

Financing My Ministry Work

Here is a worksheet to help you plan!

Seeking Personal Sponsors:

1. List Potentials - get addresses

People I can ask to support me:

Name

Address

_____	_____
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2. Prepare & Send Letters

See www.shining-light.com/members for sample - use it or write your own!

Be sure to **Personalize** your letter— be creative - say what is special to you about SL, tell of an SL experience that has been memorable or life changing, use pictures of SL, etc.

3. Contact Your Church

Ask your church board, mission board, Sunday School class, parent's Sunday School Class, etc. - Make a Personal Contact - they are much more effective - ask someone in person and give them one of your letters, offer to come to a meeting, etc. (see Jeff if you need some help with this!)

Fund Raising

Fall Fund Raising Options (by November 2 due date)

Yankee Candles:
\$ _____ x 40% = \$ _____

Friends Helping Friends:
\$ _____ x \$5.00 = \$ _____

BBQ: _____ x \$2.00 = \$ _____

Patron Book Ads : _____ (#) ads
\$ _____ x 50% = \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Winter Fund Raising Options (by March 1 due date)

Soup: _____ x \$2.00 = \$ _____

Pizza: _____ x \$5.75 = \$ _____

Change Cans \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Spring Fund Raising Options (by June 1 due date)

BBQ: _____ x \$2.00 = \$ _____

Subs: _____ x \$1.50 = \$ _____

Change Cans \$ _____

Other \$ _____

Total \$ _____

Personal Contributions

I will set aside \$ _____ per (circle one) *week* *paycheck* *allowance* for my ministry. Doing this _____ times will enable me to contribute \$ _____.