

Ideas for Hosting an Event

Many of our supporters have said, “Great! I’d be love to let people know about TPF and its mission, but honestly I’m a little nervous.” Some people are worried about entertaining, others are shy about speaking in public, and many are hesitant to ask their friends and family for a donation. Taking a stand on what you believe in and asking others to support you are important actions. But moments along the way can feel uncertain.

What we continually hear, however, is that the event touches those who were invited and the host. One house party host writes, “I was surprised that so many of my guests actually thanked me for organizing the event - people were grateful to be introduced to the TPF's good work.”

If you are not sure about where to start and what kind of event you would like to host here are a few ideas that have been tested:

- ❖ Family and friends brunch, lunch, dinner parties
- ❖ Birthday parties as fundraisers where gifts will be made in your honor to support TPF
- ❖ After-work party with Co-workers in the office or outside
- ❖ Potluck with neighbors
- ❖ A community picnic in your neighborhood park
- ❖ A movie night with an inspirational selection of movies to motivate your guests (ask us for suggestions)
- ❖ Fourth of July Barbeque Party
- ❖ Oscars Night Party
- ❖ Super Bowl Parties