

OCT 19, 2020 AT 12 AM EDT - OCT 25, 2020 AT 1...

Raise Each Other Up! (a fundraising auction)

Free • Online Event





Bidding is now closed.

Winners have been announced

Payments can be made through eft (to our email) or through PayPal:

BPW H&PE's 2020 Online Fundraiser

Today, as always, many hands make light work; When we work together, we can do great things

the WHY - Our letter out to contributors:

One of BPW's most important roles is advocating for change to positively impact the lives of girls and women.

Locally, immediately and directly, we are delighted to collaborate to the benefit of all involved in the auction. We are also excited for you to be part of the successes ahead to benefit the lives of women and girls in the Bay of Quinte Region, Ontario, Canada and the world!

the Pivot

our annual fundraiser had to go COVID friendly (online), which opened it up to this great new initiative:

- supporting local businesses with a low cost advertising opportunity
- providing folks in the area an opportunity to shop / visit / explore / learn at a discount
- turning some of the money to Hospice Quinte (last year's beneficiary of our efforts).



About the Auction

The BPW Trenton & District club wanted to find a way to help those who are helping women and girls in the Bay of Quinte region. We are excited to bring this inaugural online auction project to life this year to help a local non profit organization that directly impacts the lives of women and girls.

In Canada, the majority of the burden of family



care falls on women. Hospice Quinte's compassionate and well-trained staff and volunteers change the lives of the terminally ill, their families, and the bereaved for the better by offering them support and companionship through visiting hospice services and support groups. Hospice Quinte's service area includes Quinte West, Belleville, Tyendinaga Township, Deseronto, and the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory.

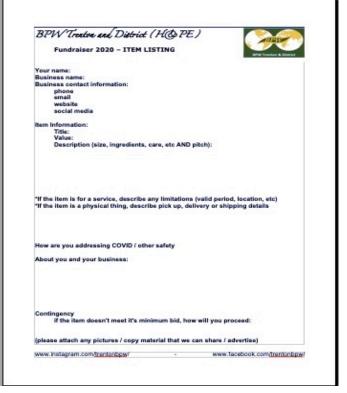
the How – building the auction

Thanks to social media (spent \$30), weebly (free) and email (free), we were able to get the message out -yep, for \$30*!

Each BPW member canvassed friends and peers for offerings. And it didn't take many contributions to build enough of a platform to make a difference! We're a small club and we did it!







The How – auction sales

SHOPPERS:

- www.bpw-trenton.weebly.com
- FaceBook event (for bidding)
- Facebook and instagram posts (for advertising)

CONTRIBUTIORS:

Advertising on all platforms and word of mouth

MEMBERSHIP:

Great way to get the word out about BPW locally :)

Everyone loves statistics;)

- Our club consisted of 8 active e-members*
- We had 17 items for auction (Kingston to Trenton +)
 - Value: \$3842.00
 - Raised: \$1592.50
 - :. Savings to local shoppers: \$2249.50
- We had 3 online events
 - Value: ~\$3400
 - Raised: \$350

GRAND TOTAL \$1992.50 (\$1400 to Hospice)



SUCCESS!

And now for 2021!

*runs concurrently with Quinte Small Biz Week

