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HELP FIREFIGHTERS GET LATHERED FOR CHARITY.

Newbury firefighters are taking part in a National Car Wash on Saturday (13 September) for The Firefighters Charity (formerly the Fire Service National Benevolent Fund) and local children's charity Swings and Smiles.

Firefighter Simon Denman, of Red Watch at Newbury, explained: "The Firefighters Charity does fantastic work helping injured firefighters and also helps their families and this is a national event that firefighters all over the country are taking part in. Swings and Smiles is a West Berkshire charity that provides much needed play facilities for children with special needs and we are glad we can do something practical to support the work they do. We are hoping that lots of people will want to show their support for these charities as well, we want to raise as much money as we can."

Simon and the Red Watch firefighters, together with families, friends and colleagues, will be wielding their soapy sponges at the fire station in Hawthorn road from 10am until 3pm. Why not pop in after doing your shopping and help the firefighters' fundraising efforts by driving home in a freshly-washed car?

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