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**LIVES**



# FUNDRAISING IDEAS PACK

Helping the homeless and  
vulnerably housed in East Kent





# FUNDRAISING FOR CATCHING LIVES

**Thank you for considering fundraising for  
us!**

Your donations help to keep the lights on at our day centre and allow us to continue to provide help and support to homeless people in Kent.

This pack has been produced to provide as many fundraising ideas as possible and to make it easy for you to run a fundraising event by printing the pages that are relevant to the type of event you're planning to run.

You'll find in here ideas, posters and sponsorship forms, as well as certificates to print out to give to students to reward them for their efforts. We hope you find it useful and enjoy your fundraising events.

# HOW WE CAN SUPPORT YOU



If you've had an idea and would like some help, advice or wish to discuss it further, please email [fundraising@catchinglives.org](mailto:fundraising@catchinglives.org), or [graeme@catchinglives.org](mailto:graeme@catchinglives.org) or phone 01227 464904.

## Items we can lend to you:

- Collection buckets and tins
- Catching Lives t-shirts
- Leaflets and posters to hand out
- Pop-up banners
- Logos to use on any promotional material



## How we can promote/support your events:

- If you provide the information, we can publicise your events on our website and social media.
- Let us know who is involved, what you are doing, where and when events are taking place and why you decided to do it!
- Quotes from those involved, and pictures are always useful!
- We can look at sending an article to local newspapers (or advise you on what information you should provide to them in order to increase the likelihood it gets into the newspaper).
- We can inform our volunteers and supporters what is happening and encourage them to get involved.
- If you let us know what is happening we will do our best to send someone along to talk to groups, either beforehand, during an event or even afterwards as a thank you.

# FUNDRAISING IDEAS

## **SPONSORED EVENTS**

- Sponsored Silence
- Sponsored Run/Walk
- Sunflower Growing
- Dance-a-thon
- Draw-a-thon



## **TICKET EVENTS**

- Football Match
- Concert/Talent Show
- Bingo Night
- Quiz Night



## **GET STUDENTS INVOLVED**

- Have a Bake Sale
- Run a Lemonade Stand
- Hold an Art Fair



We would love to visit your school to talk to students about the work that we do at Catching Lives. This is often the perfect addition to PSHE week.

# YOUR DONATIONS



## **Item Donations:**

If your event is focused on gathering donations, please feel free to contact us to see what we are currently most in need of (e.g. food, clothing or toiletries we are low on).

(As an example we are always on the lookout for extra sleeping bags and tents).

## **Written permission e.g. for street collections:**

In order to conduct certain public events you will need to get permission from the local authority.

For Canterbury you can find the details here-

<https://www.canterbury.gov.uk/licences-and-permissions/apply-run-charity-collection/>

If you require a letter from us which states you have our permission to carry out specific events, please just ask.

## **Monetary donations:**

For in-person events where money is collected, get in touch with [fundraising@catchinglives.org](mailto:fundraising@catchinglives.org) to discuss the best way to send money to us. You can also send monetary donations to us via our website, via the 'Donate' button.

## **JustGiving:**

Our preferred online method for people to fundraise for us through is our 'JustGiving' page, which can be found here-

<https://www.justgiving.com/catchinglives>

Just click the orange 'fundraise for us' box to get started. Any questions about setting up your page, just ask!



## SPONSORSHIP FORM

Participant's name: \_\_\_\_\_

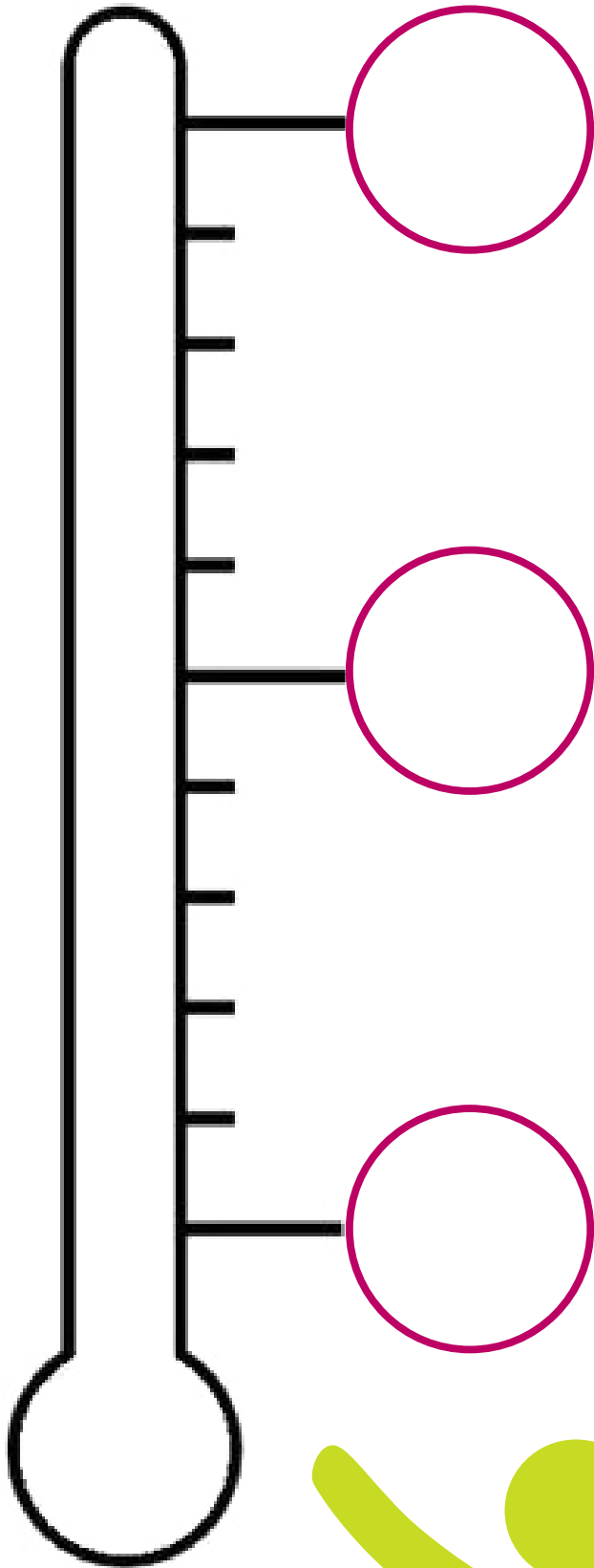
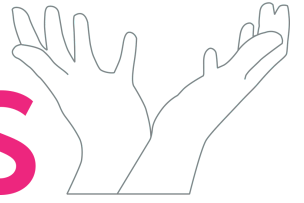
If I have ticked the box headed 'Gift Aid', I confirm that I am a UK taxpayer and understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains tax in the current tax year than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations it is my responsibility to pay any difference.

Full Name	Home Address (essential if you tick the gift aid box)	Post Code	Amount £	Gift Aid (tick if UK Taxpayer)
<b>Total Donations Received</b>			£	
<b>Total Gift Aid Donation</b>			£	

# WE'RE RAISING MONEY FOR

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**OUR GOAL IS**

**HOW WE'LL DO IT**



# SPONSORED WALK

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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TIME: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

GET A SPONSORSHIP FORM FROM:



Get sponsored to help homeless people in Kent.



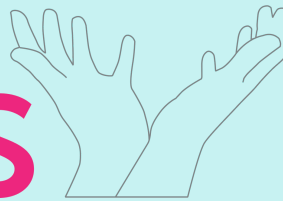


# DRAW-A-THON

GET SPONSORED TO DRAW  
PICTURES!

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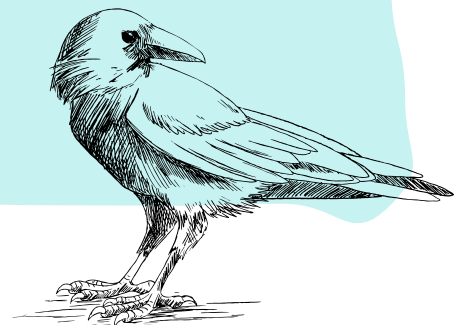


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LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

**GET A SPONSORSHIP FORM FROM:**



# SPONSORED RUN

IN AID OF

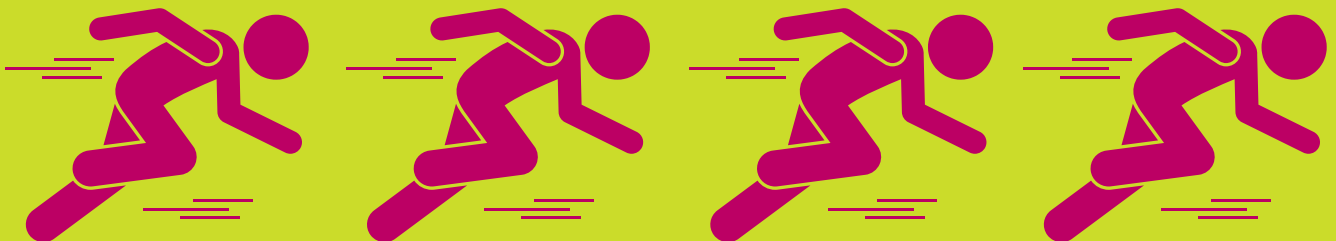
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LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

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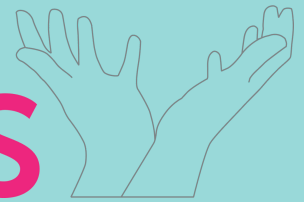
# DANCE-A-THON

HOW LONG CAN YOU DANCE FOR?



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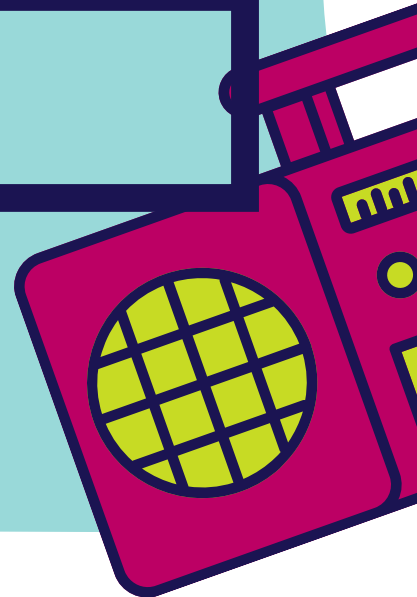


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TIME: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

GET A SPONSORSHIP FORM FROM:





CHARITY

# BAKE SALE

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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TIME: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

Enjoy a variety of baked goodies and help to raise funds for a charity supporting homeless people in Kent.

# LEMONADE

## Fundraiser

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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TIME: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

Help to support homeless people in Kent by  
buying a cold drink made by the students of:

\_\_\_\_\_



# CHARITY ART FAIR

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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TIME: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

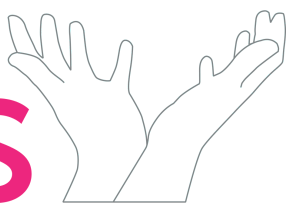
Proceeds from the sale of student artwork go  
towards helping homeless people in and around  
East Kent.

# CHARITY QUIZ NIGHT



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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

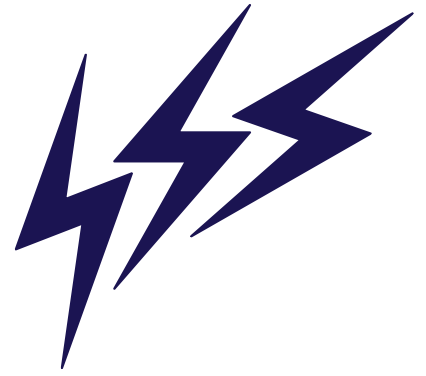
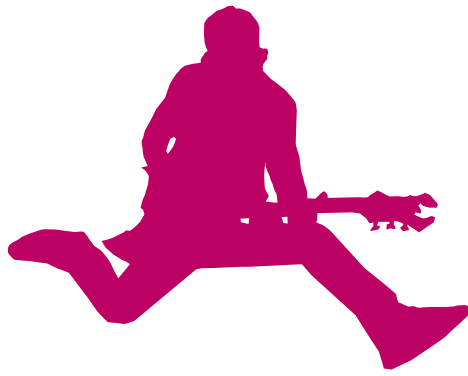
TIME: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

TICKET SALES: \_\_\_\_\_

Proceeds from ticket sales  
go towards helping  
homeless people in and  
around East Kent.





CHARITY

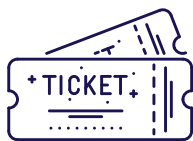
# CONCERT

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TIME: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

TICKET PRICE: \_\_\_\_\_



BUY TICKETS FROM:



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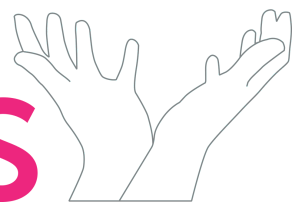




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CHARITY FOOTBALL MATCH



DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TIME: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

TICKET SALES: \_\_\_\_\_

# CHARITY EVENT

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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TIME: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

# CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

Presented To

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for participating in the Charity Fundraiser

for



Presented by:

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Date:

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