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At school, in the neighborhood, local park, sports event or with your kids club. Ask a parent to donate the ingredients and set up a lemonade stand to benefit your groups' activities or donation. The money collected should be donated to your cause and signage needs to be displayed at your booth announcing what the money will be used for.

TIPS AND HINTS:

Selecting a Location:

This is one of the first things that must be done. It's important when selecting a location to remember traffic count and visibility. It is important to find a safe location in a busy part of town. Kids, remember to have a parent accompany you! Check to make sure there is no city or local ordinance requiring you to get special permission.

Picking Dates and Times:

You should pick a date in advance if at all possible. Check the calendar section of your local newspaper. Are there any major community events occurring on the same day as your planned lemonade stand fundraiser? A conflict of interest may cause a decrease in the same day of attendance.

Rain Dates:

What about rain? You should have a rain date. Perhaps the following week or two to three weeks later. Make sure that your rain date doesn't conflict with any big events either.

Supplies:

Supplies that will be needed include; lemonade mix, sugar, water, plastic or paper cups, napkins, cash box, table, chairs, poster board for signage, a large spoon to stir the ingredients, and a large cooler or container for the lemonade. When purchasing lemonade mix it is often cheaper to buy in bulk. Maybe throw in some assorted cookies as adding selling power.

Kids, have a parent or adult help you find the supplies you need.