Chat Session for It's All About the Money: Corporate Fundraising for Children's Programming in Public Libraries

12:09:57 PM from Stanley Strauss

to All Participants: PPT and Handouts for today's webinar are available at:

http://infopeople.org/training/it's-all-about-money

12:39:37 PM from Tessa Michaelson Schmidt

to All Participants: Do you ever have issues around conflict of interest?

12:39:41 PM from Angela Citizen

to All Participants: what are some good companies to ask?

12:39:47 PM from Tina Lucero-Sanchez

to All Participants: lol...my mouth watered when I saw the fries too!

12:40:53 PM from Janet Judson

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12:41:12 PM from Sigrid Hudson

to All Participants: Our employee union sometimes donates to our programs.

12:41:24 PM from Janet Judson

to All Participants: Huntington Beach Public Library has been successful in approaching all of the local area businesses.

12:41:48 PM from Amy Lee

to All Participants: Some of our staff are opposed to giving out food coupons, esp. fast food, for kids-- we try to go around it by making the coupon as an option only. Did any of you have the same issue?

12:42:30 PM from Donna Crane

to All Participants: we send out letters to all the companies that are listed in our chamber of commerce. We have had a lot of success with that

12:43:00 PM from Janet Judson

to All Participants: Yes, we allow the children to select from a number of restaurants or choose a bookmark or a candy coupon from our in-library coffee cart

12:44:16 PM from Tessa Michaelson Schmidt

to All Participants: Thanks Cheryl!

12:44:17 PM from Angela Citizen

to All Participants: Thank you all for your answers!

12:44:36 PM from Janet Judson

to All Participants: How about competing events that are sponsored by the Library. What do panel members suggest we do to make sure we don't "go to the same well too often."

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12:45:26 PM from Amy Lee

to All Participants: We are fortunate to have a Library Foundation to raise prizes/funds for many of our programs.

12:45:59 PM from Coleen wakai

to All Participants: I have to get to work....Thanks so much for a great presentation! Enjoy your day!

12:47:00 PM from Mathew Rose

to All Participants: Thank you for the fantastic webinar!

12:49:06 PM from Tina Lucero-Sanchez to All Participants: Great Webinar, thank you

12:51:55 PM from Amy Lee to All Participants: Thank you!

12:51:55 PM from Heather Witherow

to All Panelists: We keep a spreadsheet where everyone submits who they've

asked

12:52:14 PM from Angela Citizen to All Participants: Thank you!

12:52:17 PM from Kimberly Nix to All Panelists: Thank you