



Party with a Purpose

🥳 Give back bash, cheers for charity! 🥳

HAVING A PARTY? GIVE IT A PURPOSE!

A Party with a Purpose is a fun and tangible way to invest in our children and youth while getting your friends involved! As you “do life” with your family, friends, colleagues and church groups, celebrate “giving life” to a child in foster care.

If you’re a natural host who wants to give back to your favorite non-profit – Chelan-Douglas CASA, the charitable party might be your next gig. It can be as simple as a one-time, casual party with friends in the comfort of your own home. The giving-back theme enlivens the guests, provides a common conversation piece, and gives each person a warm glowing feeling while supporting an AMAZING charity!!

HOW DOES IT MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Hosting a Party with a Purpose provides people just like you to learn the value of Chelan-Douglas CASA. Some parties raise money, some parties raise awareness, some raise more friends! No matter what the celebration, every celebration is one step closer to saving the life of a child from abuse, neglect, homelessness and repeating the cycle of what was modeled for them.

HOW TO HAVE A PARTY WITH A PURPOSE

1. Host a party!
2. Invite friends, family, and co-workers!
3. Collect donations
4. Post it on social media – and tag us!
#partywithapurpose #pwap #cdCASA #CASA4kids!

NEED IDEAS?

- Holiday Party
- Friendsgiving Feast
- Birthday Party
- Anniversary Party
- House Warming Party
- Wedding Celebration
- Graduation Party
- Dinner Party
- Sports Party
- Summer BBQ
- Pool Party

MAKE IT FUN AND TASTY

Consider having a “food theme” (think tapas or taco night), invite a local celebrity or prominent community leader, or host the party in conjunction with a holiday. As far as food goes, you can serve anything from Costco appetizers to coffee and dessert to a full-on catered spread. It’s all good!

PLAN WAYS TO GIVE

There are lots of ways to give back but make it easy for your guests to give by planning your ask. One way to plan is by setting a goal. If your guests know the goal, whether it’s to

raise \$5,000 or donate 100 items, they'll want to help you reach it. Here are ways to make a donation ask easier:

- After guests have arrived and mingled, have a representative from CASA make a short, informal presentation to share more about the program's work. When possible, have photos or other graphics on display.
- **Tell YOUR story!** Share with your guests why you support the organization and why it is personally important to you. Creating an emotional tie to the mission of the organization is your job at the party (second only to having a good time!).
- You can request a fixed donation amount in the invitation, ask at the event, or treat the event as a friend-raiser and follow up individually with attendees later.

Cheers to you and your charity party!