

# **Tower of Toothpicks sponsored by:**



## **Overview:**

Who can build the highest tower only using toothpicks and marshmallows? Grade 6 Students must build a tower out of 1 packet of mini marshmallows and 1 packet of toothpicks. Students will have 10 minutes to build their structure. The tallest structure standing will be crowned the winner.

Only one team from each school/alternative education provider can be entered. Students will be required to attend the Careers Day Out Innovation and Activation Expo on Tuesday 30th April at the Multipurpose Pavilion Shepparton Showgrounds from 4.45pm. Presentations will be from 6.30pm.

## **Entry requirements:**

There are limited places for this competition so to register email hello@careersdayout.com.au. Registrations close Wednesday April 26th at 5pm.

Competition is on Tuesday 30th April @ the Multi-purpose Pavilion Shepparton Showgrounds @ the Careers Day out.

### **Details for this competition:**

#### Rules:

Students from Grade 6 will represent the school/alternative education provider. Only one team to be entered per school/alternative education provider. Each team must have 4 participants in their team and a nominated team leader (Employee from the school).

Only this nominated leader will be allowed in the area with the students.

#### Tower:

Teams are encouraged to plan their structures before the night of the challenge. Your tower will be measured at the 10 minute mark of the challenge.

If the tower collapses prior to the 10 minute mark you are able to try and rebuild your structure up to the 10 minute mark.

A trestle table will be provided and your tower will be measured from the trestle table to the top of the structure.

No other materials or can be used other than marshmallows and toothpicks provided.

## Attendance at the Event:

Teams (4 students and team leader) will present to the entrance of the Multi-purpose building by 4.45pm to be marked off and provided with a meal voucher each to purchase food from one of our food options on the night.

> Teams will be provided details of where to go to the challenge area. The challenge will start at 5pm.

Presentations will be made at approx. 6.30pm. Please note that photos of the winning team will be used for promotional purposes.

#### **Registrations:**

Registrations close Wednesday April 26th at 5pm. To register a team you must email hello@careersdayout.com.au with the following details: School or alternative education providers name 4 student names Team leader name, email address and mobile number

\*Please note that only the students and team leader will be allowed in the challenge area but family, friends and school mates are all welcome to come and watch the challenge. We would encourage schools and alternative education providers to promote this event through social media and school newsletters. Also make sure you like our Facebook page @careersdayout.

If you have any questions relating to the challenge please email hello@careersdayout.com.au. We look forward to seeing you on the night.