Fundraising Toolkit





'Every child has the right to play'

About Let's Play

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What we do

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How to start

Regardless the of size of your campaign, we appreciate every effort made to help us here at Let's Play. We are committed to supporting everybody who is fundraising for us and will help in any and everyway we can.

> We can: Offer advice Share our contacts Promote you on social media Provide resources Provide branding materials

Promoting your fundraiser

We are able to promote your fundraising on our website and our multiple social media platforms.

Twitter:

It's easy to spread the word about fundraising in just 140 characters.

Use @LetsPlayBanbury

Tweet regularly to keep followers interested but don't ask for money in every tweet
Don't forget to use hashtags

•Retweet others and ask them to retweet your messages

• Follow us on Twitter - and we will retweet your posts

Facebook:

You can also spread the word about your fundraising activities using your friends on Facebook

•Please tag us on Facebook

Use status updates to keep everyone informed about your progress

•Always put a link to your online sponsor page

 $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$ Create a "group" or "event" and invite

your friends

Your money helps



Pays for one Playworker to support 2 Young People at a Youth Group Session

Pays for resources at an After-School Club





Pays for a Playworker to support 2 Young People on a day trip

Pays for essential travel for 13 Young People



£500



Pays for a week of craft resources and activities during school holidays

Pays for a professionally lead drama session for 15 young people

Fundraising Ideas

Our top 20 ideas

Quiz Night Bake Sale Sponsored Walk/Run Raffle Lottery **Car Wash Sport Tournament Gaming Tournament Photography Contest Sponsored Silence** Fancy Dress at work/school **Book Swap Gaming Night** Give something up for a month **Craft Sale Bike Ride Guess the amount of sweets** Name the cuddly toy Skydive **Fashion Show**



Virtual Fundraising Ideas

Online Quiz Night Gaming Stream Choose my profile picture Online Auction Movie Night Virtual Race Facebook Birthday fundraiser Amazon Smile EasyFundraisng **Virgin Money**

Our top tips

- Let us know
- Make it fun!
- Get others involved
- Tell a story
- Have a target
- Share on Social Media

Thank you! For fundraising for Lets Play

We look forward to following y<mark>our</mark> fundraising journey!



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