

BLAZE of GLORY



Ten To Spot

Trying on firefighting gear is great fun, as this young chap found out a car wash event at Shadwell fire station last year. But can you spot the 10 differences between the two images?



Hi again everyone, how you doing? I love this time of year, the days are getting longer, it's a bit warmer and the next issue of *Shout!* means that I get another chance to share some of my favourite puzzles, facts and jokes with you. You can share yours with me too, just ask an adult to email them to me at blaze@firefighterscharity.org.uk and I'll share as many as I can in the next issue. Have fun!

Blaze Bear



Wordsearch and Rescue

I've hidden 10 fun sporting activities inside this grid, all are brilliant ways to stay fit and have lots of fun this summer. Can you find them all?

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| ATHLETICS | HOCKEY | TENNIS |
| BADMINTON | NETBALL | WALKING |
| CRICKET | RUGBY | |
| FOOTBALL | SWIMMING | |

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 Y O H M I C N O Z L F L
 B D T S C I T E L H T A
 G M E N M N Q J Q P W B
 U G N M I O E J Y C G T
 R D I A W M T T Q K H O
 L W F K A R D D B O V O
 S V A M L S L A C A O F
 C R I C K E T K B T L O
 H G Q N I Y E V H H K L
 G S N V N Y S I N N E T
 Z U L M G Z M V E M K B

Stuck in a muddle

Anagrams are words that have been muddled up. Can you unscramble these anagrams to find the five hidden firefighting words?

SHOE

THEGRIFFIRE

LEHEMT

MLAFE

OSMKE

Blaze's Banter

These jokes are brilliant, I tried them out on the people in the *Shout!* office and they loved them! What's your favourite joke? Email it to me at Blaze@firefighterscharity.org.uk and I'll put it in the next issue.

What do you call a cow on a trampoline?

A milk shake

What do you call a dog magician?

A labracadabrador

Why didn't the orange win the race?

It ran out of juice

Why are ghosts bad liars?

Because you can see right through them

Fact or fiction: The work of a firefighter

I've dug up 10 cracking facts about some of the incredible things that firefighters do as part of their job, but not all these are actually true. Can you tell which are true and which are false?

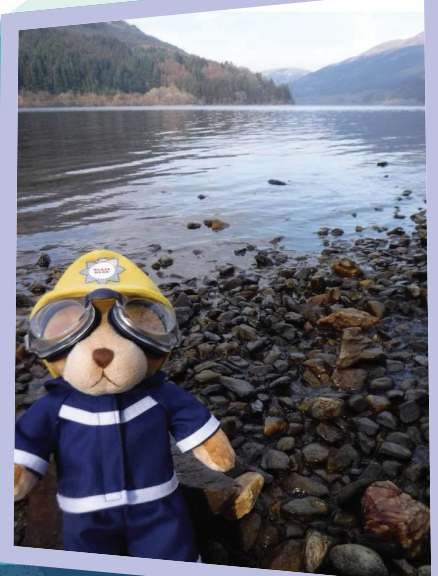
1. Firefighters give people advice about planning escape routes from their homes, schools and workplaces, in case of a fire.
2. Firefighters encourage people to test their smoke alarms regularly
3. Firefighters only eat food that can be cooked in a fire
4. Firefighters respond to road, rail and air traffic accidents as well as fires
5. Firefighters help people affected by floods
6. Firefighters all drive red cars
7. Firefighters need to be physically fit
8. Firefighters helmets are actually made of marzipan
9. Firefighters regularly attend schools to talk to children about fire safety
10. Firefighters donate money and fundraise to help other firefighters when they need support from The Fire Fighters Charity.

Blaze's Spring into Summer Challenge

Summer's on its way, so now is the perfect time of year to get out and about and find new ways to get active. My challenge to you is therefore to see if you can find – and take part in – 10 different sporty activities over the next few months. You could do all the things you normally do – such as swimming, if you're a swimmer, or a spot of football if you're a footballer – but why not also try things you've never done before?

Could you go walking in the mountains with mum and dad, or try your hand at a spot of tennis or badminton? How about swapping your scooter for some roller blades, or your bike for a pogo stick?

There are loads of things you could do to ensure you stay active, fit and healthy, and you could always insist that your grown-ups take part too!



Win your own Blaze Bear

Thanks for all the pics you've sent in over the last few months, I've really enjoyed seeing them and am hugely impressed with how good your drawing skills are. Much better than mine! We're pulling together an online gallery of all the amazing pictures and photos you send us, so keep them coming. You can take a photo or scan your pictures and ask an adult to help you email them to me at Blaze@firefighterscharity.org.uk. I'll pick a winner for the next issue and, if chosen, you'll win your own Blaze Bear. Good luck gang.