

Our time at



Class five had a wonderful time at PGL, doing all sorts of activities and having a brilliant couple of days. My favourite activity would probably be kayaking in the nearby harbour. We got into wetsuits and took an oar each and then we stepped into kayaks and started zooming around and splashing each other with our oars! We played Quidditch in kayaks and all sorts of other games for some hours, then we got changed out of our wetsuits and retired to the coach, rather wet, and smelling of seaweed.

When we arrived back at the site, we sat in our rooms and exchanged stories with the other groups who had been hiking. They told us about drop spiders that supposedly lived in the forest they

walked through, and are mightily tricky to get out of your hair, while we were chattering about oar strokes and seaweed. Then we went to the dining hall and had dinner. We each took a red tray and chose what we wanted from the menu, then went and collected it from the counter. I had roast pork and angels delight for pudding. Yum! Then when we were filled to the brim with scrumptious food, we went to bed and slept like logs.

Another of my favourite activities was Raft Building, which was also in the harbour. Making the rafts was very exciting and though they fell apart when we all piled on at the end, it was a truly magnificent experience. We sat on several rafts and rowed out towards a buoy, which we tied our raft to so we wouldn't fall off. We then played games, including singing my bonnie lies over the ocean and every

time you said something beginning with b you had to jump up on the raft. I noted that most of us fell off the raft when singing that! Later we attacked each others rafts, and eventually rowed back to the teachers who were sitting on the bench laughing at the seaweed hanging from our life jackets.

P.G.L was a FABULOUS experience, and we would gladly recommend the site for future year 5's.

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