

## **Fundraising Sources and Ideas**

Sam Anderson, Vice President for Financial Affairs: Leadership Summit Fall 2015

### **Bake Sales:**

- On Campus
- At local venue such as Walmart
  - Call local Walmart, ask for fundraising department, have dates ready, they will schedule you

### **Apparel Sales:**

- To members, alumni, parents
- Selects Sportswear
  - Debbie Spencer, (330) 544-8048

### **Book Sales:**

- Online
- Within your student group/academic department

### **Blood Drives with American Red Cross:**

- Hosted on campus or at a community venue
- Interested?
  - Contact NEO Red Cross Representative
    - Christina Gargas, (330) 604-8595

### **Sport Fundraiser:**

- Swim-a-thon/Dance-a-thon/Spin-a-thon
- Tournament
  - Volleyball
  - Basketball
  - Golf
  - Bowling

### **Music Fundraiser:**

- Perform at local schools, retirement homes, events, and hospitals

### **Candy:**

- Gorant's Chocolatier
  - Regional Office, (330) 726-8821
    - Bar: 45% profit
    - Easter: Bulk or individual orders

### **Cheese Sales:**

- Biery Cheese
  - Corporate Office
    - Ask for Sherry Bordner in Fundraising, (330) 875-3381

### **Restaurant Takeovers:**

- The Pressed (Youngstown)
  - Email Larry VonBergen at larryvb427@gmail.com
- Hot Head Burritos (Youngstown)
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- Subway
  - Email Larry VonBergen at larryvb427@gmail.com

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- Pizza Joe's Pizza Tickets (New Castle)
  - (724) 658-1716
- Chipotle (Boardman)
  - Ask for David Cirelli, (330) 758-1477
- Handel's Pint Cards
  - Corporate Office
    - Ask for Sarah Jackson, (330) 702-8270
- One Hot Cookie (Downtown Youngstown)
  - (330) 651-1406
- Chili's (Boardman)
  - (330) 758-4117
- TGI Friday's (Boardman)
  - (330) 629-2600
- Texas Roadhouse
  - (330) 726-1100
- Quaker Steak and Lube (Boardman)
  - (330) 726-5823
- Applebee's (Niles)
  - (330) 544-0780
- Natticakes (Austintown)
  - (330) 953-3883
- Ruby Tuesdays (Autintown)
  - (330) 779-3640
- Bob Evans (Belmont)
  - (330) 759-2931
- Cassese's MVR (Youngstown)
  - Ask for Joe, (330) 746-7067
- Buffalo Wild Wings (Boardman)
  - (330) 726-1313
- Steak n Shake (Boardman)
  - (330) 965-0753
- IHOP (Boardman)
  - (330) 758-8505
- Suzie's Dogs and Drafts (Youngstown)
  - Ask for Brad, (234) 228-9158

**Store Takeovers:**

- Five and Below (Boardman)
  - (330) 758-3465
- Barns and Noble (Boardman)
  - (330) 629-9436

**Seasonal Fundraisers:**

- Valentine's Day
  - Rose sale
  - Bow sale

- Card sale
- Candy and chocolate sale
- Halloween
  - Sell masks and/or costumes
  - Candy sale
  - Pumpkin sale
- Thanksgiving/Christmas
  - Card sale
  - Ornament sale
  - Gift wrapping

**Cedar Point Fundraiser:**

- Accommodation Fundraiser (One day commitment)
  - Sue Stover, sstover@cedarpoint.com
- Food Service Fundraiser (One day to weekend commitment)
  - Victoria Marks, vmarks@cedarpoint.com
- Games Fundraiser (Weekend commitment)
  - Jason Reynolds, jreynolds@cedarpoint.com
- Merchandise Fundraiser (Weekend commitment)
  - Sam Bryant, sbryant@cedarpoint.com
- Operations Fundraiser (Weekend commitment)
  - Nelson Cearfoss, ncearfoss@cedarpoint.com

**Candle Sales:**

- Yankee Candles
  - 40% profit
    - 1 (800) 351-1533 or <https://www.yankeecandlefundraising.com/requestinfo.htm>

**Phon-A-Thon:**

- YSU holds annually from January through March
  - Jacquelyn Daniel, (330) 941-2329

**Other Sources of Funding:**

- Grants
- Donations
- Sponsorships
- GoFundMe.com

**Other Fundraising Ideas:**

- Popcorn sale
- Bar crawl
- Wristband sale
- 50/50 raffle
- Coffee K-cup sale
- Pepperoni roll sale
- Finals week care packages
- Chinese auctions
- Dances

- Fundraiser Dinner
- Drive-in Movie Theatre

