



BEST BUDDIES FRIENDSHIP WALK

Chapter Fundraising Ideas

Looking for ways your chapter can fundraise? Whether on campus, online, or in the community, team fundraisers are a great way to top up your team's fundraising and at the same time raise awareness about Best Buddies Canada in the community.

On Campus Fundraising Ideas

1. Host a bake & book sale
2. Sell t-shirts or bracelets. Consider partnering with other local Best Buddies chapters to reduce up front costs
3. Partner with Special Olympics and host a "Pack the Place" sports game: sell tickets, ask the cheerleaders/dance team to do a half-time performance
4. Dunk tank, pay to dunk a student
5. Organize a yoga class or cooking class on campus for a fee



Online Fundraising Ideas

1. Create an Instagram fundraising page. Ask members to post an image from the BBU fundraising templates with various dollar amounts and once someone claims a spot, update story by tagging the donor over the spot they donated. Continue until the board is filled
2. Host a donation based virtual trivia night and invite businesses, families, corresponding vote category. Have an incentive to win.



Community Fundraising Ideas

1. Host a weekend sport tournament with an entrance cost per team or individual. Invite local businesses, students, etc. to make teams
2. Host a Car Wash
3. Have a Best Buddies babysit night where chapter members babysit (separately or together) and donate their earnings, or a portion of their earnings, to the chapter
4. Create a local photo scavenger hunt list and sell the lists, host a scavenger hunt night for people to compete for prizes
5. Partner with a local farmers market/seasonal festival and host your own stand
6. Partner with a local restaurant/ coffee shop or chain for a give-back night where if people mention Best Buddies at check-out part of the proceeds of their purchase goes to the chapter ie. Boston Pizza, Indigo, Five Guys
7. Organize a weekend bottle drive (as applicable to community)

