DROP YOUR DRAWERS!

@ your library

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First Question: Why?

There are many barriers for a child in the learning environment. Many are beyond our help or control. We can help with underwear.





Second question: Why?

Libraries and schools seem like a natural fit. They aren't.





Third question: Why?

Because we need the publicity. (And we don't go viral like grumpy cats.)





Is there really a need?

Some of our schools give out 10 pairs of underwear a day.

One school had given out its last pair of new underwear the day that I dropped off its allotment from our last campaign....with five months of school to go.

More kids than you'd believe have no idea where they will be sleeping tonight.

(So...um...yes.)



But how did it come to this?





Will it be successful?

It's sort of like that starfish.





But.....

- One local manufacturer donated \$100...which bought about 80 pairs of underwear.
- One lady bought 185 pairs of underwear...because her granddaughter suffered with a bladder problem that had to be medically corrected.
- One local Montessori made collection a school-wide project.
- One local charitable group has made Drop Your Drawers their giving campaign and collected enough funds for over 1200 pairs of underwear.
- Leadership Northern Kentucky made Drop Your Drawers their class giving project for the last three years, donating over 1500 pairs.
- And I'm getting to talk to you and you (hopefully) are concerned about the problem and will help eliminate it.



And....

27,000 is a pretty good number.

Our own number was about 7800.

So...7800 divided by 11 elementary schools (with a few going to a middle school) equals about 700 pairs for each school.



So...how do I get on board?



And will I get cool stuff?





CAPTAIN UNDERPANTS SAYS ... DR.OP • PUBLIC LIBRARY • at Campbell County **Public Library** Donate packages of **NEW** underwear at any Art © 1997-2015 Dav Pilkey ର CCPL branch through November and December. Boys and girls sizes 4-16 needed. Benefils Femily Resource Centers at these OUR GOAL elementary schools: Campbell Moyer Newport Ridge Intermediate Cline •Crossroads Newport • Crandview Primary Confis Reiley lick Silver Grove Southgate Johnson Woodfill • Lincoln

COLD SPRING: 3920 Alexandria Pike, Cold Spring, KY 41076 859-781-6166 CARRICO/FORT THOMAS: 1000 Highland Ave., Fort Thomas KY 41075 859-572-5033 NEWPORT: 901 East 6th Street, Newport, KY 41071859-572-5035

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But...we have to get permission to use the Captain Underpants image and you can't use our logo and it won't include the names of Campbell County schools and your goal for number of pairs to be donated might be different ... but... other than that it will be vaguely similar to this one. Oh...and you'll have to pay for your own printing.

FLYERS!

A REALLY COOL COUNTING BOARD



(We use a little picture of underwear to fill in blanks as groups of ten are donated.)



Campbell County Public Library News Release

For Immediate Release October 27, 2015

FIRST DRAFT

Drop Your Drawers @ the Library

Drop Your Drawers is a campaign asking for donations of packages of new underwear for children in all public elementary schools in Campbell County. New packages of boys and girls underwear in sizes 4-16 are desperately at local elementary schools.

WHY

WHAT

The donations will help replenish the schools' supplies of emergency underpants and provide direct assistance to families affiliated with each school's Family Resource Centers. The need is great. Children who have accidents at school miss learning time in the classroom as parents often are unable to bring fresh underwear to their children during school hours. Schools are handing out 30-80 pair of underwear a month!

Contact: Kiki Dreyer Burke

859-781-6166, ext. 11

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20	Total	3000
21	Percentage	100%

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STICKERS!!

(Okay. It's really just one sticker...but you could have a lot printed and then it would be STICKERS!)



What if we don't like the name?





Just use a different name...

Need Your Knickers, for example.







And...even better...

Kids will have underwear.

Clean underwear.

Underwear that fits.

Replacement underwear for accidents.

Because having underwear...admittedly...is a good thing.









More information? Same place.

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Community Partners

Breckinridge County Public Library Free 5K Race and Junior Master Gardner Program Jeana Dubree- Children's Librarian Sarah Flood-Director/ Teen Librarian

Pros and Cons of the 5k

• Pros

- Library promotes healthy living for the community
- Library provides a free event where families can enjoy it together because most 5ks are fundraisers
- Library provides the community with outreach

• Cons

- Stressing over everything
- Paperwork
- Need lots of volunteers
- Weather



5K

- Get help from others who have had a 5K
- The Kentucky road department paperwork
- Notify the police
- Liability
- Make sure everyone is on board at the Library
- Don't give up and be persistent
- Most of all have fun while doing it all!



5K Partners

- Coalition for Change/Communicare
- Southwire
- Gentry's General Store/Bluegrass Cellular Agents
- IGA Grocery Store
- Elite Physical Therapy
- Volunteers- High school
- Ben Johnson Elementary PE Teacher/Cross Country Coach
- Ask other organizations and businesses if they would like to donate. We had blood pressure checks last year.
- Water, promotional items to go in the bags and money

Cost of Event

- First Year
- We spent around 300 dollars on t-shirts
- Water was donated and some of the cost of t-shirts
- We also paid for items to go in goody bag
- Attendance-100

- Second year
- We spent around 30 dollars on water
- T-shirts were paid for by donated money
- Goody bags were filled with promotional items from other businesses and items we had left over from other events
- Attendance-150

Extras you need to know....

- It's not easy
- Make sure no other events are happening near the 5k to cause traffic
- It takes more staff members than you think to help
- Leave yourself plenty of time to plan, I start in January the 5k isn't till June/July
- Providing water during 5k is necessary
- State or County Road?
- Signs and mapping out the race
- Timing everyone- People who do the race will want to know how long it took them to finish. Download the free app Racetimer

5k Theme and Design of 2017

2018 Theme is Rock 'n' Run

5K & a Better YOU!

Build a Better World

Breckinridge County Public Library

Example of our liability waiver for the 5k

Liability Waiver

I know that running a road race is potentially hazardous activity and that I should not enter and run unless I am medically able and properly trained. I assume all risks associated with running in this event. Having read this waiver and knowing these facts, and in consideration of accepting my entry, I and anyone entitled to act on my behalf, waive and release the Breckinridge County Public Library from any claims and liabilities of any kind arising out of my participation in this event. Further, I consent to any appropriate photographs, videos, or recordings of this event for advertising purposes.

Signature (Parent/guardian if under 18)

Date

Build a better world & a better you 5K 2017



Junior Master Gardener Program

- Started in 2013 with 4H Agent
- 4th grade and up can be certified
- First 2 years, only 4th grade, then 3rd grade and up
- Finally 2017 we opened it to all ages and had 4 beds! 35 kids
- Partnership is with 4H and Master Gardener program through UK Cooperative Extension
- Community Garden at Irvington



Junior Master Gardener

• Pros

- Children are involved in healthy activity
- Educational and Fun
- Beautiful garden area for the library
- Other Partners
- Free produce for the children and then for community after program

- Cons
 - Sometimes many leaders
 - Keeping track of 30 children
 - Use of sharp objects at times
 - Watering!!



Why it is all worth it!






Need		Agency
Food insecurity of our local community	•	HOPE (local)
Food insecurity of our global community		No Kid Hungry (national)
Food insecurity of our global community	\bigcirc	Oxfam (international)
Mother/child care in unplanned pregnancies	\bigcirc	New Hope Center (local)
Senior Care in our local community	\bigcirc	Grant County Senior Center (local)
Neighbors with exceptionalities		Jonesville Rest Home (local)
Homeless and feral animals	\bigcirc	Grant County Animal Shelter (local)
Free Family Fun	\bigcirc	Grant County Public Library!

Let's share some calm & good health with the residents of Jonesville Rest Home by making coloring books!

TEENS BUILD A BETTER WORLD: COLOR ME CALM

July 18, 3:30

Grant County Public Library Connecting you to your community and beyond







Make a difference in a young mother's life by making tie-dyed onesies for the New Hope Center!



TEENS BUILD A BETTER WORLD: A CAUSE TO TIE-DYE FOR

June 14, 3:30

















Join Shari Petri in turning old plastic bags into leashes for the Grant County Animal Shelter!

TEENS BUILD A BETTER WORLD: LOVE & LEASHES

June 28, 3:30



SAVING THE WORLD.. ..ONE BAG AT A TIME

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HUNGER BANQUET (all ages)

OXFAM

America

June 6, 3:30



↑ Take action > Find or host an event > Oxfam Hunger Banquet®

OXFAM HUNGER BANQUET®

Join the movement to end hunger



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? Sign In

SUPPLEMENTAL RESOURCES CHARACTER TICKETS To make your <i>0xfam Hunger Banquet</i> event more interesting for your guests, we have developed character tickets. Event partici-	Welcome. Thank you for joining us. Here-today-you are Emiliana and you live in Tanzania.	Adobe Export PDF Convert PDF Files to Word or Excel Online
pants can access information about the individual on their ticket by texting the name of the person on their ticket to 97779. These are portraits, based on real people, intended to illustrate the lives of those who might live in these income groups around the world. Print the tickets on the following pages onto colored paper and have guests draw the character tickets randomly as they arrive. Use a different color for each income group.	Homoson Text EMI to 97779 now-before the event begins-to learn more about your character. Take action. Join the movement of people who won't live with poverty: text ACTNOW to 97779.	Select PDF File 2016_OxfamDWTgmu.pdf Convert to Microsoft Word (*.docx)
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Low Income Group = 50% of attendees



Middle Income Group = 30% of attendees



High Income Group = 20% of attendees





SAMPLE OXFAM HUNGER BANQUET® EVENT SCHEDULE

5:00-6:00	 Volunteers arrive. Volunteer coordinator assigns volunteers to 			
	 Volunteers set up and decorate site, design- sign-ups, donations, and information. 	MIDDLE-INCOME GROUP Gamma 30 servings (i.e., one-half to three-quarters of a cup) of rice and beans in trays with serving spoons	 Recruit eight to 10 volunteers for the erarrive 60–90 minutes beforehand, depering setup required. Develop a list of voluments of setup required. 	
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6:15-6:20 • Host gives weld • Host acknowled		□ 30 cups	SAMPLE VOLUNTEER CHECKLIS	
	Host acknowledges sponsors and people where the second secon	Water in pitchers or another container	Appoint one person to handle AV equipment AV equipment	
6:20-6:35	• MC reads Oxfam Hunger Banquet event scrip	HIGH-INCOME GROUP 20 dinner-size portions of pasta, salad, and rolls (or whatever is offered)	Appoint one person to greet and accom speaker or other special guests. Make s knows who these people are and what the during the banguet.	
		20 nice napkins 20 regular plates, glasses, forks, knives, and spoons	Appoint two to four people to distribute (determined by number of entrances to t)	
6:35-6:50	 Attendees eat meal. Play music or slideshow (optional). 	 Table linens for the tables Juice or soda for 20 PROGRAM 	Appoint at least one or two people to st donation, and information table. You ma more than one table for sign-ups, one at at the back of the room.	
6:50-7:15	 MC asks for a moment of silence to reflect or Banquet event. MC leads sharing period. 	 Keep to 90 minutes or less, as it's difficult to hold people's attention when they're seated on the floor for too long. Let people know either through a program or at the welcome 	Appoint two to four people to answer que people to the area determined by their t encourage people to text to learn about	
	 Mc concludes and invites attendees to sign 	what to expect in terms of speakers, video, etc. This will help you avoid having people leave during or immediately follow- ing the meal portion of the banquet.	THESE SAME PEOPLE OR OTHERS CAN BE GIV ADDITIONAL TASKS: Two people to serve and wait on the hig	
	no concludes and marces arcendees (0 sign	• Be sure that any speakers have all the information they need, including what the event is about; what their role is; and where they need to be, at what time, and for how long.	This role may include actually putting the in advance of the start of the banquet. N distracting to have people preparing plat	
		The role of MC is central to the success of the event and	opening of the banquet. But this should the peed to keep the food warm. It all de	

- must be assigned to someone who can assume this responsibility, including spending time preparing for the role by familiarizing him- or herself with the script and understanding the intended outcome of the event. The MC will often lead the all-important sharing portion of the event and must be able to create an atmosphere that encourages people to speak up.
- · Do a run-through on all audiovisual equipment, including the DVD player, microphones, LCD projector, and sound system-to make sure that everything is in working order and that a knowledgeable person is taking responsibility for operating all. Give the AV person a script that indicates the various points at which each piece of equipment will be initiated and for how long.

SAMPLE OXFAM HUNGER BANQUET® EVENT SCRIPT

INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the Oxfam Hunger Banquet event. We are here today because more than 2.2 billion people live in poverty.

[PAUSE]

Nearly 795 million people suffer from chronic hunger.

nearly every 10 seconds. That's more than 8,000 children a day.

You may think hunger is about too many people and too little food. That is not the case. Our rich and bountiful planet produces enough food to feed every woman, man, and child on earth.

resources. The results are illiteracy, poverty, war, and the inability of families to grow or buy food.

Hunger affects everyone, in countries rich and poor, in urban and rural areas. But some of us face greater challenges than others. Every day, resources like land and water are becoming harder to access. Global shifts in the climate are adding to the problem, making it difficult for people to sow and harvest crops.

But the situation is far from hopeless: we have made progress. Efforts like yours have helped to decrease the proportion of the world's population living in hunger. But hundreds of millions of people still don't have access to the food they need. Food prices remain volatile, and for many, food that is within reach one day may not be affordable the next.

Meanwhile, the gap between the wealthy few and the many living in poverty is steadily growing wider, putting this progress in jeopardy.

Your presence here today shows that you are concerned. You want to learn more. You want to make a difference.

Today, you join Oxfam in the fight against world hunger.

For decades, Oxfam has been promoting change "from the bottom up" through hundreds of grassroots organizations around the world. Altogether, Oxfam works in more than 90 countries to save lives, develop long-term solutions to

The way we see it, poverty is solvable—a problem rooted in injustice. Eliminate injustice and you can eliminate poverty. We're not saying it will be guick or easy, but it can be done. We won't patch a problem and then disappear. We won't stand by silently and watch others suffer.

Oxfam doesn't impose solutions. We see people's power to change their own lives. We believe that people have the right, and the understanding, to create solutions for their own communities and to control their own futures.

Although we are committed to our community-based work, we know that there are also larger barriers that keep people from thriving. We recognize our responsibility to hold the powerful accountable. That's why, together with people like you, we call on companies and governments to change the policies and practices that keep people trapped in poverty.

We also educate the US public on hunger and poverty issues, which is what this Oxfam Hunger Banquet event is all about.

This event is a metaphor for how food and other resources are inequitably distributed in the world. As such, an Oxfam Hunger Banquet event can only touch upon the issues. We cannot recreate the many complex ways poverty manifests itself. We will not have time to go into all the problems associated with lack of access to health care, education, and employment opportunities, and the realities of the day-to-day struggle for survival.

The one thing I would like you to remember is this: Everyone on earth has the same basic needs; it is only our circumstanceswhere we live and the culture into which we are born-that differ. Some of us are born into relative prosperity and security, while millions-through no choice of our own-are born into poverty.

As each of us walked in the door here today, we drew our lot at random. Look around, and you can see that equality and balance don't exist here.

Please note: No one section of this room represents a single country. While the US is one of the wealthiest countries on earth, 46.7 million Americans live in poverty. More than 20 percent of children in the US—or one in every five American children—live below the poverty line. Stark inequalities



Hunger is about power. Its roots lie in inequalities in access to

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Two people to serve rice and beans from the 30 people in the middle-income group.

Two people to deliver the tray of rice with a serving spoon, plates/bowls, and the water and cups to the 50 people in the low-income group. Participants will have to determine for themselves how to split the rice from the communal bowl.

Four to five people to distribute materials, including pens, either before the event or at the end when you invite people to join Oxfam's online community. (It's often distracting to have people passing out materials while someone is speaking, so you may wish to set out materials throughout the room before the event begins 1

[PAUSE]

A child dies from malnutrition or a related, preventable illness





















"It was fascinating to learn the varieties of ways we could help the community." Abigail

"The Build a Better World experience was eye-opening." Shelby

"The Hunger Banquet gave me an awareness of the lack of food in other countries." Cassandra

> "You draw in a lot of the young people to volunteer. Thank you for providing opportunities." Sheila, mom

"There were a lot of fun activities to participate in. I love the library!" Emily

"It was interesting to recycle plastic bags into leashes instead of throwing them away." Rebecca



Teens Build a Better World Library Lock-In for our top teen participants!

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