



Great Scottish Book Off

Thanks for signing up to be part of the Great Scottish Book Off (GSBO) in aid of Capability Scotland. By taking part in this event you will be supporting us to provide education, employment and care services for disabled children and adults across Scotland.

What is a Book Off?

It's a great excuse to get together with friends, family, schoolmates or colleagues and raise funds for Capability Scotland. Everyone brings along books to swap and can pick up new recommended reading materials. You could do this at school, at home, in your community centre or at work or it could be in the form of a coffee morning, lunch, afternoon tea or evening soiree.

Key points

- People pay to attend the book off, suggested donation £5
- Bring a minimum of three books and a maximum of 10
- Left over books can be donated to Capability Scotland shops

Make the Most of your Fundraising

There are lots of ways you can raise extra money at your GSBO, such as:

- Have a bake sale
- Hold a raffle
- Pay to play games such as Guess How Many Sweets in the Jar, Guess the Teddy's Name, Tombola or a Bottle Stall.
- Be creative, for example, if you're having your GSBO at home and you don't want everyone tramping their dirty shoes through your house you could have a Jazzy Sock Competition - people pay to enter and the person with the best socks wins a prize!



Let Us Know How it Went

We'd love to hear all about your GSBO. Please send us some photos so we can post them on our Facebook and Twitter pages to encourage more people to get involved.

Pay in Your Money

You can pay in the money you have raised in the following ways:

Online – go to www.virginmoneygiving.com/GSBO, you can either donate the money directly to this page or set up your own GSBO event page and donate the money you raise on there.

Phone – Please call us on 0800 980 5331 and pay by card over the phone.

Bank - Please call us on 0800 980 5331 and we will arrange for a paying in slip to be sent to you.

Cheque - Please make any cheques payable to 'Capability Scotland' and send them along with a note of your name and address to 'Fundraising (GSBO), Capability Scotland, 11 Ellersly Road, Edinburgh, EH12 6HY.'

Text - Ask your guests to text their donation on the evening, simply by texting 'GSBO 5' to donate £5 or 'GSBO 10' to donate £10. Full T&C's available on our website.

Got a question?

If you have any questions about holding your own GSBO event please contact Julie Spence, Community & Events Fundraising Manager: 0141 433 8714 ext 2029 or julie.spence@capability-scotland.org.uk.

Did you know that just £5 could pay for a kit which allows us to assess the level of understanding of someone who has no verbal communication?

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