

# HAVE A BALL

## Core Values Activity

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### Materials/Prep

**25 sheets of newspaper**  
**1 sheet of mailing labels**  
**(substitute: tape)**  
**Yardstick**  
**Inflate a beach ball. Provide a large area on the floor for the team to work.**



### Instructions to the team:

**You have 5 minutes to build a structure that holds a beach ball at least 3 feet above floor level. The beach ball must stay on the structure for a minimum of 10 seconds. You may test the structure with the beach ball during the 5-minute building period.**

### Discussion:

**Does the team develop a strategy that lets them work together?**

**Do they come up with creative ways to fold and roll the newspaper?**

**Do they take advantage of the opportunity to test the structure?**

**How do they deal with set-backs, such as crushing the tower during a test?)**