

BTC Foundation Guidelines for Fundraising Activities

Please contact the Foundation with your idea for a fundraiser at least two weeks prior to the event or activity. We will ensure that your activity is legal and acceptable under 501(c)(3) guidelines and that it aligns with campus policies and initiatives. We may offer ideas and suggestions to ensure compliance and help make your fundraiser a success.

We appreciate and support your creativity and eagerness to raise money for your programs and projects!

Please follow these simple steps:

- 1. Complete the Request for Approval of Fundraising Activity
- 2. Establish a "game plan" for money earned if a Foundation account does not already exist for the program, specify to which College account the funds will be transferred.
- 3. Obtain approval and necessary signatures then send the form to the Foundation. The Foundation will forward your request to President's Council for approval.
- 4. A BTC instructor/staff member must provide oversight and be present during the event.
- 5. The staff member must be responsible for money spent & received and inventory purchased & sold.
- 6. The staff member will present the Foundation with an accurate accounting and give earnings to the Foundation within 10 days after the event.
- 7. The Foundation will deposit the money to the pre-determined account within 10 days of receipt.

Complete the following page, obtain signatures, and return to the Foundation office.



Bellingham Technical College Foundation Request for Approval of Fundraising Activity

Date of event	Account (ORG) to which funds will be deposited
BTC staff person requesting/responsible party	Phone/contact Info
Program or project benefitting from the activity	Departmental Dean/Administrator
Detailed description of the event/activity (include location	n):
Notes/changes/restrictions from Foundation:	
Signature of person making request	Dean/Administrator signature
Foundation signature	Instructor/Staff providing oversight
Date of approval	President/VP signature