

**NEW JERSEY STATE FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS  
TEN TOP FUNDRAISING PROJECTS 2024**

1. **The Junior Woman's Club of Sparta** kicked off a new fundraiser for 2024 call **90's Trivia**. They secured a venue, food, decorations, an emcee and prepared trivia questions and an answer sheet. They advertised the event via social media. Since they don't have a clubhouse, they also secured sponsorships to pay for the venue and sandwiches. Six club members volunteered that night to help. To keep with the 90's theme they sold 90 tickets at \$40. Participants dressed in 90's garb and came to play. They made \$2000 for 40 hours of work.
2. **The Montville Woman's Club** partnered with their Board of Education to sponsor **Denim Day**. In order for teachers and staff to wear their jeans on a specified day, they paid \$5 dollars. The Education and Libraries chair worked with the schools to advertise the event and an email blast went out to the teachers and staff. The profits of \$335 went to their Scholarship fund.
3. **The Ramsey Woman's Club** started a **Flower Power** Craft sale. One of the members produced large and small paper flowers. She purchases the materials at a discount, makes the crafts at her leisure then sells them at the meetings and other events. Because of its success, shadow boxes, necklaces keychains and wine bottle gift tags became part of their repertoire. The club keeps the profit after the cost of the materials. The crafts were priced between \$1-\$20 with a 275% net profit.
4. **The Woman's Club of Hammonton** had a **Soup Night**. The club gave themselves 1 month to sell 100 tickets to the community for 3 of their famous soups. Flyers were distributed and advertised on social media for this event. A few members went around town and had ingredients, containers, spoons and crackers donated. A few members gather to help prepare the soups on the specified pick-up day. The soups were refrigerated and then a few members remained for the pick-up. At \$12.00 per container, all 100 tickets for the soups were sold. Their profit was \$1200 for 30 hours of work
5. Two **No Shred Clothing Drive** were held by **The Bridgewater Woman's Club**. They identified a NJ based organization, Turn Key Enterprises, that picks up gently used clothes and distributed them to the underserved population. They publicized the event to the community, and on social media. A Sunday was picked and 10 volunteers working 2-hour shifts between 8-5 help the community members with a drive-up, drop-off method. The clothes were loaded up to a truck sent by Turn Key Enterprises, weighed, sorted at a warehouse and distributed to agencies providing services to the underprivileged. With 10 volunteers and no monetary outlay, the club made \$560 for 70 hours of work.
6. **Stay at Home Tea** was sponsored by the **Haddon Fortnightly Club**. On a cold winter day in January, the membership committee along with the new members donated assorted flavored tea bags. Invitations were mailed with a self-addressed return envelope along with the tea bags which were compiled by the committee to each member. A voluntary monetary donation for the tea was asked in return. They gave members 1 month to return their donations. For 20 hours' work the club profited \$3,152.00.
7. **The Woman's Club of Denville Rockaway Area** held a **Walk-a thon**. Members were asked to get sponsors (family, friends, businesses) to participate in the walk. For flexibility purposes, a 1-week time frame was set up. Club members had sponsors sign a pledge for either dollars per mile or a flat fee for completing the walk. Flexibility with this club was the key. With 20 participants walking roughly 1 hour, they raised \$1,675 for their scholarships with no initial lay-out.
8. **Tiffany's Corner** was created in memory of a late member Nurse Alberta McClean from the **Woman's Club of Upper Montclair**. **Recycled** jewelry was donated by club members, their family and friends. Two club members volunteered to clean, sort and sometimes repair the jewelry. The gently used jewelry is brought to meetings and other club events to be sold. For 30 hours' worth of work \$769 was realized.
9. **The Woman's Club of Paramus** held a **Vibrational Sound Healing** event. An instructor donated her time, the Clubhouse was utilized and 27 members paid \$20 for a 1 hour and 15 minute relaxation class. She spent a few minutes explaining the benefits of both Eastern and Western medicine and guided

participants through series of sounds created by bowls. Advertisement was free with posting a flyer on several social media sites. The club collected \$550 for less than 10 hours' work.

10. **The Woman's Club of Spring Lake** held a **Sip and Shop Day**. A town boutique in their community was chosen as well as a strategic day (the day before a huge sidewalk sale) that was designated only for the club members, family and friends. The boutique gave the club 15% of the sales received that day. Members, family and friends gathered throughout the day, sipped donated Prosecco and indulged in the sweet treats. For 10 hours of work, Club members enjoyed impromptu fashion shows with camaraderie, fun and laughs and a profit \$1237.50 for 10 hours of work.