Get creative with your fundraising! Below are some ideas to get you started.

- Host a party and get the food and drinks donated. **Charge partygoers a "door fee"** that will go toward your fundraising goal. You can even have raffles or a silent auction at the event too; ask a local business to donate a gift certificate or prize.

- See if a local restaurant or store will **donate a percentage of their profits** to BARCC. Don’t forget to advertise it! Some restaurants that have done this before: Uno’s, Applebee’s, Bertucci’s, Margarita’s, Fajitas & Ritas, Chipotle, and California Pizza Kitchen.

- **Ask a local pub to host a happy hour, trivia night, or concert** and donate part of the proceeds or the cover charge to BARCC. Don’t forget to invite everyone out that night!

- **Host a “stay in” night** filled with 80’s movies and popcorn, and have everyone donate the $20 they would have spent if you’d headed out on the town.

- Ask your boss if they will donate a **free day off** and raffle off chances to win.

- Ask your boss or HR if you can hold a **jeans day**. Anyone who donates to your fundraising efforts will earn the opportunity to wear jeans on the specified day.

- Involved in local sports? Promote **#GoalsforBARCC** by having game or tournament attendees pledge $5-$20 per goal scored by your team! Donate the proceeds to BARCC.

- Have a big life event coming up such as a **birthday, wedding, or anniversary**? Ask friends and family to donate to BARCC in lieu of gifts. Examples include $50 for a 50th birthday or $10 for a 10-year wedding anniversary!

Questions or need further information? Please contact BARCC Event Specialist Lauren Siebal at events@barcc.org or 617-649-1295.