

One month ago, I went to the Po Leung Kuk Jockey Club Pak Lam Chung Holiday Camp. The day before, I packed 2 sets of clothes, a pair of pajamas, 2 sets of underwear, 2 towels, a toothbrush, a toothpaste, a cup of noodles, an alarm clock and 100 dollars. The day before I was on cloud nine but I felt very worried, because it would be my first time going there by myself.

After an hour and half of bus riding, we finally arrived. During the ride, the beautiful view of the coastline amazed me. The moment we arrived, we were amazed by how big and green the holiday camp was.

After the briefing session, the tutor told us to complete the first mission. We had to answer the questions that could be found in the campsite. He also said that the team with the highest marks would get some free snacks! That motivated everybody. After 45 minutes, the tutor announced the result. However, our group lost. But I still had a great and wonderful time with my teammates.

A while later, our teacher helped us check in our rooms and let us rest for a while. Shortly after, we ate a delicious dinner. Then, the tutor gave us a much harder version of the mission we did that afternoon. First, the camp was much darker because it was at night. Second, the things that we had to find were much harder. So, we brought our flashlight and went treasure hunting. Unluckily, when I was walking with my teammates. I suddenly tripped over and landed roughly onto my left knee. I was shocked and flustered. Blood was all over my leg. My teammates quickly took me to the medical room. I felt extremely thankful that my teammates cared about my injury so much.

The next day after breakfast, the tutor instructed us to play five-people-two-legs. The rule was simple. Our teammates had to cross to the opposite side. At first, we were on our lead. However, we messed up in the middle of the court. At last, we had a decent 2nd place of the match. After lunch, we pretty much had a whole afternoon free time for us to do anything. Everyone was extremely thrilled. I did a lot of things with my teammates, such as playing football, basketball, eating at the tuck shop, and chatting after exercising. We were on cloud nine! Then we had a BBQ dinner. Grilling our own food on long forks was tricky but hilarious especially when my friend accidentally burnt his steak into ash! A short while after, we had our night show. Different classes performed singing songs. We danced together until our voices were exhausted. By the end of the day, my friends and I had a nice cup of cup noodles as midnight snack to end the

day.

On the last day, we played a famous game called pickle ball. I felt thrilled because I could learn a new sport. We also did rock climbing. Unfortunately, I couldn't play that sport because I was injured. At last, we packed our stuff and left with reluctance.

At this holiday camp, I understand that it is not just about fun and playing with my friends. It is about how to be independent and cooperate with others. It also taught me that we have to always care for each other. I realized how much I am going to miss my friends and teachers. This trip to Pak Tam Chung is a precious memory that will keep in my heart forever.

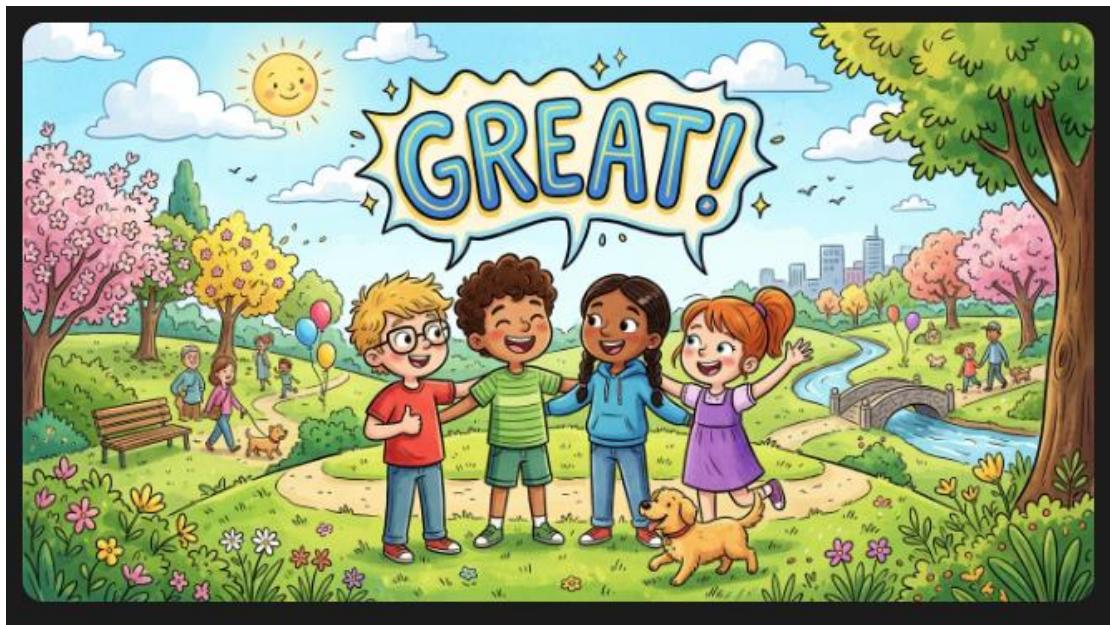


Graduation Camp

Graduation Camp is an exciting event to our primary school adventure. It's a good chance to put down our studies and celebrate the lasting friendship we've made over the years. The days are filled with team activities and tightly bonding such as solving problems.

From all of the experience, I learnt the importance of teamwork and discipline on working together and waking up roommates at six o'clock in the morning.

One thing that made me unforgettable was the last day in the camp. We were doing rock climbing and I wanted to challenge the hardest route, which was the purple route. When I was in the middle of the climb, I could feel my hands and legs shaking, having a lot of sweat on my palms. I started to panic. But, I knew the more I panicked, the more strength I needed to use, so I took a few deep breaths and carried on. In the end, I still couldn't climb to the top by only using the purple steps. So, the teacher insisted me to use the steps of other colors. When I came home, my arms and legs were very sore. That was why I cried in the mid-climb. But I was really honored to try this challenging climb and I was thankful for all the teachers' patience in guiding me through all the hard parts.



My Disney Trip

This year's school trip, I could get to go to Disneyland with my friends. It was such an unforgettable trip!

When I went there, I realised that Disneyland wasn't only for fun, but also for learning. The staff there introduced herself, and gave out some earphones so that I could hear clearly. For the next two hours, I learned different facts about science such as centrifugal force, bridges and illusion. Even though I learned them before, it was still a unique experience.

After we were done with those classes, I ate lunch with my groupmates. Then, we discussed where we should go. First, we went to Space Mountain, which is a roller coaster. It was dark inside, so I was scared of when the cart would drop. The ride was fast, but without big drops. It was a thrilling ride.

This school trip was such a memorable experience. I am looking forward to the next time when I go to Disneyland!



My Disney Trip

Last Tuesday was our school picnic. It was so exciting for me because the picnic location was Disneyland. This last picnic in the primary life was the best.

That morning, I arrived at school early. First, I went to the playground and met our classmates. Then, we got on the tour bus, ready to start our wonderful picnic.

When we arrived, I heard a lot of familiar Disney music. We needed to pass inspection, then we could enter Disneyland. I thought we had free time right away, but instead, we had a stem class. I felt a little bit disappointed. When I started the class, I found it not as boring as I thought. It was so fantastic. In this stem class, I learned many things. For example, "Beam Bridge" is a horizontal-structured bridge; "Arch Bridge" has an arch as the main load-carrying structure against forces. There are also "Suspension Bridge" and "Cable-stayed Bridge". There are the four common forms of bridges. We did many experiments, too. They were fun!

After the lesson was free time. My friends and I made a beeline for "Big Grizzly Mountain Runaway Mine Car". We only needed to wait five minutes for our turn to ride the roller coaster. When the roller coaster reached the top, we all screamed together. Then we played "Ant-Man & The Wasp" and "Slinky Dog Spin". Time flew when you were having fun and it was time to leave.

To conclude, I thought this school picnic was so memorable because it was not just my first-time learning STEM at Disneyland, but also my last school picnic in this primary school. I will never forget this picnic.



Graduation Camp

Last month, I experienced what every other primary 6 students have to go through: a graduation camp. It's a major activity which many people online or in real life talk about, because it's a very rare time where you and your classmates can have the time of your life outside of school. Obviously, I was hyped for this remarkable activity, and kept on wondering what would happen inside the camp.

When the day finally came, I went to eat with my friend group before returning to school. Then, we officially started the trip. (Even though our class almost forgot to pick up one more student.) As soon as we arrived, we were escorted into the dining hall for a quick briefing. The rules were very simple and straight forward. After that, we got our room keys to take a first look of our room. It was rather close to average hotel, and it was nothing like the room from the disciplinary training camp. Me and my roommates, Ally, Genevieve and Fiona were eagerly excited. After checking it out, we went to our assembly point to start the first activity, which was to fill in different information about the facilities across the camp using different hints with your group. My group includes Ally, Genevieve, Fiona, Adi, Cyrus, Sum Sum, Rooney, Keaton and Marshall, which made the activity fairly easy. For an hour, we searched the entire camp using the map, and almost found all the hints under the abnormal heat. It was really tiring walking around the camp!

Wrapping up the game, we went into the dining hall to eat. The food there was ... pure disaster. I didn't like it one bite. It was agony to my taste buds, so I only ate incredibly little. Finishing the traumatizing dining experience, we were called to the assembly point for another activity which was a night search game where you had to find different cards hidden across the camp again and line them up in order. Everyone had to take out a flashlight to search the camp. We started searching for the cards everywhere, and every second the sky got darker, making the task more difficult, and we had to look at every spot very precisely. By the time we found half of the cards, it was already pitch black. So, we could only follow other groups to find the rest. After all that frantic searching, it was finally time to return to our rooms. At night, me and my roommates ate snacks while watching horror shows and scary movie clips until 2:00 a.m. to end our day.

As the second day started, we had to eat the disgusting meal, followed

by the first activity. It was separated into three parts and they all centered around cooperation. The first was to get to the other side of the activity room using 10 bricks only without touching the floor. Our group failed many times, but using balance, we still managed to get across in second place. The second part was to cross the basketball court using a wood plank and ropes, and funny enough we chanted "Le Rah" instead of "123" to get through, and got second place again. The third game was to make everyone jump over a hula hoop with the faster time. Ridiculously we ended up getting 11.67 seconds.

After another indigestible meal, it was finally free time. During the 2-hour session, I played a rhythm game called Maimai with Genevieve (which almost broke my fingers) in the arcade room and played Frisbee with Adi and Cyrus. Later on, we finally had a better meal, which was BBQ. But when I meant better I didn't mean that the dinner was really good, even though the food quality had overall improved, the entire process was really messy. I kept on dropping and burning my food. Despite it seeming like a wonderful experience, I didn't see myself having too much fun.

Anyway, after dinner, it was time for the biggest activity of the camp: the variety show. At night, every group had to perform a song or a show in front of everyone. Our group watched other groups perform different songs, and finally, it was our turn. Of course, we had to perform the most infamous song from our group: Never Gonna Give You Up, where I actually had a great and satisfying time. Later then, we went back to our rooms to rest. This time, me and my roommates managed to finish an entire anime series on TV!

The third day was the final day. We had another breakfast that gave me butterflies in my stomach and then it was time for the final activities. The first was pickleball, which I had never tried before but I gradually learned how to serve properly. However, it suddenly started raining, and we were escorted into the activity hall to play a game where you had to guess the way out by walking on a puzzle board. It was rather boring. What came next was an indoor climbing session. I was too nervous to try, so I sat down and watched other people beating records again and again. One particular event I remembered was my friend Ally, who tried her absolute best to challenge the hardest route, but she was stuck in the middle. Everyone encouraged her to keep going. After all she managed to climb to the top. As soon as she landed, I went to hug her tightly, she looked really exhausted so we told her to rest first. Finally, we had our last nightmare-

fuel meal, thus ending this eventful trip of a lifetime. (Adi and Cyrus realized that they left a Frisbee on the field, and forget to get it back).

What a supercalifragilisticexpialidocious journey! Thousands of unforgettable memories were created from this camp. Some were hilarious and some were sorrowful. This camp definitely lived up to the hype (only exception was the food), and this one will be the most unique experience of P.6. It also taught me a lot of things that I've never fully experienced. I hope that there will be another event as thrilling and memorable as this camp in my future!

