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Fundraising Ideas to Make Your CANSTRUCTION a Reality

For Public School Teams and University/College Student Teams

SCHOOL/CHURCH GROUPS

1. Hold a bake sale
2. Ask your local PTA for money or the student government
3. Have a silent auction of donated goods. For example, items like Hawkeye basketball tickets, etc.
4. Ask Hy-Vee, Aldis, or another grocery store to provide some of the cans.
5. Ask students to solicit 10, 20, or 30 cans of a particular needed can for the event. Kind of like getting pledges for a walk-a-thon.
6. Ask entire student body to bring in specific cans even though only a certain class is participating in the build.
7. Contact food brokers - Hawkeye Foodservice and others may donate institutional-size cans.
8. For church groups, ask parishioners to help by providing donations or by donating the particular cans needed.
9. Parents could ask employers for support.
10. Hold a "Penny Drive" between classrooms to see who can raise the most pennies. Use the money to buy cans.
11. Charge admission to school dances—the cost can be 2 to 3 cans of a specific type or \$1 from the admission goes to the Canstruction group.

COLLEGE TEAMS/UNIVERSITY SERVICE GROUPS

1. Ask Hy-Vee, Aldis, or another grocery store to provide some of the cans.
2. College teams can talk to food service for their school. The large food vendors that service the school can support their efforts (Armark, Sodexo, etc.).
3. Contact other food brokers - Hawkeye Foodservice and others will donate institutional-size cans.

It starts with one can. Canstruction® is an annual design/build competition to benefit the HACAP Food Reservoir and other Corridor food assistance programs. Sponsored by the Society for Design Administration, American Institute of Architects, and the Iowa AIA.

