

## How Can You Campaign To Help Families Become Independent?

There are SO MANY WAYS that people of ALL AGES can campaign to help homeless families in Ontario County become sustainably independent. Let us know what you want to do and we will provide support to make it happen. Below are just a few examples of what can be done, but DON'T BE LIMITED by this list. We are interested in hearing about YOUR CREATIVE IDEA!

### **Birthday Campaign**

- Having a birthday party? Ask attendees to contribute to FPOC in lieu of a gift. Perhaps \$34 when you turn \$34? \$76 when you turn \$76? \$6 when you turn \$6?

### **Creative Campaign**

- Raffle off your beard... let the highest contributor tell you how to shave it.
- Agree to paint/cut/trim your \_\_\_\_\_ when \$\_\_\_\_\_ is raised.
- Your idea \_\_\_\_\_

### **Sports Campaign**

- Gather a group of hikers or bikers, and walk or bike for FPOC.
- Part of a fitness group? How about pounds lifted? Pounds lost?
- Part of a sports team, youth or adult? What fun thing can that team do to raise awareness of the homeless and help FPOC?
- Have a World Series/Nascar/Superbowl/US Open party – hold a raffle for the best seat in the house
- Hold an arm wrestling competition
- Hold a marathon event (table-tennis, badminton, tennis, any sport that interests people!)
- Your idea \_\_\_\_\_

### **Wedding Campaign**

- Have guests donate a dollar for every year they have been married.

### **Youth Campaign**

- Coordinate a Rock – A – Thon. That's chairs, not music. Gather your youth group, school group (any age can do this), Boy Scout Troop, Girl Scout Troop, neighborhood, or any other group you can think of and have fun rockin' the evening away!
- Sell lemonade/inspirational painted stones / ...
- Have an animal dress up party, and ask for a contribution to enter or sponsor a pet
- Hold a Worm-Charming contest- a grassy area is divided into parts, on which each participant must bring out worms and collect them. The person with the maximum number of worms wins. Charge an entry fee. You can also create funds by selling jars and instruments for the game.
- Write inspirational messages on stones and sell them
- Have your pet do a social media campaign...
- Your idea \_\_\_\_\_

### **Musical Campaign**

- Coordinate a Karaoke night, and have all participants make a contribution – all ages can do this!
- Are you a musician? Hold concerts in conference rooms, schools, bars, or any other venues you can think of.

### **Adult Party Campaign**

- Throw Karaoke night party, and have all participants make a contribution.
- Cocktails for a cause
- Arrange a networking luncheon and ask participants to throw in a contribution
- Hold a quiz night
- Your idea \_\_\_\_\_

### **Straight Giving**

- Grab a Club 252 card and fill it out.

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