



## Newburg Volunteer Rescue Squad & Fire Department, Inc.

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### 2018 SMVFA Convention Committee *Chairperson: Michelle Hurst*

#### Bucket Brigade

1. Each team will consist of a maximum of 6 members. One member will be the team captain. The team captain will be responsible for having their team ready for the start of the contest. The team captain must present this form, signed and completed at the registration table on the day of the parade. The registration table will be located at the Charles County Fairgrounds. Team captains must ensure all players understand and abide by the rules.
2. A target building will be provided with the following:  
A slanted roof to drain water into the gutter; the downspout will carry water into a drum; guttering to carry water to a downspout; drum will have a ball that floats inside.
3. A source of water and buckets for hauling water will be provided. The water source will be approximately 25' from the throw line in the front of the building. The throw line will be approximately 6' from the front of the building.
4. Teams will haul water from the source up to the throw line. It will then be thrown on the roof of the building. Player MUST NOT cross the throw line. When a player does cross the throw line they will immediately incur a 10 second delay penalty. Only water that is **LEGALLY** thrown and passes through the gutter and downspout will be permitted to stay in the drum. **POURING WATER INTO THE GUTTER IS NOT PERMITTED.**
5. The contest Judge will give an audible signal to start the contest. The contest will begin as soon as the signal is sounded. The contest will end when the floating ball is washed by the water out of the drum.
6. This event is timed. A stop watch will be used to time the event. The stop watch will be shown to the team captain at the beginning and end of the event. The fastest team that **LEGALLY** fills the drum with water and displaces the ball from the drum will be declared the winner.
7. Boots and gloves must be worn by all contestants. Failure of any team member to wear required equipment will result in the disqualification of the team.
8. No alcoholic beverages will be allowed on the game fields. No intoxicated persons will be allowed to participate. Intoxicated participants will be disqualified.

As Team Captain, I have read, understand and will abide by the rules listed above. I have made all my team members aware of the rules.

Team Captain Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Team Department Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_