

# Fundraising Ideas

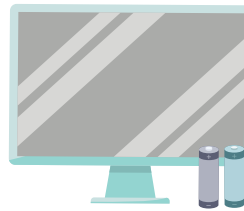
Looking for some ideas for local fundraising? There is almost an endless list of fundraising ideas out there, but if your Section or Group is looking for some fundraising ideas to kick-start the brainstorming process, here are just a few to get you going:

## Bottle/Can Drive



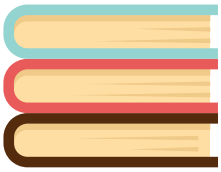
This is a classic, but is easy to organize and can be quite lucrative. Getting the word out about the bottle drive in the neighbourhood before the day of the event can really help bring in the bottles and the cash. Asking folks to leave their bottles on their doorstep or driveway, makes collecting easy and quick.

## E-Waste Drive



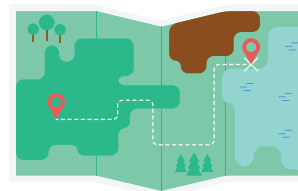
Research your town or local community and find out what items can be recycled for money. Many locations offer money in exchange for old phones, computers, empty ink cartridges, etc.—do some research and invite the community to drop off their old, unwanted items at a designated location/time and have your Section/Group bring in for recycling and payment!

## Used Book Sale



This is often a great event that can be combined with a larger gathering or community event (like a community organized garage sale). It will take some pre-planning, organization and collection but can be a great fundraiser.

## Walk-a-thon (or Hike-a-thon)



Another fundraising classic, this is a great opportunity to get the community involved. Participants register to participate and pay an entry fee or collect pledges from people who will donate based on a certain amount walked (or hiked). This one takes a bit of planning but is great for fundraising.

## Car Wash



fundraising car wash!

This is a great stand-alone event and is generally fairly easy to plan and organize. Finding a good location that is easily accessible and also safe will be key to a successful and lucrative

## Pancake Breakfast



Invite the community to a pancake breakfast. This one will also require some pre-planning, promotion and suitable indoor location, but it sure to serve up lots of fun and fundraising!

## Rummage/Yard Sale



Great for spring cleaning, like the Used Book Sale, pre-planning and getting the word out will be key to success. Also consider selling lemonade or baked goods at the Rummage sale to increase fundraising potential.

## Halenda (ONTARIO ONLY FOR NOW)

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