



# HOST A FUNDRAISING EVENT

One of the easiest ways to raise more money is by hosting an event.

There are a few ways to do this:

## 1. Portion of the proceeds events

Many restaurant chains host fundraiser events to support local nonprofit organizations. All you have to do is pick a date, fill out a simple application (often online), print some flyers, and spread the word! Once the event is over, the restaurant donates a portion of the proceeds (typically ranging from 10%–30%) from the event to BARCC. On the following page you'll find a list of restaurants in BARCC's service area who are ready to host your event!

## 2. Host your own event

Some restaurants and breweries are willing to donate their space so you can host your own event. Some are even willing to donate light appetizers or a portion of the proceeds from food and beverage sales during your event. You can charge a cover fee, hold a 50/50 raffle, and/or bring a laptop to collect donations right to your Walk page. Do you have a bunch of unused gift cards lying around? They make great raffle prizes! The host restaurant may ask their vendors to donate prizes as well. You'll find a list of establishments who have already agreed to host your event on page 4.

## 3. Proceeds from a menu item in April (Sexual Assault Awareness Month)

**Don't limit yourself to the lists we've put together.** You can also ask your local coffee shop, favorite restaurant, or neighborhood bar. Small businesses are always looking to give back to their community. You could ask them to pick one item from their menu to donate the proceeds from for the month and then spread the word so people know to go there and buy that item! If you need help designing flyers for promotion, just let us know. And be sure to let us know if you set something like this up so we can help spread the word, too!



# Host Restaurants for Portion of the Proceeds Events

Below is a list of restaurants that will donate a portion of the proceeds from one day/night of sales. Once you've scheduled your event, be sure to let us know so we can post it to [barccwalk.org](http://barccwalk.org)!

Restaurant	Proceeds	Location(s)	Application Link and Further Info
<a href="#">99 Restaurant</a>	15% when guests show your flyer	Charlestown, Revere, Somerville, Waltham	<a href="#">Application</a>
<a href="#">Boston Market</a>	15% when guests show your flyer	Medford, Waltham, Quincy	<a href="#">Application</a>
<a href="#">California Pizza Kitchen</a>	20% of dine-in, take-out, and catering with flyer or mention of BARCC	Boston - Prudential Center, Wellesley	<a href="#">Application</a> Held Monday through Thursday
<a href="#">Chipotle</a>	33% when guests show your flyer or mention BARCC	Several within BARCC's service area. Will only host event at one location for the same charity.	<a href="#">Application</a> Held 4:00–8:00 p.m. and 5:00–9:00 p.m. <a href="#">FAQs</a>
<a href="#">Margarita's</a>	20% when guests show your flyer	Revere, Waltham	<a href="#">Application</a>
<a href="#">Not Your Average Joe's</a>	15% when guests show your flyer or mention BARCC	Arlington, Burlington, Waltham, Watertown	<a href="#">Application</a> Can do multiple nights in a month or just one night.
<a href="#">Panera Bread</a>	20% when guests show your flyer	Several within BARCC's service area. Will host one event every 30 days for the same charity.	<a href="#">Application</a>
<a href="#">Potbelly Sandwich Shop</a>	25% when guests show your flyer	Boston - Federal Street, Boston - School Street	E-mail Regional Manager <a href="#">Robert Williams</a>
<a href="#">Roxy's Grilled Cheese</a>	15% of all non-alcohol sales 7:00–10:00 p.m.	Boston - Allston Cambridge - Central Square	<a href="#">Application</a> (click on "Fundraisers" at the top of the page to jump to app).
<a href="#">Uno Pizzeria &amp; Grill</a>	20% when guests show your flyer	Boston - Fenway, Revere	<a href="#">Application</a>



# ANSWERS FOR STANDARD APPLICATION QUESTIONS

- Organization name:** Boston Area Rape Crisis Center
- Organization tax ID:** 04-2974983      [Link to 501\(c\)3 Letter](#)      [Link to W-9](#)
- Organization type:** Varies with each application, but the following options apply:  
Non-profit Charity, Human Services, Other
- Check made payable to:** Boston Area Rape Crisis Center
- Check mailed to:** Boston Area Rape Crisis Center  
ATTN: Jen Clifford/Development  
99 Bishop Allen Drive  
Cambridge, MA 02139
- Organization Website:** barcc.org      **Organization Twitter:** @barcc  
**Organization Facebook:** facebook.com/barcc.org      **Organization Instagram:** @barccofficial

## About the organization/cause and how the funds will be used:

Founded in 1973, the Boston Area Rape Crisis Center (BARCC) is the only comprehensive rape crisis center in the Greater Boston area and the oldest and largest center of its kind in New England. BARCC provides free, confidential support and services to survivors of sexual assault, harassment, and abuse ages 12 and up, their loved ones, and professionals. Their free services include a hotline available by phone and web chat, medical advocacy, counseling, legal advocacy, and assistance with health, housing, financial, and safety needs.

BARCC serves 29 cities and towns in the Greater Boston area—a population of approximately 4.6 million people—and provides roughly 40% of the rape crisis services in the entire state of Massachusetts. They have offices in Cambridge, Boston (near Allston), and Waltham, and they are powered by roughly 50 staff and over 250 volunteers.

On April 26, BARCC will be holding its 14th annual Walk for Change (barccwalk.org) at DCR's Constitution Beach in East Boston. This event draws nearly 2,000 participants and raises critical funds to support BARCC. A fundraiser at your restaurant will be part of my individual fundraising efforts for the Walk for Change supporting BARCC's free services for survivors, their loved ones, and the community.



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Looking for a space to host your own fundraiser? The following establishments have agreed to host events for BARCC's Walk fundraisers! The details and capacity for each venue differ. When reaching out to them, please [CC\\_events@barcc.org](mailto:CC_events@barcc.org) so we can assist in answering any questions they may have. Have questions of your own about how to get started? Don't hesitate to contact us!



## **Democracy Brewing** (35 Temple Place, Boston)

Private room can accommodate 25-75 people. You can pre-order food for guests, or they can order and pay for their own food and drinks. Minimum food and beverage costs depend on the space and day of the week and range \$800-\$2,500. You can sell raffle tickets and/or sell crafts/merchandise to raise money. They will donate \$1 per beer sold in the private space back to BARCC.

**Contact:** Karsen Eckweiler | [events@democracybrewing.com](mailto:events@democracybrewing.com) | 857-263-8604



## **Lucky Strike Social Boston** (145 Ipswich Street, Boston)

Bowling fundraisers are scheduled Monday through Wednesday 6:00-8:00 p.m. They can accommodate up to 40 people on four lanes. They donate two hours of bowling, shoe rental, and a chips and salsa platter. You charge your guests a fee to bowl and/or sell raffle tickets to raise money.

**Contact:** Ashley Arnoldy | [Ashley.Arnoldy@luckystrikesocial.com](mailto:Ashley.Arnoldy@luckystrikesocial.com) | 617-437-0044



NIGHT SHIFT  
BREWING

## **Night Shift Brewing** (87 Santilli Highway, Everett)

Annex is available for private events on Tuesday and Wednesday nights 6:00-8:00 p.m. There's seating for 50, a fireplace, private bar, bathrooms, and can host up to 100 guests. You may bring in small decorations and snacks, and your guests can purchase pints from the bar. They allow 30 minutes of setup, 5:30-6:00 p.m., and staffing for the event and a gift basket for you to use for a raffle or prize.

**Contact:** Brittany Hirst | [hirst@nightshiftbrewing.com](mailto:hirst@nightshiftbrewing.com) | 617-294-4233