



## EVENT INFORMATION

Thank you for taking part in the 4th Annual Burlington Fire Truck Pull. Your participation and fundraising will help support the work of Outright Vermont. This information sheet should answer your basic questions about the event and help you and your team successfully reach your goal!

**WHAT IS THIS EVENT?** Teams of community members and local businesses compete against each other to see who can pull a REAL fire truck 30 feet up the Church St. Marketplace the fastest. To compete/register each team must raise a total of \$1,000. (Or just under \$100 per team member.)

To get the team going, **each team member must pay a \$25 registration fee** and submit it along with their registration form & waiver. (Donations from other sources can cover the \$25 registration fee.)

**PRIZES & GLORY:** Prizes will be given for the team with the fastest overall time, the best costumes and the most money raised.

**WHO CAN BE ON A TEAM?** Anyone! Each team is made up of no more/no less than 12 people. These folks can be any age, gender and background. We encourage teams who wish to be competitive to think about teammates who would be good anchors (at the back of the rope) and/or good team cheerleaders. (Both types of folks are instrumental in getting teams pumped & getting good pull times.)

**HOW CAN WE FUND RAISE?** Use your imagination and consider asking literally everyone you know (family, friends, co-workers, etc.) See our "tips on fundraising sheet" for more ideas.

**HOW DOES THE EVENT WORK?** Each team must sign-in by 11:30am on event day (Saturday, September 15th) at the Old Navy block on Church St. At noon teams will compete in order pulling the fire truck. We encourage each team to submit a "team song" that can be played during the pull. (This song can pump you up or be funny.) Remember that a HUGE crowd on Church St. will be watching, so don't forget the costume part of the Pull (there are prizes for "best dressed.") After each team gets 2 pulls, the slowest time is tossed and the fastest pull out of all teams wins! The entire event should be completed by 1:30pm.

### REMEMBER:

a) All team members must submit a signed original of their Registration Form to event organizers prior to participating in the Fire Truck Pull.

b) This event is rain or shine!

c) **You MUST confirm your team's participation by September 1st!**

### Event to Benefit Outright Vermont

Saturday,  
September 15th, 2007  
Noon

Church Street Marketplace  
Burlington, VT

The mission of Outright Vermont is to build safe, supportive, and healthy environments for gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, queer and questioning youth.

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