

Fundraising 101

The following is a list of fundraisers we are *planning* to offer this year to help decrease your \$350 Family Fundraising Obligation (FFO).

- **Club's Choice Fundraising** – A fully online, catalog sales fundraiser with products shipped directly to your home. 40% of your sales is credited to your FFO. Program typically starts the beginning of November.
- **Grocery Program** – Gift cards for Stop & Shop or Trucchi's are sold in \$25, \$50 or \$100 denominations, and 5% of your total order is credited to your FFO. Stop and Shop cards can also be used for purchases thru Peapod or at their gas kiosks. *(Due to lack of interest and a change in the ordering process, we will no longer be carrying Shaw's cards.)* Kicking off the week of 9/13 and running all year.
- **Original Works** – a variety of items made from your child's original artwork. 20% of pre-tax purchases will be credited to your FFO. Date TBD
- **Otis Spunkmeyer** – one of our most popular programs offers Otis Spunkmeyer frozen cookie dough and other items, with 40% of your sales credited to your FFO. We are looking to kick-off late September with cookie dough being delivered (hopefully) by Thanksgiving break.
- **Shop with Scrip** – our popular online, pre-Christmas fundraiser allows you to purchase a variety of gift cards from retailers throughout the country. The percentage credited to your FFO varies based on cards purchased. This typically launches late October with cards delivered before the Thanksgiving break (just in time for Black Friday!)
- **Boosterthon/Fun Run** – the kids' favorite! Your student gets sponsors to pledge them for laps run (or walked) and prizes for sponsorship. You get 10% of what they raise deducted from your FFO. Coming January '22 (which ensures the FFO credit ☺).
- **World's Finest Chocolate** – we're going to try this again! We will be offering the variety box of World's Finest chocolate bars. This program offers 45% of sales credited to your FFO. We are tentatively scheduled to kick off this fundraiser in late March '22.

More information on all programs will come home as they kick off. If you have additional questions, please feel free to call the office.

God Bless, Mrs. Reis