

# Giving Activity Ideas



## BUSINESS

- **Challenge** – Start a friendly rivalry with a fellow local business, and see who can raise the most on Giving Hearts Day.
- **Snowbank signs** – Looking for a simple team-building activity? Brave the cold, and plaster the town in Giving Hearts Day snowbank signs.
- **Team challenge** – Get a friendly competition going within your office, and see which department can raise the most for good. Consider incentivizing the contest with a trophy or another reward.
- **Volunteer** – Coordinate a volunteer activity for your employees, like a food drive or promote paid time to allow employees to volunteer for the charity of their choice.



## SCHOOL

- **Kindness bingo** - Teach your class about the joys of giving through a fun, engaging Giving Hearts Day activity.
- **Volunteer** - Have your students log their volunteer hours with a local charity to be entered into a drawing for a \$10 Giving Hearts Day gift card.
- **“Book reports”** - Have each of your students research and give a short presentation on a Giving Hearts Day charity.
- **Penny war** - If you want to get multiple classrooms at your school involved, have them compete in a friendly penny war, with the winning class choosing where the proceeds go.



## YOU

- **Week of gratitude** – In the days leading up to Giving Hearts Day, have each member of your family write something they’re grateful for. Then, on the day itself, give your responses to the charities that are working to provide those same things for others.
- **Spend-save-give jars** – This one is for the kids. Have your little ones set aside some money each day/week/month in their piggy bank – some to spend, some to save, and some to give. Then, have them use the “give” funds to donate to their favorite charity on Giving Hearts Day.
- **Snowbank signs** – Pick up some Giving Hearts Day snowbank signs at Dakota Medical Foundation (and while you’re at it, turn your snowbanks red!).
- **Bingo** – Download our free Giving Hearts Day bingo card, and host a fun family game night.
- **Giving gathering** – Host a giving gathering (virtually this year), and tell friends and family about your favorite charity.



Help someone.