



March fundraising ideas

Spring into action for your local children's hospice!

World Book Day - 3rd March

Celebrate 25 years of World Book Day on 3rd March 2022 by organising a book character fancy dress, hosting a book themed quiz, or holding a book sale.

Spring picnic

Host a picnic in your garden or local park and ask for donations in exchange for your secret recipes.

Spring into the season

With Spring officially beginning on the 20th March 2022, why not find a local walking route and enjoy some fresh air with friends and family. Make it even better by getting sponsored for each mile you walk!

Give it up for Good

With the start of Lent give up something you love! Perhaps chocolate, sweets or even using social media and get sponsored by your friends, family or work colleagues.

Declutter and donate

As it's Global Recycling Day on the 18th March, why not spring clean your home and garage and donate the proceeds to Acorns?

Mother's Day - 27th March

Organise an afternoon tea and charge for entry or why not host a Mother's Day pamper evening with face masks, manicures and bubbly and ask for donations in exchange for pure relaxation!

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Whether you need some materials, help with ideas or just have a quick question, we are here to help you every step of the way. Please get in touch by emailing supporterservices@acorns.org.uk or calling **01564 825 037**



St Patrick's Day fundraising ideas

This St Patrick's Day, spread the luck of the Irish with some fundraising!

Irish Themed Bake Off

Organise an Irish themed bake off with soda bread or shamrock cookies and challenge your colleagues to bake the nicest treats.

Get quizzing

Host a St Patrick's Day quiz to test your knowledge of Irish history, culture, news or music.

'Go Green'

Hold a 'Go Green' day and donate £2 to take part! Whether you dress up with friends or host an office dress down day, this is a great way to bring people together and celebrate.

Clover hunt

Find the four leaf clover. Hold a lucky dip with some clovers (make sure one has four leaves!) Ask colleagues or friends to pay £1 to enter then split the money between whoever finds the four leaf clover and Acorns.

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Mother's Day quiz

Test your friends, family and colleagues with our Mother's Day themed quiz.

1. Which actress stars in the role of 'mother' in the 2017 American psychological horror film *Mother!*?
2. In the famous proverb, what is 'the mother of invention'?
3. Who is the famous actress mother of Gwyneth Paltrow?
4. What was the given first name of the mother of British Prime Minister Sir Winston Churchill?
5. We need two cities: in which city was Mother Theresa born, and in which city did she die in 1997?
6. 'Mama Weer All Crazee Now' gave which rock band its third number one UK single?
7. What is the Latin word for mother?
8. Which American born author, but a resident of Britain for most of his adult life, wrote the book 'The Mother Tongue'?
9. The painting 'Arrangement in Grey and Black No.1', is best known by what name?
10. In British pantomime, what is Aladdin's mother called?
11. 'Mother's ruin' is a common British name for which alcoholic drink?
12. 'Marmee' is mother and head of the household in which classic novel?
13. What was the first name of the mother, played by Michael Learned, in 'The Waltons'?
14. By what other name is 'mother of pearl' known?
15. By what name do we know the Irish washerwoman character devised by Arthur Lucan in the 1930s?
16. Name the mother of Queen Elizabeth I?
17. Which popular Mother's Day flower do Christians believe were made from the tears of Mary when she wept for Jesus on the cross?
18. John Lennon's mother tragically died in a car accident when he was 17, which song bearing her name did he write in her memory?
19. Which actress played the mother in the 1970 British drama film 'The Railway Children'?
20. Which famous singer has children named Nesta Rock, Kingston James McGregor, and Apollo Bowie Flynn?
21. In Greek and Roman mythology, who was the mother of the twin brothers Castor and Pollux?
22. Which fictional character's mother was Monique Delacroix, from the canton of Vaud, in Switzerland?
23. In the Terminator films, what is the name of John Connor's mother?
24. Which artist created the work 'Mother and Child Divided'?
25. Which American state is nicknamed 'Mother of Presidents' because eight U.S. presidents were born there, including four of the first five presidents?



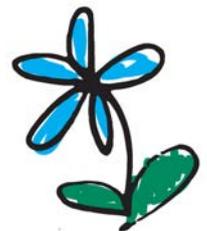
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Mother's Day quiz answers

The answers for our Mother's Day quiz.

1. Jennifer Lawrence
2. Necessity
3. Blythe Danner
4. Jennie (Jennie Spencer-Churchill also known as Lady Randolph Churchill)
5. She was born in Skopje (now capital of Macedonia), and died in Calcutta (renamed Kolkata)
6. Slade
7. Mater
8. Bill Bryson
9. Whistler's Mother
10. Widow Twankey
11. Gin
12. Little Women
13. Olivia
14. Nacre
15. Old Mother Riley
16. Anne Boleyn
17. Carnations
18. Julia
19. Dinah Sheridan
20. Gwen Stefani
21. Leda
22. James Bond's
23. Sarah
24. Damien Hirst
25. Virginia



Name the Celebrity Mother

All of these celebrities are mothers. How many of these celebrities do you know? Fill in the name of the famous mother in the blank space below each box. Play with family, friends or colleagues. Make a donation to play and the person who gets the most correct wins a prize!



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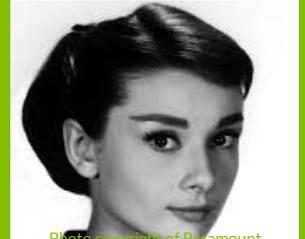


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Celebrity Mother photo quiz answers

1. Naomi Watts
2. Gisele Bündchen
3. Miranda Kerr
4. Beyoncé
5. Victoria Beckham
6. Sienna Miller
7. Sarah Jessica Parker
8. Jada Pinkett Smith
9. Katie Holmes
10. Angelina Jolie
11. Kate Moss
12. Audrey Hepburn
13. Diana Ross
14. Kim Basinger
15. Olivia Newton-John
16. Goldie Hawn

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