



Party Toolkit





THE NINE TELETHON IS THE ONLY LIVE TELEVISED FUNDRAISING EVENT IN QUEENSLAND!

After being postponed in 2021, the Nine Telethon is back for the eighth year!

The live broadcast will air on Saturday 23 April, jam-packed with entertainment and some extraordinary patient and family stories.

The Nine Telethon is one of Queensland's best 'feel-good' nights of television.

There are so many kids and families going through tough times, and they're so heartened to know that the community is right behind them. Every donation, no matter how big or small, will lessen the hurt and help sick kids heal and get home sooner.



HOW CAN YOU HELP?

By raising funds through a Telethon Party, you will help the Children's Hospital Foundation support, care, and entertain our sickest kids and their families while they are in Queensland Children's hospital and also be part of something big – funding world-class research to find better treatments and ultimately cures for our most devastating childhood diseases. Gather your friends and family and hold a Telethon Party!

Get together as a team and start planning what you'd like to do for your Telethon Party to raise funds for sick kids!

Have fun with your ideas!

- Hold a trivia night
- Do a scavenger hunt
- Get together and have a pot luck dinner
- Host a bake sale

The ideas are endless!!

This is something that anyone all across Queensland can get involved in!



HOST A TELETHON PARTY - IT'S EASY!

Gather your friends, family, colleagues or customers together this month to help raise vital funds for sick kids as part of Nine Telethon.

The ideas are endless, but here are just a few to get your creative thinking started on what you may like to do for your Telethon party:



Hold a Telethon party
and ask customers and staff involved to make donations.



Promote a free dress day
to staff and ask everyone involved to make a gold coin donation.



Hold a cup cake or bake sale
and contribute all proceeds.



Hold a raffle
with donated prizes up for grabs.



Fill a jar with jelly beans
and hold a guessing competition.



Hold a dinner party
for your friends and ask for donations.



Have a pot luck lunch
together and donate a gold coin.



Hold a trivia night
and invite guests.



Have a scavenger hunt
with friends/family.



Host a garage sale
by cleaning out your closet



Ask your staff or get the boss to do something daring like face your biggest fear and ask people to egg-you-on with donations.

Set up your online fundraising page at 9telethon.com.au or visit the page direct fundraise.childrens.org.au/event/telethonparties/home.



Archie | Telethon 2022 ambassador



Archie was diagnosed with acute lymphoblastic leukaemia (ALL) in June 2020, after his parents noticed his colour was a little off, and that his lymph nodes were inflamed on the back of his head.

Archie is currently receiving ongoing treatment for ALL at Queensland Children's Hospital undergoing countless lumbar punctures, chemotherapy,

steroids, as well as some medical trials. He is now in the maintenance phase of his treatment, which includes daily oral chemotherapy, which will take him through to the end of treatment in August 2022.

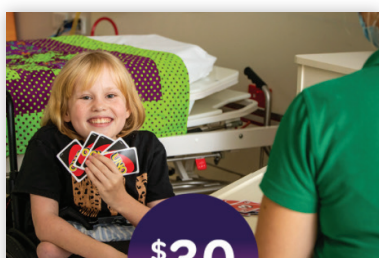
Archie has a twin brother, Marty, and it was incredibly difficult for them to be separated during Archie's treatment. The first two weeks in hospital was the hardest, especially as Archie's dad's side of the family are all live in Ireland.

The Children's Hospital Foundation (CHF) was integral in giving the family support during their time in hospital, especially as Archie was having separation anxiety from Marty. Accessing the playrooms, along with the craft activities and being gifted tickets to experiences made a huge difference to their long stays in hospital. Archie has also been collecting Bravery Beads through the CHF service during his treatment.



How will you make a difference

There are so many wonderful ways to help sick kids. All of the money raised through your Telethon Party will help fund life-saving research and medical equipment, and provide the highest level of care for sick kids and their families. Together we can work wonders for sick kids!



\$30

Could buy puzzles, games and books to engage and distract kids, especially when they're unable to leave their hospital room.



\$75

Could provide emergency clothing and personal items to help regional and local families who arrive at the Queensland Children's Hospital unexpectedly.



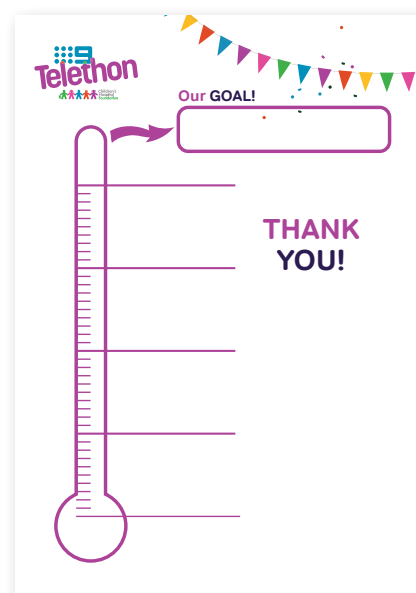
\$100

Could fund a music therapy session to help reduce anxiety and distress for sick kids before treatment.



\$250

Could fund research to improve treatment and quality of life for children with leukaemia.



Track your fundraising on the [downloadable thermometer poster](#).



Get the word out to your social networks!

Posting about your Telethon Party on your social media platforms in the lead up to your party, during and then after as people love to see the great fun you are having while fundraising for a great cause. Tag Children's Hospital Foundation and Telethon in your posts.



@childrensorgau



@ChildrensHospitalFoundation

#9telethon

#workingwonders



Take photos and videos and share them on your social media – be creative!
Share them with us at fundraise@childrens.org.au

#9telethon



Please keep us informed of any activities/promotions you are having so that we can share in the fun of the amazing Telethon Parties that are taking place



Ask your friends, family, colleagues to support your Telethon party by donating



We are here to support you!

If you have any questions please contact your Partnerships Manager at: