



Foxes

Class News

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Welcome to the Foxes class page! We look forward to sharing with you all of the experiences we have had in our class.

It's been an incredibly busy first half term of the school year; we have all settled into our new class really well and have enjoyed some fantastic activities and learning experiences.

Heatree House

Some of us in year 6 started the year with a 5 day residential trip to Heatree House where we lived by the values of safety, respect and learning.



Alongside taking part in some super activities such as high ropes, stream scrambling, archery and mountain biking, we learnt the importance of working together as a team. Many of the children conquered their fears and we all had a thoroughly enjoyable week.

Stig Walk

We are reading 'Stig of the Dump' in our guided reading lessons – a book that is captivating our interests. To help us imagine what life must have been like for Stig, we went on a 'Stig walk' across the field.



Imagining we were Stig, we took off our shoes and socks and felt what the earth was like beneath our bare feet.

Back in class, we did some fantastic writing, describing our experience.

Spirit of Adventure

Ray Mears watch out; you may have some competition! Many of us in year 5 have recently been on our residential to the Raleigh Estate in Dartmouth where we camped overnight in the forest and learnt some exciting bushcraft skills, as



well as bonding as a team.

Alongside learning how to build and light a fire, we also had the opportunity to make our own pizzas and erect part of the tents we slept in. The highlight for many of us though was the zip wire where we careered from a height of over 40ft across a ravine. We all had a fantastic time and thoroughly enjoyed ourselves.

Upcoming Events

Year 5/6 Production – Tues 13th & Wed 14th Dec at 6.30pm.

View our photos online

All of our stunning photos from this year's events can be viewed on our Flickr account. Please feel free to explore the albums; they really are worth a look:

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/96595782@N08/sets/>

Here's to an action packed year ahead filled with lots of exciting challenges and experiences!