

## The SponNess Monster

### Judge: Preparation:

Provide the following materials on a table for the team members.

- Two 1 "x 2 5/8" address labels
- 4 colored markers
- 8 varied sheets construction paper
- 1 5 x 7 sheet of foil
- A 1" square of clay
- 5 Spaghetti
- Three straws
- 3 rubber bands
- Two foam cups
- 2 8 ½ x 11 white cardboard
- 10 tooth picks

Provide a copy of the problem instructions on the table for the team members.

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### Judge Instructions:

*(Judge: When team members enter the room, tell them)*

This is a verbal hands-on challenge. You have 1 minute to select the five team members who will compete. The others must sit in these seats and watch or be escorted from the room. They may not assist in solving the problem and may not talk.

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*(Judge: After 5 Team Members Chosen and seated, Read all the instructions, repeat, then Start the Time)*

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Your problem is to create evidence, marketing materials, and an infomercial for "SponNess Park".

You will have 8 minutes to plan and create your evidence, marketing materials, and infomercial.

You will have 2 minutes to present your evidence and infomercial.

- There may be up to 5 pieces of evidence, each must be presented by a different team member, and each will be scored from 1 to 10 points for its relevance, creativity, and quality
- You will receive 1 to 20 points for the creativity and quality of the presentation
- You will receive 1 to 20 points for the overall effect of the presentation in attracting tourists
- You will receive 1 to 20 points for teamwork

You may ask questions at any time, time continues

*(Judge: Repeat all the instructions, then Start the Time)*

*(Judge: State the time remaining at 3 minutes, 2 minutes and 1 minutes)*

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Team Copy

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