

### Send emails from my participant center

**We've found that participants who send emails from their participant center raise more than twice as much as those who don't.**

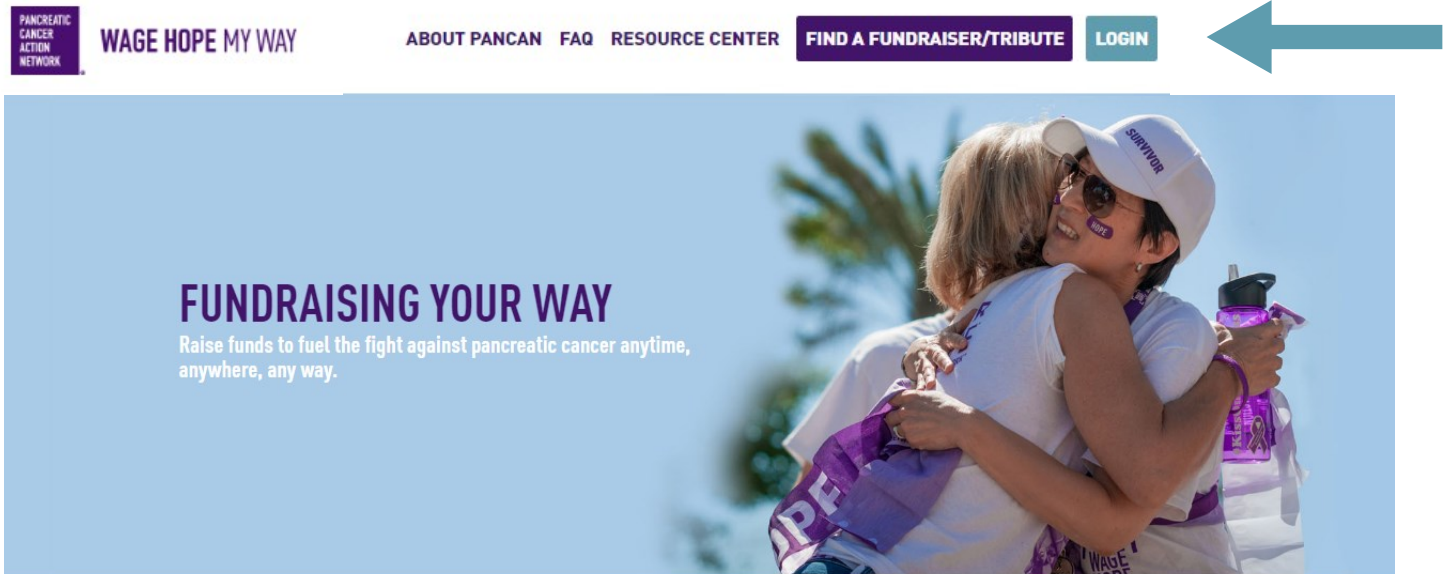
We want to make it easy for you to spread the word about your fundraising page to your contacts. Here's a simple how-to guide to help you send out some emails! Keep an eye out for **this color blue—that's how we'll call out action spots!**

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#### 1. Access My Participant Center

From [pancan.org/diy](http://pancan.org/diy), select “Log In” in the top right corner.



#### GET STARTED



#### 2. Log in with the username you created during registration

If you forgot your username and password, enter your email to be sent your username and a reset password link.

### USER LOGIN

Existing User

\* User Name:

\* Password:

**SUBMIT**



**Login Assistance**

[Forgot User Name?](#)

[Forgot Password?](#)

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#### 3. Select the appropriate event

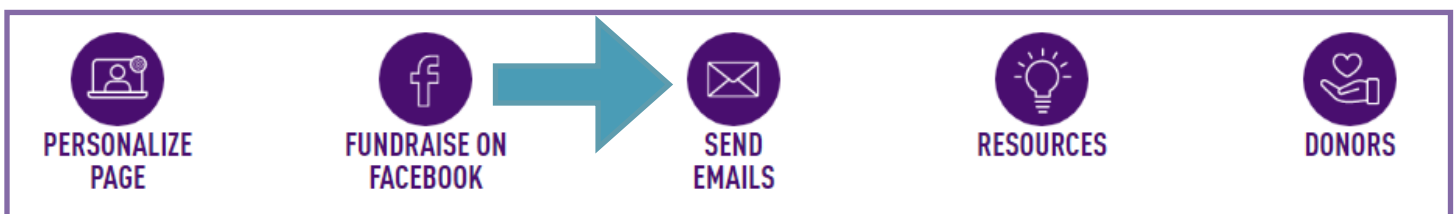
If you are registered for multiple events, they will all be listed on the next screen. Click the event name to access My Participant Center for the event you would like to send emails about.

If you are only registered for one event, that event will be the only one listed on this screen. Click the event name to access My Participant Center.



#### 4. Select “Send Emails”

Next, you will be brought to the main page of your Participant Center. Here, you will see multiple choices you can explore on customizing your fundraising page.



Select the third option— [Send Emails](#). This will be a great resource on sending out messages to potential donors, and thanking your supporters.

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#### 5. Select your template — \* Below is a snapshot of what your **Send Emails** page will look like.

Click the **Use a template** dropdown box to explore the different templates you can use to email your network, such as Solicitation and a Thank You message. In addition to various templates, you can also choose a blank message template to populate yourself.

When you choose a template, the subject is auto-populated. If you begin a message and need more time before sending, it will automatically be saved in **Drafts**.

The screenshot displays the 'SEND EMAILS' interface. At the top, there are five navigation icons: 'PERSONALIZE PAGE', 'FUNDRAISE ON FACEBOOK', 'SEND EMAILS', 'RESOURCES', and 'DONORS'. The 'SEND EMAILS' section is highlighted in teal. On the left, there is a sidebar with 'COMPOSE MESSAGE' at the top, followed by 'Drafts' (1 message) and 'Sent Messages' (3 messages). Below this is a 'CONTACTS' section with 'All Contacts' (3 contacts). The main form area contains the following elements:

- Recipients** (separate multiple email addresses with a comma)
- Use a template** (dropdown menu with a teal arrow pointing to it)
- Subject**
- Include personalized greeting **What's this?**
- Please select your recipients before composing your message.*
- A rich text editor toolbar with options: H1, H2, H3, P, B, I, U, list, bulleted list, link, unlink, image, link, unlink, undo, redo.
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- PREVIEW & SEND** (button with a teal arrow pointing to it)
- SAVE AS TEMPLATE** (button)

#### 6. Create your message

Use the text field to customize your message. You can personalize it as much or as little as you like, but do ensure that you have checked the email for blank information (such as “**insert personal fundraising page**”), recipients name / your name - those are in parenthesis and are intended for you to input your personal information). You can also change the subject line, and save as template.

SEND EMAILS

COMPOSE MESSAGE

→ Drafts
1

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→ Sent Messages
3

CONTACTS

→ All Contacts
3

jsmith@gmail.com

Initial solicitation

Take Bold Action to Fight Pancreatic Cancer ←

Include personalized greeting **What's this?**

*Please select your recipients before composing your message.*

H1 H2 H3 P B I U
☰ ☲ ☱ ☴ ☳ ☶ ☵
🖼️ 🔗 ↺ ↻

Dear **(Name)**,

PanCAN’s mission is to improve the lives of everyone impacted by pancreatic cancer and it’s very important to me. I’m asking you to donate to my fundraiser to make sure PanCAN continues to offer lifechanging programs and services to patients and their families. Every dollar matters.

Your gift of \$25 can help PanCAN Patient Services provide free, personal one-to-one support to someone facing pancreatic cancer – and continue working to create a world in which all patients with pancreatic cancer will thrive. Please visit **(insert personal fundraising page name/link)** to help PanCAN continue working to create a world in which all patients with pancreatic cancer will thrive.

With gratitude,

**(Your Name)**

CURRENT LAYOUT:

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PREVIEW & SEND

SAVE AS TEMPLATE

#### 7. Select your recipients

Click [All Contacts](#). On this page, you can add your contacts or import contacts from your address book (see our helpful guide on adding contacts to your participant center if you need help).

From this page, you can select which of your contacts you would like to send your email to. Simply click the checkbox next to their name, and they will be added to the recipient list.

The screenshot shows the 'SEND EMAILS' interface. At the top, there are buttons for 'COMPOSE MESSAGE', 'EMAIL ALL', 'EMAIL SELECTED', 'DELETE SELECTED', and 'ADD TO GROUP'. Below these are three buttons: 'ADD A GROUP', 'ADD CONTACT', and 'IMPORT CONTACTS', with three arrows pointing to them from above. On the left side, there is a navigation menu with 'Drafts' (4), 'Sent Messages' (3), and 'CONTACTS' (with a downward arrow). Under 'CONTACTS', 'All Contacts' (4) is selected. The main area shows a list of contacts under the heading 'ALL CONTACTS' with a search bar. The contacts listed are: Richard Evans <REvans@gmail.com>, Jack Rogers <JRogers@gmail.com>, John Smith <JSmith@gmail.com>, and Lisa Thompson <LThompson@gmail.com>. Each contact has a checkbox and a trash icon.

#### You can also do the following:

- Add a group of special recipients to receive certain types of emails
- Add a new contact
- Important Contacts from: Gmail, Yahoo! Mail, or from a generic .csv file

#### 8. Preview your message Click “Preview & Send”


Take one last look at your message and make sure you’re happy with the way it looks. A link to your Page will automatically be added to the bottom of your message.


PREVIEW

**Subject:**  
Let's Rewrite the Story of Pancreatic Cancer

**Message:**

You can help rewrite the future for pancreatic cancer patients.

 **WAGE HOPE  
MY WAY**



Dear Richard,

PanCAN's mission is to improve the lives of everyone impacted by pancreatic cancer and it's very important to me. I'm asking you to donate to my fundraiser to make sure PanCAN continues to offer lifechanging programs and services to patients and their families. Every dollar matters.


Your gift of \$25 can help PanCAN Patient Services provide free, personal one-to-one support to someone facing pancreatic cancer – and continue working to create a world in which all patients with pancreatic cancer will thrive. Please visit (insert personal fundraising page name/link) to help PanCAN continue working to create a world in which all patients with pancreatic cancer will thrive.

With gratitude,  
Jane

*A link to your Page will automatically be added to the bottom of your message.*

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**CONTACT PanCAN PATIENT SERVICES**  
for free pancreatic cancer information, resources and personal one-to-one support.  
**877-2-PANCAN**  
*patientservices@pancan.org*



#### 9. SEND! Once you’re satisfied with your message, click “Send!”