The Marshmallow Tower Challenge

**The Task:** Build a free-standing tower that will support one regular-sized marshmallow. The marshmallow must be attached to the top of the structure. The group with the tallest structure that meets these criteria is the winner.

**Materials available (do not all need to be used except for marshmallow):**

20 pieces of uncooked spaghetti  
1 yard of tape  
1 yard of string  
1 marshmallow

**Time:** 10 minutes (more if time permits)

**For more information:**

<https://www.ted.com/talks/tom_wujec_build_a_tower?language=en>

<http://www.leadershipchallenge.com/resource/challenging-the-process-with-the-marshmallow-challenge.aspx>