



**Develop leadership**

**Earn Awards**



### Providing Service to Community

1. Using the Pizz-A-Thon website [www.pizz-a-thon.com](http://www.pizz-a-thon.com) as a guide. Eldon Weber will respond to special postings of interest or to answer questions. Or email him at [e1935w@aol.com](mailto:e1935w@aol.com) for program planning and generating funds to support the cost of materials and awards.

**Individual and/or team efforts-Kids-brainstorm as to how you can use the (25% stipend) you earn as part of an annual sponsorship fee from sponsors such as your local Farm Organization s like Farm Bureau, business such as pizzerias, bank or grocery store or soil and water conservation district.**

**American Business** (develop a pizzeria mock business-explore, discover and create)

**Animal Science** (research the meat that goes into your newly created team pizza)

**Art** (use art in visuals to market your teams newly created pizza-example logo or place mat)

**Communications** (use oral and written in your marketing report)

**Computers** (assist in designing page for the web site [www.pizz-a-thon.com](http://www.pizz-a-thon.com) to support your program)

**Cooking** (prepare and bake team or individual created pizza indoors or outside on camping trip)

**Entrepreneurship** (establish your mock pizzeria business and try making profit for your organization)

**Environmental Science** (trace your pizza ingredients back to the soil and conduct soil experiment)

**Gardening** (plan a pizza garden to provide fresh ingredients for team pizzas)

**Inventing** (explore, discover and create a new pizza recipe and name it and your pizzeria)

**Journalism** (publish a Pizz-A-Thon press release using visual, written and oral communications)

**Photography** (serve as your team's photographer and use photos in marketing your pizza)

**Public Speaking** (use your communication skills in your team's 5 minute marketing report)

**Reading** (research and read about jobs, careers and processes tracing ingredients-keep a journal)

**Safety** (ensure safe activities associated with the soil experiment and baking team pizzas)

**Salesmanship** (use effective marketing techniques in fund raising to support the Pizz-A-Thon)

**Soil and Water Conservation** (use plant/root observation box to discover importance of conservation)

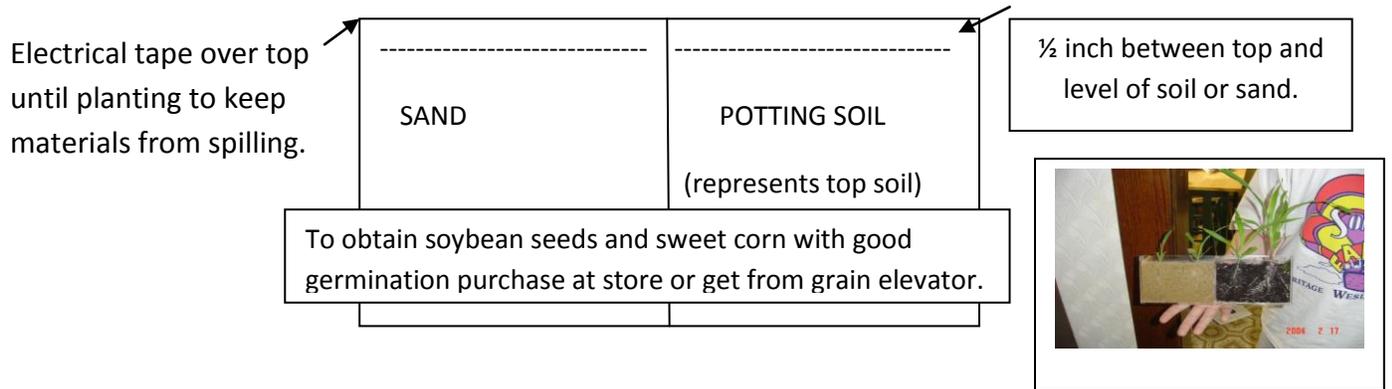
**Transportation** (trace the ingredients {types of transport} from source to your pizza)

## Leadership Development

*"plant a seed and nurture it to grow"*

*Agriculture and soil conservation are key subjects in the multi-subject program.*

**(Soil-Heart of the Earth and Pizz-A-Thon):** To encourage leaders to use this two week experiment, where kids hypothesize what this box will look like after growth of newly planted corn and soybeans and then explore and discover the value of protecting our soils from erosion.



**Goal:** Select a local project and engage members aimed: kids to become leaders and positive role models while in their youth, involving them in leadership opportunities (featuring development of skills in communications, team building, motivation, delegating, creativity, responsibility, sustainability, discovering self-worth and carrying through on commitment).

As a part of the leadership experience, students, in their communities, are encouraged to seek donors/sponsors to cover the cost of the program and a community project. Example: t shirts, medallions, ribbons, Plexiglas soil experiment boxes and a stipend for the school or youth organization. To provide teams an opportunity to develop a project that will help the community in a charitable or benevolent way, youth assist in the following:

- Seek needed resources (teams earn 25% of the donation and sponsorship fee they generate) once the check for the total fee is received by the Pizz-A-Thon Partnership, the stipend will be provided to the troop.
- Develop a philanthropy project that will serve as “planting of a seed in fertile top soil” where the money they generate is multiplied (leveraged) in helping youth in their community.
- The sponsorship stipend would be presented to the kids at the Pizz-A-Thon Awards Ceremony.
- Kids interested in the social media technology would assist Eldon Weber design a project page on the [www.pizz-a-thon.com](http://www.pizz-a-thon.com) web site and take leadership in maintaining a blog.
- If interested, invite another schools or organizations to participate allowing for additional competition.

### Kids Plan and Carryout a Pizz-A-Thon to Help Their Community

To finance their project, scouts approach neighbors and family members. In making online sales - **Click [donate](#)** to seek on line donations on [www.pizz-a-thon.com](http://www.pizz-a-thon.com) . In raising money for a community service project, they learn to serve,,(Host -Lions Club motto “We Serve”).

**Levels Of \$ Collection and Prizes** (medals displayed on a lanyard are rewards for kids collecting achievements levels)

\*Medals Or



Danc'in Beef-n-Cheddar \$20-\$49



Sausage Rock-n-Roll \$50-\$74



Garden Delight \$75-\$99



Chicken Alfredo \$100-\$199



Supreme-face to face only \$200+

\*medals hang on a neck lanyard

### PARTICIPATION REPORT

#### Evaluation Outcome Summary

1. What was the most rewarding part of activities?
2. Explain outcome of community service plan.
3. What was liked least about the activities?"
4. What was the most Challenging activity?
5. How can the program be improved for scouts?
6. On a scale of 1 to 10 with 10 the best, rate the program.

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#### Sponsor/Donor Application

\$\_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor Amount, \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Tel. # \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Send check to: **Pizz-A-Thon Partnership**  
**P.O. Box 1932**  
**Ames, IA 50010**

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**\*Anchor Sponsor (highest donor) featured on the Billboard [www.pizz-a-thon.com](http://www.pizz-a-thon.com)**

Range of Sponsorship Fees to over 16 year period to date:

\_\_\_\$100,\_\_\_ \$250, \_\_\_\$500, \_\_\_\$1,000, \_\_\_\$2,000

## **TEACHING THEM TO SERVE**

To finance their project, KIDS approach neighbors and family members in raising money for their Pizz-A-Thon Program and a community service project. This fun experience helps develop their interest and ethics in finding satisfaction in community service (in line with the Pizz-A-Thon Host - Lions Club motto - "We Serve). Medals displayed on a lanyard are rewards for kids collecting achievements.

## **ART CONTEST (prizes awarded)**

Kids develop the logo for their program in a Logo/Motto Art Contest"

1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners will be awarded cash as follows: 1st place winner \$30, 2nd place winner \$20, 3rd place winner \$10.

## **EXAMPLE OF HOW KIDS EARN MONEY FOR THEIR PROJECT AND PIZZ-A-THON**

25% of collected money will be returned to the school/club for covering local expenses and or for a community project, decided by the kids and teacher/leader.

Example: 10 kids collect \$5 each = \$50, 5 kids collect \$20 each = \$100

3 kids collect \$50 = \$150, 4 kids collect \$75 = \$300, 2 kids collect \$100 = \$200

1 kid collects \$200 = \$200, Total \$1,000 x 25% = \$250 for schools/clubs to use.

**Money Transfer:** Money collected by kids should be cash and checks made out to the school or participating youth organization. Following the financial activities of the kids, the organization is to **Send a check in the amount collected by kids to:**

Pizz-A-Thon Partnership, P.O. Box 1932, Ames, IA 50010 (25 % will be returned to the class/club/troop to use in the kid's community service project).

The 75% retained by the Pizz-A-Thon Partnership will be used as follows:

FREE (number based on each community's level of participation): Facilitator's Guide and awards for the school/club/troop including t-shirts, medallions, ribbons, Plexiglas boxes for soil experiment, provided prior to awards ceremony,