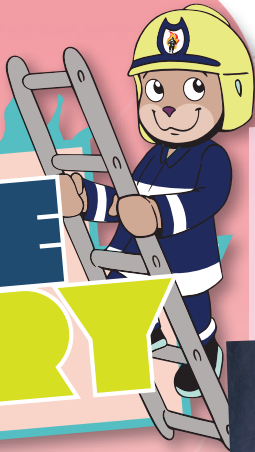


# BLAZE of GLORY



## Ten To Spot

I love this photo from a brilliant day scooter-riding with super fundraiser Kim Robson, but can you spot the 10 differences between the two images?



Hi everyone, great news, the writers of Shout! have given me my own pages! It means I can finally share all the puzzles, facts and jokes I've been gathering over the years, starting with this lot. I hope you enjoy them and if you've got any that you'd like to share on these pages too, you can email me at [blaze@firefighterscharity.org.uk](mailto:blaze@firefighterscharity.org.uk). Have fun!



### Blaze Bear

## Wordsearch and Rescue

I've hidden 10 firefighting words inside this grid, so get your pens out and test your search skills.

- |              |           |           |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| LADDER       | BREATHING | FIRE      |
| HOSE         | APPARATUS | ENGINE    |
| EXTINGUISHER | AXE       | EMERGENCY |
| HELMET       | TALLY     |           |

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



### Congratulations Rhydion

Rhydion Howell, aged 7, from Kenfig Hill, South Wales drew this BRILLIANT picture of me at a house fire to win a competition in the last issue of Shout!. Thanks Rhydion, your prize is on its way.



# Blaze's Banter

I love a good joke. Here are a few of my favourites. What's yours?  
Email me your jokes and I'll print them here in the next issue:  
[Blaze@firefighterscharity.org.uk](mailto:Blaze@firefighterscharity.org.uk)

**What do you get if you cross a fish with an elephant?**

Swimming trunks

**Knock knock,  
Who's there?  
Stopwatch!  
Stopwatch who?  
Stopwatch you're doing  
and open this door!**

**Why did the golfer wear two pairs of pants?**

In case he got a hole in one

**Bonus  
Blaze**



There are five mini Blaze Bears hidden on other pages in this issue of Shout! Can you find them all?

## Blaze's Big Battery Challenge

This month I'm challenging you to count all the smoke alarms in your house and to test the batteries in each of them. You'll need an adult to help you, but each of your alarms should have a test button for you to push. If nothing happens when you push the button, you'll need to replace the battery. Your smoke alarms should be tested at least twice a year, but there's no harm in testing them every month to be safe. Be prepared though, they're noisy as they need to wake you up if you were asleep.



## Autumn activities

The autumn and the winter can be a bit windy and wet, but I've always loved getting out and about, jumping in puddles and going on adventures with my friends. It's really important to get a bit of exercise every day, even when the weather's miserable. So here are five ways you can be active this autumn, why not ask an adult to come with you and try them:

- 1. A winter walk:** It might sound simple, but why not grab an adult, some friends and even your brother or sister, and set off to walk somewhere you've never walked before. Just make sure you always have an adult with you.
- 2. Geocaching:** If you've never done it before, Geocaching involves searching for hidden treasure while out on your favourite walk. Ask an adult to find out about it online, download the app on to their phone and take them with you to head off in search of your first cache.

- 3. Gardening:** There's still plenty to do in the garden, even over the winter months, so see if you can dig out your gardening gloves and help your grownups.
- 4. Wildlife watching:** Whether you live in the countryside or the city, there is wildlife all around you. Why not research

what birds and animals might live in your local area and then head out to see if you can spot them?

- 5. Photo tour:** As the leaves on the trees change colour and fall, it's a perfect time of year to take photos of the great outdoors, so set out on a photo tour of your local area and see what amazing scenes you can capture.



## Win your own Blaze Bear

I love seeing pictures of myself, especially when I go out and about with some of our fundraisers! So this month all you need to do to win your own Blaze Bear cuddly toy is to send me a picture of...well...me! You can use pencils, paints, felt tips, or anything else you like to create your masterpiece. You could draw me taking on a crazy challenge or chillingaxing by the pool, it's entirely up to you. I'll get the website whiz kids to put all your pictures on The Fire Fighters Charity's website and I'll print my winner in the next issue of *Shout!* Ask an adult to email your picture to [shout@firefighterscharity.org.uk](mailto:shout@firefighterscharity.org.uk). Good luck gang.