



## 2026 Tin Cup Challenge - Important Dates

### MARCH

Tuesday, March 10, 9:00 – 9:30 am: **MANDATORY KICK-OFF MEETING FOR NEW NONPROFITS** at the Community Foundation office to review Rules & Procedures, required for organizations that have never participated or did not participate in 2025. Attendance is strongly encouraged for nonprofit staff members new to the Tin Cup Challenge.

Tuesday, March 10, 9:30 –10:00 am: **Personalized help with your Tin Cup application & logins.**

Tuesday, March 10, 9:00 am: **APPLICATION AVAILABLE** for nonprofits at [TinCupChallenge.org](https://TinCupChallenge.org). Please contact [Brian Thysell](#) for application support.

### APRIL

Friday, April 3, 5:00 pm: **APPLICATION DEADLINE** – Tin Cup Challenge applications due and must be submitted to participate. Grant Reports from the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Tin Cup Challenge are due, as part of the application process (*if organization participated*). Notification of acceptance will be emailed in late April.

### MAY

Thursday, May 14, 3:00 – 4:30 pm: **MANDATORY MARKETING MEETING** at Driggs Senior Center. At least one representative from each participating nonprofit should attend this informative and inspirational meeting – increase your nonprofit's involvement, bring a Board member!

### JUNE

Thursday, June 4, 5:00 pm: **MARKETING DEADLINE** – upload requested materials for supplementary advertising opportunities during the Tin Cup Challenge.

Friday, June 12, 9:00 am: **GIVING PERIOD OPENS!** Donations accepted at [tincupchallenge.org](https://tincupchallenge.org), via mail, and in person at the Community Foundation office. Brochures are available at the Community Foundation and mailed to all Teton County, ID residents.

### JULY

Friday, July 17 at 5:00 pm: **ONLINE TIN CUP RACE REGISTRATION DEADLINE** – Final day for online 10k, 5k, and Fun Run registration. In-person registration available on Event Day.

Saturday, July 18: **19<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL TIN CUP CHALLENGE EVENT DAY!**

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| 7:00–7:45 am | Booth check-in at Driggs City Park. <b>Please do not arrive earlier than 7:00 am.</b> |
| 9:00 am      | Competitive 5K/10K Run Start  |
| 9:03 am      | 5K Fun Run/Walk Start   |
| 9 am-12 pm   | Family Activities & Nonprofit Booths at the Driggs City Park                          |

Friday, July 24, 5:00 pm: **GIVING PERIOD CLOSSES** – Deadline to donate through the Tin Cup Challenge.

### AUGUST

Wednesday, August 26, 6:00 – 8:00 pm: **AWARDS CEREMONY at Moose Creek Ranch!** Celebrate all that Tin Cup does for our community and leave with your organization's grant check! Checks for all participating nonprofits **must** be picked up by a representative.