

HOW TO RUN

A VOLLEYBALL SERVE A-THON FUNDRAISER

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If volleyball is popular at your school, a volleyball serve-a-thon is a great way to get people engaged in fundraising.

Here, we'll show you the A-Z of volleyball serve-a-tons, including planning, tracking donations, and ideas on how to organize and promote it.

What is a Volleyball Serve-a-Thon?

A volleyball serve-a-thon combines the best of a volleyball tournament and a-thon-style fundraisers. Like other a-tons, volleyball serve-a-tons use peer-to-peer fundraising.

Participants sign up in teams and ask for support through pledges. Because participants ask for donations from friends, family, and coworkers, this type of fundraiser can reach a huge amount of potential donors.

A-tons Are Fun & Effective Event-Based Fundraisers

- An "a-thon" is a peer-to-peer style fundraiser that involves participating in a certain activity and gathering donations for participating in said activity.
- The activity can be almost anything, from reading to running to bowling. No matter what activity you choose, the premise is the same. Participants commit to doing the activity (reading a certain amount of books, running a certain distance) and ask their friends, family, and coworkers to support them.

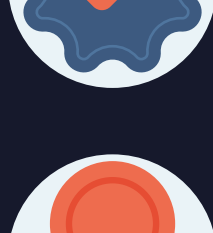
A-tons work great because you reach a huge donor pool through peer-to-peer fundraising. People are also more likely to donate since participants are "working" in return for the donations.

What Do You Need

To Run a Volleyball Serve-a-Thon?

Power it With FutureFund

FutureFund's built-in pledge campaigns allow you to easily collect money and keep donations/pledges organized. Since parents cover payment processing fees, 100% of the funds raised go to your school!



FutureFund is easy to use

FutureFund makes running a volleyball serve-a-thon easy for everyone. Easier for PTAs to run, for students and parents to participate, and for donors to donate.



Accept online donations

Instead of dealing with paper pledge forms and cash and cheques, FutureFund takes the process online. Donors can donate instantly online with their credit or debit cards.



A single tool to power your entire Volleyball serve-a-thon!

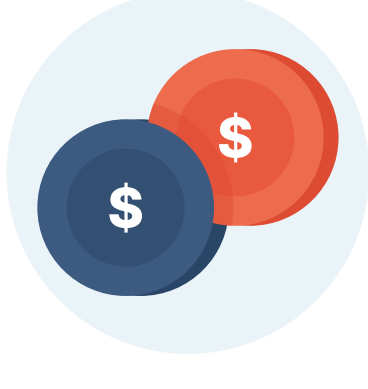
FutureFund makes it easy to track how the fundraiser is going. Easily view how much money has been raised and more with detailed reporting.

Using a Volleyball Serve a-Thon for Fundraising

Consider the below when organizing your volleyball serve-a-thon. Spending a bit of time up front getting organized from an admin and donation perspective will save a lot of time and potential frustration later.



Managing and organizing pledges



Donor information and donation management



Make sure you accept online donations

Volleyball Serve-a-Thon Templates & Resources

Sample move-a-thon rules

These rules are a great starting point for organizing your volleyball serve-a-thon.

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To participate in the volleyball serve-a-thon, you must register your team by [date]. Then, the volleyball serve-a-thon is on [date], which means you should start fundraising right away! Make sure to tell your friends, family, and coworkers that you're fundraising, so they can donate.

All donations will be collected through FutureFund through this link: [link].

Sample Volleyball Serve-a-Thon Event Description

Unsure of where to start? Use this sample student and parent messaging to get the ball rolling!

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We're serving up a new fundraiser! On [date], [school name] will be hosting a volleyball serve-a-thon to help fundraise for [cause]. You can help by registering a volleyball team and participating! Each team will be collecting pledges online through FutureFund: [link], so even if you can't participate, you can still donate!

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Set Up Online Pledges With FutureFund

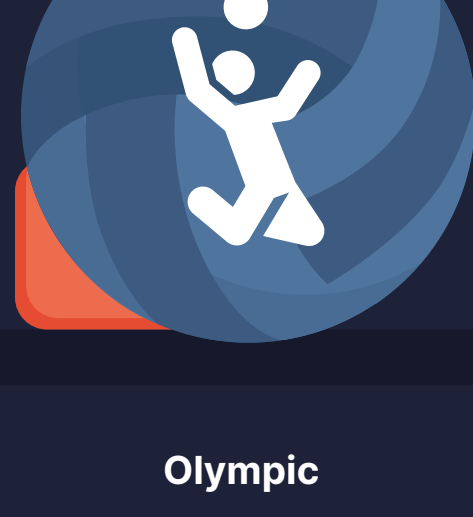
Let parents and supporters donate online with FutureFund's online pledges. Try it out for free!

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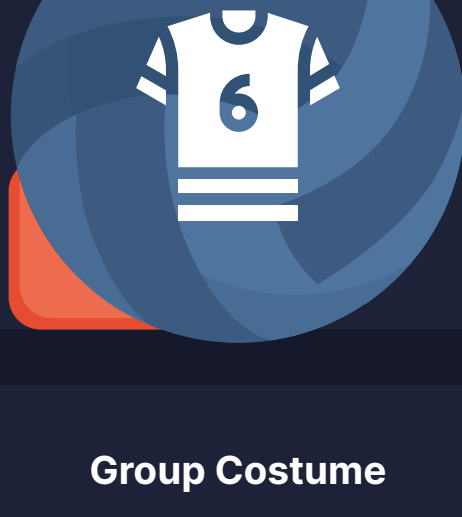
Make your donation easily and instantly! Click this [link] to make your donation through secure credit or debit card payment.

If you prefer to donate by cash or check, just donate directly to the student you're supporting. Thank you for your support!

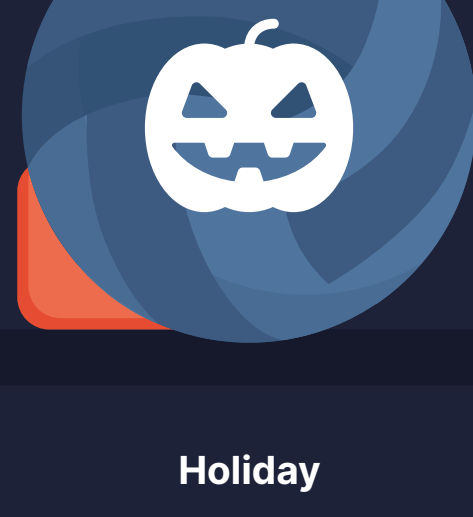
Serve-a-Thon Theme Ideas



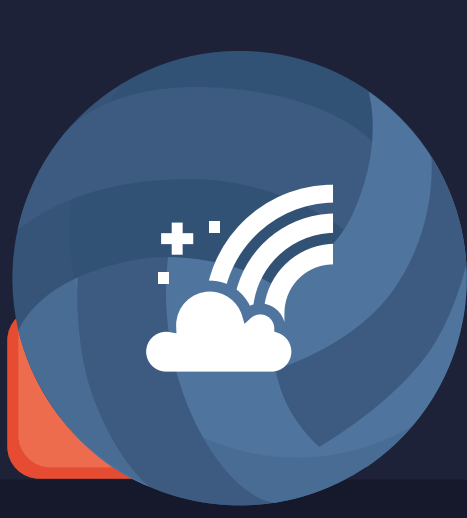
Olympic



Group Costume



Holiday



Rainbow



Movie or TV

