

SUN DAY FUN DAY

The National Children's
Cancer Society

Sun Day-Fun Day Fundraising Ideas:

We suggest each classroom have a container for the money they collect on behalf of children with cancer. This will allow you to track how much money is collected by each classroom. As an incentive to fundraise, the NCCS will award \$50 for the school to provide a party to the classroom that raises the most money. (Please note that a minimum of \$200 must be raised by a classroom to receive the prize.)

Below are suggestions that your school may want to implement to put the FUN in fundraising!

- ☀️ Allow students to wear sunglasses to school for a minimum donation (perhaps \$1). After all, sunglasses help protect our eyes from the sun! Make sure students know why sunglasses are an important part of sun safety.
- ☀️ Offer classrooms the opportunity to earn an extended recess one day by raising a set amount of money, such as \$100 per classroom. Of course, extended recess means more time in the sun, so encourage students to play in the shade or wear sunscreen!
- ☀️ Host a hat day! Let students who donate \$1 wear a hat to school and remind them that hats with bills (like baseball caps) provide protection for faces and hats with brims can provide protection for faces, ears and necks!
- ☀️ Every student who donates \$1 gets to help decorate the lucky staff person like a SUNDAE! Get it? "SUN" day!
- ☀️ Consider a spontaneous Flash Mob or Group Sing-Along! Students who pay a set amount such as \$1 can participate in a flash mob dance or sing-along. Make it relevant—use a song such as Walking on Sunshine, Good Day Sunshine or You Are My Sunshine! Record the performance and post it on your school's website and on the NCCS Facebook page! We'd love to see your students in action!
- ☀️ Allow the classroom that raises the most money to have a luau party. Let one lucky classroom get to wear Hawaiian shirts to school and do the limbo!
- ☀️ Conduct a raffle with an item (or items) your students would love to have: principal for the day, lunch with a favorite teacher, a free homework pass. Students pay \$1 for a raffle ticket.