- Crockery smash
- Crossword contest
- Culture evening
- Cupcake Bake Off
- Curry night
- Cycling
- Dads on kids' bikes race
- Dancing
- Darts
- Dessert party
- Detox
- Diaries
- Dining
- Dinner Dance
- Disco
- Diving
- Dog grooming
- Dog show
- Dog walk
- Dog wash
- Dominoes
- Donate a day's wage

## E

- Donkey Derby
- Donkey rides
- Donut eating
- Doodling
- Drawing
- Dress down
- Dress up
- Duck racing
- Duvet day auction
- Easter bonnet competition
- Easter egg hunt
- Eat with a cocktail stick
- Egg painting competition
- Egg rolling
- Eighties night
- Enterprise day
- Errands
- Eurovision Song Contest party
- Expert talk
- Eyebrow shave
- Face painting
- Face your fears
- Fairy Festival
- Family market day
- Fancy dress
- Fashion show
- Fasting
- Fete
- Fillet a fish
- Film night
- Finger painting
- Firewalking
- Fish and chips night
- Fishing competition
- Flamingo flocking
- Flower arranging
- Flower sale
- Football
- Football shirt to work day
- Foreign coin collection
- Forfeits
- Forgo a treat

## G

- Fortune cookies
- Fortune telling
- Fruit & veg sale
- Fun run
- Gala dinner
- Games night
- Garage sale
- Garden on a plate competition
- Garden party
- Gardening
- Geocaching
- Ghost tour
- Gift wrapping
- Giggling
- Glamorous Gran contest
- Go veggie/vegan for a week
- Go-karting
- Golf
- Grow beard/moustache
- Guess baby's birth weight
- Guess baby's birthday
- Guess the baby
- Guess the number of
- Guess the pet's owner
- Guess the weight of
- Guess what's in the box
- Guest speaker
- Guided tours
- Gunging
- Gymkhana
- Hadrian's Wall walk
- Hair brading
- Half marathon
- Hallowe'en Party
- Harvest Supper
- Hawaiian shirt day
- Head shaving
- Heads and tails auction
- Highland Games
- Hiking
- Holiday party
- Hoopla

- H**
- Hopscotch
  - Hot dog eating
  - House-sitting
  - How many things in a matchbox
  - Hula hoop contest
  - Human fruit machine
  - Human raffle

- I**
- Ice-skating
  - Indoor market
  - Inflatables
  - International evening
  - Ironing
  - Ironman
  - It's a Knockout

- J**
- Jailbreak
  - Jam-making
  - Jazz night
  - Jelly eating competition
  - Jelly race
  - Jewellery making
  - Jewellery sale
  - Jigsaw marathon
  - Jogging
  - Joke-telling
  - Juggling
  - Jumble sale
  - Jumper Day

- K**
- Karaoke
  - Kayaking
  - Kids bicycle decorating competition
  - Kiss-a-thon
  - Kite competition
  - Knitting
  - Knobbly knees

- L**
- Ladies who lunch day
  - Lawn mowing
  - Leapfrogging
  - Learn a language
  - Limbo
  - Line dancing
  - Line of coins
  - Literary lunch
  - Litter picking
  - Log throwing

- M**
- Lottery
  - Lula party
  - Lunch delivery
  - Mad Hatter's tea party
  - Magic show
  - Make colleague's lunch
  - Manicures
  - Marathon
  - Marbles
  - Masked Ball
  - Masterclasses
  - Mathsathon
  - Maypole dancing
  - Mini marathon
  - Miniolympics
  - Monocle Country Fayre
  - Monopoly crawl
  - Motor racing track day
  - Murder mystery night
  - Music hall
  - Mystery dinner

- N**
- Name the teddy
  - Nature trail
  - Nearly new sale
  - Netball tournament
  - New Year's resolutions
  - Night In
  - Night walk
  - No uniform day
  - Noodle sucking

- O**
- Obstacle course
  - Odd job day
  - Office Awards
  - Office collection
  - Office Olympics
  - Online auction
  - Open garden
  - Open mic night
  - Open rehearsal
  - Opera night
  - Orienteering
  - Origami
  - Oscars party
  - Oven-cleaning

- P**
- Padlock challenge
  - Paintballing

- Pampering
- Pancake race
- Pantomime
- Paper aeroplane competition
- Parachute
- Parent and child activity day
- Pastie eating
- Paw party
- Pedicures
- Penny for the guy
- Personalised gifts
- Pet pampering
- Pet show
- Photography competition
- Picnic
- Pie & pea supper
- Pig, Wig, Swig and Jig night
- Pin the tail on the donkey
- Plant sale
- Play Your Cards Right
- Playing music
- PlayStation play off
- Poetry reading
- Poker night
- Polo
- Pony trekking
- Poo Sticks competition
- Pot-holing
- Pram push
- Private tours
- Private tuition
- Pub crawl
- Pub games
- Pumpkin carving competition
- Puppet show
- Pyjama party

- Q**
- Quit smoking
  - Quiz night

- R**
- Race night
  - Raffle
  - Raft race
  - Race night

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- Raft race
- Ramble
- Ransom & release
- Rapping
- Read-a-thon
- Recipe book
- Recycling
- Red Carpet Night
- Refreshments
- Regatta
- Relay
- Rollerblading
- Roller-skating
- Rounders
- Row the Thames
- Rugby
- Running

- S**
- Safari supper
  - Sandcastle competition
  - Santa run
  - Santa's grotto
  - Sausage sizzle
  - Scarecrow competition
  - Scavenger hunt
  - School disco
  - Sci-fi night
  - Scrap metal collection
  - Sculpture
  - Seaside walk
  - Service auction
  - Shakespeare marathon
  - Shoe shine
  - Show preview night
  - Silent auction
  - Silent disco
  - Singing
  - Skateboarding
  - Skip
  - Skydiving
  - Slave auction
  - Sled racing
  - Sleepover
  - Slimming
  - Slow bike race
  - Snail racing
  - Snooker tournament

- Snow day
- Snowball fights
- Snowman making
- Soiree
- Soup kitchen
- Space hopper racing
- Speaking
- Speed-dating
- Spelling
- Spinning
- Splat the rat
- Sponge throwing
- Sponsored silence
- Sports day
- Stationary cycle
- Story-telling
- Street party
- Strictly party
- Superheroes party
- Surfing competition
- Swear jar
- Sweepstake
- Swimming gala
- Swish party

- T**
- Table tennis
  - Table top sale
  - Talent show
  - Taphathon
  - Tea and coffee run
  - Tea dance
  - Teddy bear travels
  - Teddy bears' picnic
  - Temporary tattoo day
  - Ten pin bowling
  - Three legged race
  - Three Peaks Challenge
  - Tight rope walking
  - Tips
  - Toddle
  - Toddlers' trike race
  - Tombola
  - Tough Mudder
  - Toy sale
  - Track and field day
  - Tractor pulling
  - Trampolineing
  - Trash & treasure sale

- Treasure hunt
- Treasure map
- Trekking
- Triathlon
- Trolley push
- Truth or dare night
- T-shirt sale
- Tuck shop
- Tug of war
- Twister
- Typing

- U**
- Unwanted gift sale
  - Upcycling
- V**
- Valentine's Day roses
  - Variety show
  - Vintage day
  - Virtual balloon race
  - Volleyball winter day

- W**
- Walking
  - Walking backwards
  - Watersports
  - Waxing
  - Wear a wig
  - Welly throwing
  - Wheel change challenge
  - Wheelbarrow race
  - Whiskey raffle
  - Whist Drive
  - Wild West Day
  - Window cleaning
  - Windscreen wash
  - Wine tasting
  - Wing-walking
  - Wishing well
  - Wood cutting
  - Word search
  - World record attempt
  - Worm charming

- X**
- X Factor Final party
- Y**
- Yacht race
  - Yodelling
  - Yoga
  - Yorkshire pudding eating
  - Yo-Yoing
- Z**
- Zombie party
  - Zorbing
  - Zumbathon