



## Welcome to the team!

First thing's first: Let's get your fundraising page setup.

- **Click [this link to "Create a Fundraiser"](#)**. Your fundraiser is the webpage that you'll share with friends, family, and complete strangers so that you can keep track of all the money you've raised.
  - If you and a bunch of friends are fundraising together, sign up as a team! But almost all of you are fundraising individually, so you'll create an individual fundraiser.
- Make sure to **write a little blurb** about why you're doing this. Personalization is the quickest way to start racking up donations. **Keep it short and sweet**. This will appear as a short block of text, so don't get fancy! Just let folks know why you're doing this.
- Give it a **snazzy title that you won't change for the entire season**. I mean, sure you can change the title, but when you do, I have to do a bunch of work on the back end. But I'll do it. FOR YOU. Because I love you.
- Upload a photo. It can be any photo. **JUST DO IT!** Stop complaining. We're saving lives.
- The **fundraising minimum** for the Chicago Triathlon \$1250. For Music City it's \$1000 or \$1500 for the relay team. For Escape from Alcatraz, it's \$2000. And the kids are at \$250. Can you set this **ABOVE** your fundraising minimum? Why you sure can!
- If you have **signed up for multiple races**, no need to create multiple fundraising pages. Just increase that fundraising goal and **BAM!** Dunzo.
- If you need something to go off of, you can check out my Escape from Alcatraz fundraiser [here](#).
- **Want to make edits to your fundraiser?** That's easy. Click [this link](#) and enter the email you used to create your fundraiser to activate your dashboard. Follow the on-screen prompts **AND THAT'S IT!** You can log in, make edits, check out who gave you what, and upload an even better photo of you in your wetsuit when the time is right.