

Host your own fundraising event!

Event Ideas

Everyone's getting into the spirit of giving – and having lots of fun doing it! This is a great opportunity to get creative and **host your own event or coordinate an activity or donation drive to raise funds for companion animals in need.**

There are few limits to what you can do as a fundraiser – just use your imagination! Here are a few ideas to get those wheels turning. Once you have your idea formulated, check out our event proposal form for guidelines and to submit your awesome event idea to Napa Humane!

Party Down



You know you're the hostess with the most-ess (or the host with the most!) Take this opportunity to treat your friends to a delicious dinner – and maybe some fun and games – and when your guests ask what they can bring...suggest a donation to Napa Humane!

What you will need:

- Ingredients for a delicious dinner
- Party invitation

Hold a Donation Drive

From towels to cleaning supplies, our Spay/Neuter Clinic is in constant need of supplies to get our four-legged patients comfortable and safe – and most of these things are basic household items! Check out our "[Wish List](#)" and pass it around to friends, family, neighbors and coworkers, and create a drop-off location and deadlines date for these items! You can even staple a note with the wish list to large paper grocery bags or trash bags and distribute them to people!

What you will need:

- Napa Humane's "[Wish List](#)"
- Paper or trash bags
- Stapler
- Copies of a note containing the list of items
- A bin or box for your friends and coworkers to drop off items



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Movie Night

Are you a fan of the classics? Or are you the first on the block to view the newest releases? No matter what tickles your fancy, there's nothing like a good film with some great company and buttery popcorn. Raise funds when you charge your guests "admission" to the film!

What you will need:

- A DVD of a great classic or a newly-released film
- "Movie snacks" and beverages
- An email invitation



In Lieu of Gifts...



If you are at the point where you just can't handle anymore *stuff*, instead of receiving, ask your friends and family to give to Napa Humane in your honor instead! They can make a donation by credit card over the phone at 707.255.8118 x205, donate online at www.napahumane.org, or mail a check to: P.O. Box 695, Napa, California 94559.

What you will need:

- An email or Facebook posting to friends and family asking for donations in lieu of gifts for your birthday, a holiday, or any special gifting occasion!

Add a Raffle to Your Company Party – or any 'ol Time!

How about raffling off a lunch with your company's CEO, a basket of wine, a gift certificate to a restaurant, or a paid day off of work? Your work colleagues would jump at the chance! Proceeds from the raffle ticket sales could benefit companion animals of Napa Valley.

What you will need:

- Raffle tickets
- Raffle ticket box or jar
- Raffle prize (or certificate indicating the prize)
- Flyer to pass around at work



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“Caroling for Critters” – Make it Holiday Tradish!

Some holidays traditions never go out of style. Gather your friends and loved ones for an evening of caroling in your neighborhood, asking for donations from your neighbors!

What you will need:

- Friends and Family
- Festive accessories, such as scarves and hats
- Sheet music
- The holiday spirit!



Get Crafty

Have a creative mind and artistic eye? Gather a group of your animal-loving pals or a group of children for an afternoon of crafts! You provide the supplies to do one type of craft (animal-themed would be adorable, of course!), and your guests “pay” to participate! Proceeds go to Napa Humane.

What you will need:

- General craft supplies (glue, scissors, etc.)
- Special craft supplies (materials need for a specific craft)
- Invitation to the gathering



Brown Bag Benefit!

You always talk about how much money you could save if you just brought lunch to work – now here’s your chance! Get a group of friends together and pledge to bring your lunch to work for one week, and donate the money you save to companion animals in need! (If you save \$10/day for five days, that’s \$50!)

What you will need:

- An email to send out to your friends/work colleagues
- Brown bags

