

Using the Text to Give option

Text to give is a very simple way to ask your contacts to support your fundraiser.

First, log into your Fundraising page

The screenshot shows a fundraising dashboard for Michael Brunelle. The top navigation bar includes a search bar, social media icons, and a user profile section with the name "Michael Brunelle" circled in red. The main content area is titled "Get the Word Out" and contains four action buttons: "Send a Fundraising Email", "Share on Facebook", "Add a Registrant", and "See All Donations". Below these is a "Text Giving" section with a "Text Giving" tab selected and a "Get Started with Text Giving" button. A progress gauge on the right shows \$25.00 achieved towards a \$500.00 goal, which is 5% of the goal reached. A red arrow points from the "Text Giving" tab to the "Get Started with Text Giving" button.

(you may need to click "Text Giving" for this button to appear.)

Then click "Get Started with Text Giving"

This page will appear.

The screenshot shows a mobile app interface with a dark background. On the left, a sidebar menu lists: Dashboard, Share Event, My Donations, Resources, My Registration, Manage Registration, Edit My Profile, and Join a Team. The main content area features a white modal window titled "How Text Giving Works" with a close button in the top right. The modal contains three numbered steps: 1. Send a Text (donor sends message to 50155 with codes), 2. Include the Donation Amount (donor indicates amount), and 3. Complete the Donation! (donor is provided a link). To the right of the text is a simulated text message conversation on a phone screen showing a green bubble with "bgcgl participant 50" and a grey bubble with a URL. Below the modal, two buttons are visible: "Create Text Codes" (highlighted with a red circle and arrow) and "Maybe Later".

How Text Giving Works

- 1 Send a Text**
A donor sends a text message to **50155** with the text code for your event plus the code for you or your team with a space between each code.
- 2 Include the Donation Amount**
The donor will be prompted to indicate how much they'd like to donate. A donation amount can be included as part of the initial message.
- 3 Complete the Donation!**
Depending on the text code that was used, they are provided a link to the donation form for your team or personal fundraising page.

To take advantage of this method, all you have to do is create a text code to get started.

Create Text Codes **Maybe Later**

Click on "Create Text Codes"

This screen will appear. Start by selecting "Edit Text Code"

The screenshot shows a fundraising dashboard with a dark background. A white modal window titled "Create Text Code" is centered on the screen. The modal contains the following elements:

- A close button (X) in the top right corner.
- The title "Create Text Code" in bold.
- The instruction "Create a short text code to use."
- A label "My Text Code" followed by a button labeled "Edit Text Code". This button is circled in red, and a red arrow points from the text above to it.
- A text input field containing the code "50155 bgcgl".
- A dark blue button labeled "I'm Finished" at the bottom.

The background dashboard features several navigation options:

- Send a Fundraising Email (with an envelope icon)
- Share on Facebook (with a Facebook 'f' icon)
- Add a Registrant (with a person and plus icon)
- See All Donations (with a dollar sign icon)
- Links
- Text Giving
- 100%
- 50%
- \$50.00
- 00.00
- 0%
- Donate Now
- Register Now

A box will appear to the right. Type the word you want folks to text when making a donation to your page. We recommend keeping it short and memorable.

The screenshot shows a dark-themed web interface with a white modal window titled "Create Text Code". The modal contains the following elements:

- A close button (X) in the top right corner.
- The title "Create Text Code" in bold.
- The instruction "Create a short text code to use."
- A label "My Text Code" followed by a "Save Text Code" button, which is circled in red and has a red arrow labeled "1" pointing to it.
- A text input field containing "50155 bgcgl" on the left and "mikeb" on the right. The "mikeb" field is also circled in red.
- A dark blue button labeled "I'm Finished" at the bottom, with a red arrow labeled "2" pointing to it.

The background of the page is dark and shows various navigation options like "Resources", "My Registration", "Manage Registrations", "Send a Fundraising Email", "Share on Facebook", "Add a Registrant", "See All Donations", "Links", "Text Giving", "Edit My P", "Join a Te", "Donate Now", and "Register Now".

Be sure to select "Save Text Code" before clicking "I'm Finished"

Now you will return to your fundraising code, and your texting code will show up in this box.

The screenshot displays a fundraising dashboard with a blue background. On the left, a dark sidebar contains menu items: "My Page" and "Team". The main content area includes a text box explaining that text giving helps donors find the donation page fast. Below this, there are two text code entries: "Event Text Code" with the code "bgcgl" and a copy icon, and "My Personal Text Code" with the code "50155 bgcgl mikeb" and an "Edit Text Code" button. A red circle highlights the "My Personal Text Code" entry. On the right, a progress meter shows a goal of "\$500.00" and that "10% of your goal reached" has been achieved. A "How does text giving work?" button is also present. At the bottom, there are two large buttons: "Donate Now" and "Register Now".

Text giving helps donors find your donation page fast. Donations made to text codes below will go to the associated fundraising goal.

How does text giving work?

Event Text Code
bgcgl

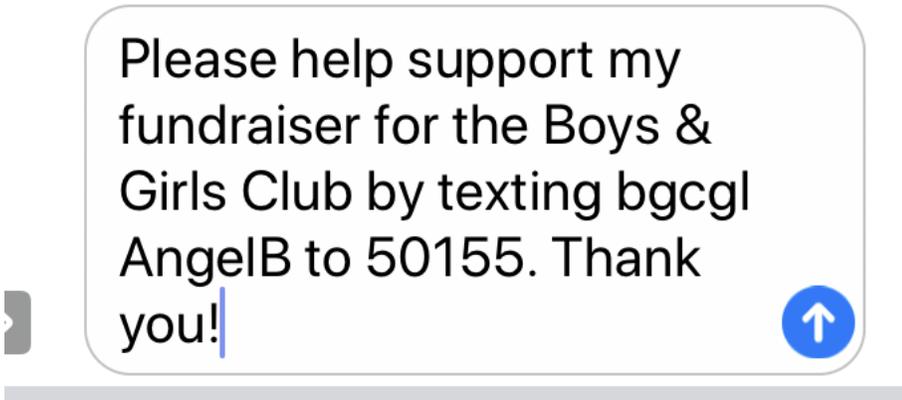
My Personal Text Code [Edit Text Code](#)
50155 bgcgl mikeb

achieved
\$500.00
goal
10%
of your goal reached

[Update My Goal](#)

[Donate Now](#) [Register Now](#)

Now you are ready to start asking for support.

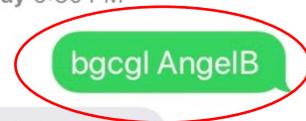


Note that you are asking folks to text just the code that starts with bgcgl to the number 50155



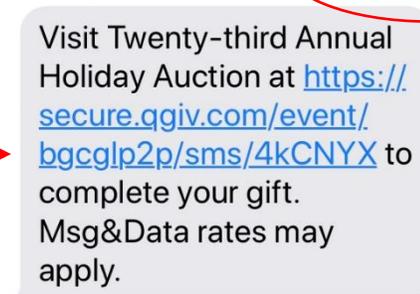
The donor types in 50155 (no dash needed) as the number they are texting to.

Yesterday 6:30 PM



Then your personal text code

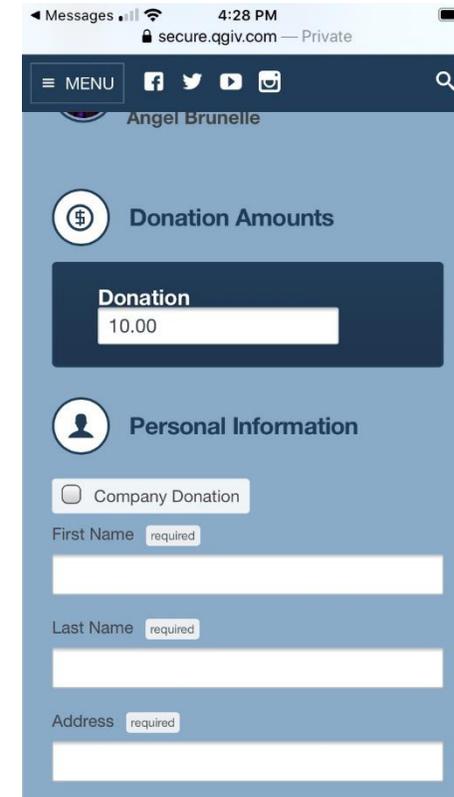
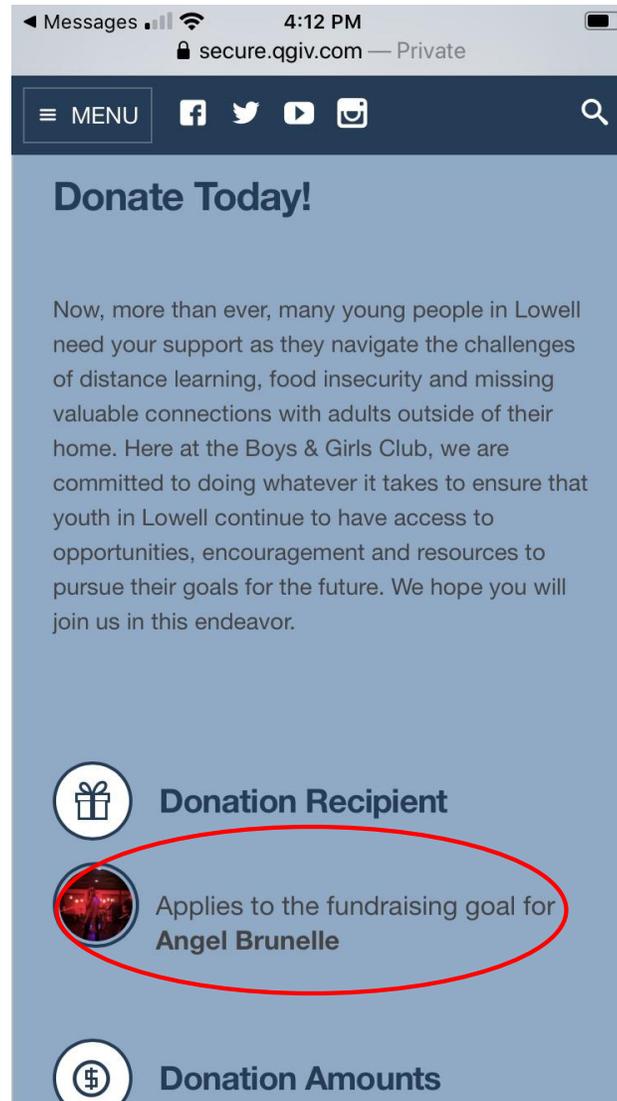
And they will receive this message and link as a reply. (please note it does take a few seconds for the response to appear.)



When the donor clicks on the link that is texted to them, this page will open on their phone.

They will see here that they are donating to your fundraising page.

Happy Fundraising!
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As they scroll down the page, they will fill out the donation and payment information.

